

PRE-MAJOR NURSING (A1010I)

This program prepares the student to transfer courses or the degree in its entirety to a four-year senior institution. This Associate in Arts program is specifically designed for students who wish to earn a baccalaureate degree in Nursing.

General Education Core (44 SHC)* Forty-four semester hours of credit in general education core courses are required as outlined on the NCCCS Curriculum Standards for Associate in Arts degree programs. The general education core includes study in the areas of humanities and fine arts, social and behavioral sciences, natural sciences and mathematics, and English composition.

***Students who complete the 44-hour general education core are eligible to receive the GENERAL EDUCATION DIPLOMA IN ARTS (D10100).**

ENGLISH COMPOSITION (6 SHC)

Two English composition courses are required:

- English 111, Expository Writing (3 SHC), is required as the first composition course.
- The second composition course must be selected from the following:
 - ENG 112 Argument-Based Research (3 SHC)
 - ENG 113 Literature-Based Research (3 SHC)
 - ENG 114 Professional Research and Reporting (3 SHC)

HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS (12 SHC)

Four courses from three discipline areas are required.

- One of the following courses is required:
 - COM 120 Interpersonal Communication (3 SHC) **or**
 - COM 231 Public Speaking (3 SHC)
- One course must be a literature course.
 - ENG 231, 232, 241, 242, 261, 262
- One course must be a fine arts course (ART, DRA, or MUS).
- One additional general education core courses from the following discipline areas is required: art, drama, foreign languages, interdisciplinary humanities, literature, music, philosophy, and religion.
 - ART 111, 114, 115
 - DRA 111, 112, 211, 212
 - ENG 231, 232, 241, 242, 261, 262
 - FRE 111, 112, 211, 212
 - HUM 130, 160, 211, 212
 - MUS 110, 210, 213
 - PHI 215
 - REL 112, 211, 212, 221
 - SPA 111, 112, 211, 212

- One of the following courses is recommended:
 FRE 111 Elementary French I (3 SHC)
 SPA 111 Elementary Spanish I (3 SHC)

SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (12 SHC)

Four courses from three discipline areas are required.

- One course must be a history course.
 HIS 115, 121, 122, 131, 132
- The following courses are required: (9 SHC)
 PSY 150 General Psychology (3 SHC)
 PSY 241 Developmental Psychology (3 SHC)
 SOC 210 Introduction to Sociology (3 SHC)

NATURAL SCIENCES/MATHEMATICS (14 SHC)

Natural Sciences (8 SHC):

- The following course sequence is required:
 CHM 151 General Chemistry I (4 SHC) **and**
 CHM 152 General Chemistry II (4 SHC)

Mathematics (6 SHC):

- Two courses are required:
 MAT 151 Statistics I (3 SHC)
 MAT 161 College Algebra (3 SHC)

Note: Math courses with a prerequisite of MAT 161 or higher may be substituted locally. You must see an academic counselor for details. Additional lab courses may be required for math classes taken at Coastal Carolina Community College.

OTHER REQUIRED HOURS (21 SHC)

- The following courses are required:
 ACA 111 College Student Success (1 SHC)
 BIO 168 Anatomy and Physiology I (4 SHC)
 BIO 169 Anatomy and Physiology II (4 SHC)
 BIO 175 General Microbiology (3 SHC)
 CIS 110 Introduction to Computers (3 SHC)
 PSY 281 Abnormal Psychology (3 SHC)
 SOC 213 Sociology of the Family (3 SHC)

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS CREDIT (SHC) IN PROGRAM: 65

Students must meet the receiving university's foreign language and/or health and physical education requirements, if applicable, prior to or after transfer to the senior institution.

APPLICATION TO A UNIVERSITY

Admission application deadlines vary; students must meet the deadline for the university to which they plan to transfer. Upon successful completion of the associate degree, students who meet the requirements outlined in this pre-major articulation agreement will be eligible to be considered for admission as juniors to the universities offering the baccalaureate degree as listed at www.northcarolina.edu/content.php/aa/planning/traditional.htm. Students are encouraged to contact the senior institution to confirm degree offerings.

ADMISSION TO THE MAJOR

Grade point average requirements vary and admission is competitive across the several programs in Nursing. Other professional admission requirements may be designated by individual programs.