



Whitson-Hester School of Nursing

TENNESSEE TECH

TTU's Whitson Hester School of Nursing offers an RN-to-BSN Program that can be completed in as little as three semesters.

ADN PROGRAM CREDITS:

As indicated, the program is composed of a total of 120 credit hours, up to 32 of which can be transferred from your ADN/ASN program. These 32 hrs are listed in **GOLD** on the Program Curriculum.

RN-BSN COURSES:

The courses listed in **WHITE** are the RN-BSN courses within the Nursing Program (30 hrs total). We offer courses so that students with completed ASN degrees can complete the program in three semesters (Fall, Summer, Spring).

GEN ED COURSES:

The courses listed in **PURPLE** are General Education requirements (58 hrs total). Students can elect to complete these at TTU or transfer credits from other institutions to fulfill these requirements.

At least 30 hours must be completed at TTU, which can be the 30 RN-BSN course credits. Students can take General Education courses and Nursing courses concurrently, however it is advised that students complete *most* Gen Ed requirements prior to starting the RN-BSN program courses because **the last 12 hours of the degree must be completed at TTU.**

Students may email an unofficial copy of their transcripts to jrgunter@tntech.edu for the estimation of general education requirements that can transfer to TTU to fulfill credits the RN-BSN Curriculum.

Students can enroll in the RN-BSN program for Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters. **We do ask that students apply one to two months prior to the semester they intend to begin.** Keep in mind that you must apply to the University before applying to the Nursing Program.

To apply to TTU: <https://www.tntech.edu/admissions/apply/index.php>

To apply to TTU's RN-BSN Program: <https://tf.tntech.edu/machform/view.php?id=1026262>

Please contact our RN-BSN Academic Advisor Jamie Gunter with any questions you have at jrgunter@tntech.edu. We look forward to having you in our program.

Wings Up!

What Is In the Curriculum?

| ASN to BSN Required Courses | | | |
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| NURS 3281*–Health Assessment and Promotion | 3 credit hours | NURS 4450, 4451–Leadership and Management Lab | 3, 4 |
| NURS 3465–Bridging to Professional Nursing Practice | 4 | NURS 3430–Pharmacological Concepts of Nursing II | 3 |
| NURS 3380*–Pathophysiological Process | 3 | NURS 4350, 4351–Health Care of Communities and Lab | 4, 3 |
| NURS 4300*–Research in Health Care | 3 | *Concurrent enrollment students should complete these courses during the Summer. | |

| General Education Requirements | | Credits from Your ASN Program | |
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| BIOL 2010 and 2020–Human Anatomy and Physiology I and II | 8 | NURS 3270 and 3271–Fundamentals of Nursing and Lab | 3 |
| BIOL 3230–Microbiology | 4 | NURS 3280 and 3280–Medical | 7 |
| MATH 1130 or Higher Math | 3 | NURS 3350 and 3361–Medical | 7 |
| ENGL 1010 and 1020 –English I and II | 6 | NURS 3370 and 3371–Mental | 5 |
| Literature | 3 | NURS 4000 and 4001–Women’s | 5 |
| PC 2500 or COMM 2025 | 3 | NURS 4100 and 4101–Nursing | 5 |
| HIST 2010 and 2020 American History I and II | 6 | | |
| PSY 1030–General Psychology | 3 | | |
| Social Sciences | 3 | | |
| HUFA I and II–Humanities or Arts | 6 | | |
| Electives | 13 | | |