

**West Texas A&M University
Advising Services
Degree Checklist
2018-2019**

NAME: _____ WT ID: _____ DATE: _____

Pre-Nursing

Department of Nursing - BNLC 107, 651-2693

CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 42 HOURS ♦		HRS
Communication (Code 10)		
ENGL 1301 Introduction to Academic Writing and Argumentation	3	
Communication (11)		
COMM 1315, 1318, or 1321	3	
Mathematics (Code 20)		
See University Core Requirements below	(3)	
Life and Physical Sciences (Code 30)		
See University Core Requirements below	(6)	
Language, Philosophy and Culture (Code 40)		
ANTH 2351, ENGL 2321*, 2326*, 2331*, 2341*, 2343*; HIST 2311, 2323, 2372; MCOM 1307; PHIL 1301, 2374; SPAN 2311*, 2312*/***, 2313*, 2315*, 2371 Choose 1	3	
Creative Arts (Code 50)		
ARTS 1303, ARTS 1304; DANC 2303; MUSI 1306, MUSI 1307, MUSI 1310; or THRE 1310 Choose 1	3	
American History (Code 60)		
HIST 1301, 1302, 2301, 2381 <i>(recommend taking in summer or intersession)</i> Choose 2	6	
Government/Political Science (Code 70)		
POSC 2305 and 2306 <i>(recommend taking in summer or intersession)</i>	6	
Social and Behavioral Sciences (Code 80)		
See University Core Requirements below	(3)	
Institutionally Designated Option (90)		
Take four hours from: ♦		
AGRI 2300; BIOL lab hours (from Code 30); BUSI 1304; CHEM lab hours (from Code 30); CIDM 1105, CIDM 1301 or 1315; CS 1301; ENGL 1101, 1302*/****, 2311*/**** ; ENVR lab hour (from Code 30); GEOL lab hours (from Code 30); IDS 1071 (1-3 hours); extra MATH hours (from Code 20); PHIL 2303; PHYS lab hours (from Code 30)	4	
See University Core Requirements below	(2)	
PRE-NURSING Admission Requirements A grade of "C" or better must be earned in all courses required for major.		
UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS: 11 HOURS		
CORE 20 MATH 1314*, 1316*, 1324*, 1325*, 1332*/**, 1342*/**, 1350*/**, 2412*, or 2413* (2412 & 2413: extra hr. moves to Code 90) NOTE: MATH 1332 satisfies the prerequisite for CHEM 1405, but not 1411. MATH 1342 and 1350 do not satisfy the prerequisite for either CHEM 1405 or 1411.		
CORE 30 BIOL 2401*[3] Human Anatomy and Physiology I	3	
CORE 30 BIOL 2402*[3] Human Anatomy and Physiology II	3	
CORE 80 PSYC 2301 General Psychology	3	
CORE 90 BIOL 2401L[1] and 2402L[1]	2	

Pre-Admission Requirements

BSN.PRE.NURS (700)—See NOTE

ADDITIONAL PRE-NURSING COURSE REQUIREMENTS: 26-27 HOURS A grade of "C" or better must be earned in all courses required for major.		
SOCI 1301 Introduction to Sociology	3	
PSYC 2308 Child Development OR PSYC 2314 Lifespan Growth and Development	3	
BIOL 2420*, 2420L Applied Microbiology OR BIOL 2572*, 2572L Microbiology	4-5	
CHEM 1405*, 1405L General Chemistry OR CHEM 1411*, 1411L Chemistry I	4	
NURS 2330* Health Promotion	3	
NURS 2350* Intro. to Nursing Skills and Safety	3	
NURS 3304* Elementary Biostatistics in Health Care Research	3	
NURS 3310* Pathophysiology	3	

♦ The core curriculum must total **exactly 42 hours**; excess hours must be moved to the major as an elective or a major requirement and stay within the 120-hour requirement or approved total submitted to the Coordinating Board for degree requirements. Some majors specify particular courses to meet core curriculum requirements when options are available.
* Indicates prerequisites—see catalog for more information.
** While MATH 1332, 1342 and 1350 will fulfill core math requirements, they will NOT prepare students for higher-level math courses such as Plane Trigonometry (MATH 1316) or Pre-Calculus (MATH 2412).
*** Or equivalent course (second year, second semester) in a foreign language.
**** Recommended.

NOTE: This is a list of the required courses for admission to the WTAMU Nursing Program. Upon completion of the WTAMU Pre-Nursing admission requirements, there is a second, competitive application process to be admitted to the BSN program. Students should complete or be enrolled in the last six or fewer Pre-Nursing courses when applying.

For more information please contact Department of Nursing Admissions Counselor at 806-651-2693.

A basic or transfer student who is not enrolled in courses in one of the four official nursing semesters (Junior I, Junior II, Senior I, and Senior II) is considered to be a Pre-Nursing major, Code 700. When a student is admitted to the WTAMU BSN program and begins Junior I nursing courses, the major code is changed to Code 701, unless the student is a registered LVN, in which case the major is changed to 713.



First Year					
Fall		Spring			
H o u r s 16	CORE 10-ENGL 1301	3	H o u r s 19	CORE 90-ENGL 1302 or 2311	3
	CORE 20-MATH	3		CORE 60-HIST 1301, 1302, 2301 or 2381	3
	CORE 60-HIST 1301, 1302, 2301 or 2381	3		CORE 80-PYSC 2301	3
	CORE 10-COMM 1315, 1318 or 1321	3		CHEM 1411/L OR 1405/L	4
	CORE 90-IDS 1071	1		CORE 50-ARTS	3
	SOCI 1301	3		CORE 70-POSC	3
				POSC 2305 or 2306	

Second Year					
Fall		Spring			
H o u r s 16	NURS 3304	3	H o u r s 17	NURS 3304	3
	PYSC 2308 OR 2314	3		NURS 3310	3
	CORE 30-LAB SCIENCE BIOL 2401/2401L	4		CORE 30-LAB SCIENCE BIOL 2402/2402L	4
	NURS 2330	3		BIOL 2420/2420L or 2572/2572L	4
	CORE 70-POSC 2305 or 2306	3		NURS 2350	3

Third Year (see NOTE below)			
Fall		Spring	
H o u r s		H o u r s	

Fourth Year			
Fall		Spring	
H o u r s		H o u r s	

DISCLAIMER: This curriculum guide should be used in conjunction with the corresponding degree checklist for general planning purposes only. The degree checklist (later a student's official degree plan) should be referred to as the comprehensive list of all courses required for the degree. An official degree plan is required after completing 45 hours. Students should always seek the advice of their academic adviser before scheduling classes.

NOTE: Students are encouraged to complete Core 40 (see checklist for options) during a summer term prior to fall of the third year.