

Nursing (B.S.N.) Program Roadmap

Use this roadmap to guide your progress and keep you moving toward graduation.

- ☒ **Avoid surprises** – Meet with your advisor each term to monitor your progress, review the foreign language requirement and address concerns early.
- ☒ **Review course requirements** – Check course prerequisites, corequisites, and conditions before registering each term to ensure you meet all requirements and stay on track for graduation.
- ☒ **Stay eligible** – Maintain your GPA and complete required courses to remain in good standing.
- ☒ **Graduate on time** – Stay on schedule to avoid delays and excess credit hours that may not be covered by financial aid.

About the Program

FSCJ bachelor's degree programs are part of Florida's 2+2 Program. Learn more at floridashines.org/2-2-program.

Credit Hours: 120 total credit hours, including 60 transferrable college credit hours that are completed prior to applying to the program. Total hours may vary based on individual academic plan. Prior to enrolling in classes, please meet with an advisor for specific guidance about your individual academic plan.

Application Procedure

*Applicants who **complete all requirements** will be considered for admission. Meeting the minimum requirements makes you eligible for consideration but **does not guarantee admission** to the program.*

To meet the minimum requirements for consideration for acceptance to the B.S.N. program, applicants must satisfy the bachelor's degree general admission requirements. The B.S.N. program has rolling admissions throughout the term; a bachelor's degree admissions application may be submitted at any time throughout the term.

Additionally, applicants must:

- ☐ Have earned an Associate of Science in Nursing (A.S.N.) from a regionally accredited college or university and completed a minimum of 60 transferable college credit hours with a GPA of 2.0 or above. All general education courses and nursing foundation courses used to satisfy the Associate of Science Degree in Nursing must have a grade of C or higher to count toward the bachelor's degree.
- ☐ Provide official transcripts from their A.S.N. program.
- ☐ Have a minimum 2.0 GPA from their A.S.N. program.
- ☐ Provide documentation of the following:
 - ☐ A copy of current Registered Nursing (R.N.) unencumbered Florida state, compact state license or license for the state where student will complete practicum activities, prior to registering for the second semester coursework.
 - ☐ Completion of 30 credit hours of General Education course with a grade of C or higher prior to the first day of enrollment in the B.S.N. program.

Prior to conducting practicum hours, students must meet affiliation agreement requirements for that facility.

Application Deadline(s)

Applications from **students who plan to use financial aid** must be received by the priority deadlines listed below to allow sufficient time for processing.

- Fall Term: June 1
- Spring Term: October 1
- Summer Term: February 1

Students who do not plan to use financial aid may apply at any time.

Sample Roadmap for Prerequisite Courses

Term 1

Course: Course Title	Credits	Course Type	Terms Offered
ENC 1101 – English Composition I or ENC 1101C – English Composition I Enhanced	3-4	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer
MAC 1105 – College Algebra or MAC 1105C – College Algebra Enhanced or MAC 1114 – College Trigonometry or MAC 1140 – Precalculus Algebra or MAC 1147 – Precalculus Algebra and Trigonometry or MAC 2233 – Calculus for Business and Social Sciences or MAC 2311 – Calculus With Analytic Geometry I or MAC 2312 – Calculus With Analytic Geometry II or MAC 2313 – Calculus With Analytic Geometry III or MAP 2302 – Differential Equations or MGF 1130 – Mathematical Thinking or MGF 1131 – Mathematics in Context	3-5	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer
CHM 1020 – Chemistry for Liberal Arts or CHM 1025C – Introduction to General Chemistry or CHM 1032C – Principles of General Chemistry or CHM 2045C – General Chemistry and Qualitative Analysis I or CHM 2046C – General Chemistry and Qualitative Analysis II	3-4	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer
BSC 2085C – Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer
DEP 2004 – Human Growth and Development	3	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer

Term 2

Course: Course Title	Credits	Course Type	Terms Offered
Humanities State Core course	3	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer
MCB 2010C – Microbiology	4	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer
BSC 2086C – Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer
PSY 1012 – General Psychology	3	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer

Sample Roadmap for Human Nutrition and General Education Courses

Term 1

Course: Course Title	Credits	Course Type	Terms Offered
HUN 1201 – Human Nutrition	3	Lower Division	Fall, Spring, Summer
ENC 1102 – Writing About Texts	3	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer
Humanities course	3	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer
STA 2023 – Elementary Statistics	3	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer
AMH 2010 – United States History to 1877 or AMH 2020 – United States History from 1877 to the Present or POS 2041 – American Federal Government	3	General Education & Civic Literacy	Fall, Spring, Summer
SPC 2017 – Introduction to Speech Communications or SPC 2065 – Speech Communication for Business and the Professions or SPC 2608 – Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	General Education	Fall, Spring, Summer

Sample Roadmap for Upper Division Coursework (Admitted Students)

Term 1

Course: Course Title	Credits	Course Type	Terms Offered
NUR 3805 – Dimensions of Professional Practice	3	Upper Division	Fall, Spring, Summer
NUR 3094C – Health Assessment	3	Upper Division	Fall, Spring, Summer
NUR 3125 – Pathophysiology	4	Upper Division	Fall, Spring, Summer

Term 2

Course: Course Title	Credits	Course Type	Terms Offered
NUR 3164 – Introduction to Nursing Research and Informatics	3	Upper Division	Fall, Spring, Summer
NUR 3846 – Nursing Theory Philosophy	3	Upper Division	Fall, Spring, Summer
NUR 3636C – Community Health	4	Upper Division	Fall, Spring, Summer

Term 3

Course: Course Title	Credits	Course Type	Terms Offered
NSP 3185 – Professional Ethics and Diversity	3	Upper Division	Fall, Spring, Summer
NUR 4827 – Leadership and Management	3	Upper Division	Fall, Spring, Summer
NUR 4169C – Applications in Evidenced-Based Practice for BSNs	4	Upper Division	Fall, Spring, Summer

Minimum Grade Requirement(s)

A minimum grade of C or higher is required in:

- ☐ All A.S.N. transferable credits
- ☐ All Upper Division coursework
- ☐ All General Education coursework

Stay on Track

Meet the bachelor's degree graduation requirements:

- ☐ Fulfill all academic requirements for the chosen program of study as outlined in the Florida State College at Jacksonville catalog and curriculum.
- ☐ Earn minimum prescribed semester hours for the selected bachelor's degree with at least a 2.0 (C) on a 4.0 scale for an all-college cumulative grade point average. This includes Florida State College at Jacksonville college-credit semester hours and transferred credits (excluding developmental education) in lower- and upper-division courses.
- ☐ Earn at least a C in each course used to satisfy the General Education Requirements and any other area designated with a C or higher in each course.
- ☐ Earn a minimum of 25 percent of all credits used to satisfy the baccalaureate degree course requirements from Florida State College at Jacksonville (for example, a minimum of 30 credits for a 120-credit bachelor's degree). Credit by examination and credit for prior learning do not count toward this residency requirement.
- ☐ Fulfill the 36-college credit Florida General Education Requirements (note: 45 semester hours of required General Education for the B.S.N. degree and 51 semester hours of required General Education for the Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Sciences degree), including the required core course options as listed in s. 1007.25(3), Florida Statute, and State Board Rule 6A.14.0303, Florida Administrative Code.
- ☐ Demonstrate competency in civic literacy in accordance with s. 1007.25, Florida Statutes, and State Board of Education Rule 6A-10.02413, Florida Administrative Code. Per guidelines established by Senate Bill 1108, competency is demonstrated by
 - ☐ Completing one of three civic literacy courses (AMH 2010, AMH 2020 or POS 2041) with a grade of C or higher, AND
 - ☐ Achieving a passing score on a state-approved assessment.
- ☐ Fulfill the Foreign Language requirement.
- ☐ Fulfill all obligations, financial or otherwise, to the College before graduation.

More Information Online

Program Webpage: fscj.edu/program?pcode=N200

Program Catalog Page: catalog.fscj.edu/programs/N200