

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Approved Plan of Study**

**Catalog Year: 2025-2026**

**"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." (Philippians 4:13)**

**Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree**

*Students are eligible for the online BSN completion program after passing state boards and providing evidence of an active, unencumbered license to practice as an RN. An RN license counts as 40 credit hours.*

**Nursing Support Course Requirements:**

<b>Behavioral Science</b> (9 hrs.)				
<i>Courses must come from two different academic areas.</i>				
PSY 113, PSY 333, or SOC 113	General Psychology, Lifespan Developmental Psychology, or Introduction to Sociology (Total of 6 credits)	6		
	<i>Elective(s)</i>	3		
<b>Humanities and Fine Art</b> (15 hrs.)				
CAS 101	Intro to Public Speaking	3		
ENG 104	English Composition I	3		
ENG 106	English Composition II	3		
HST ____	History Course (select from HST options)	3		
Fine Art	Fine Art Course - Art, Music, or Theater	3		

<b>Mathematics</b> (3 hrs.)				
MTH ____	Appropriate Math Course <sup>1</sup>	3		
<b>Natural Sciences</b> (16 hrs.)				
<i>BIO 440 (4 hrs.) is required, plus 12 additional hrs. of Natural Science. Recommended courses are below.</i>				
BIO 254/314	Human Anatomy and Physiology I *	4		
BIO 264/324	Human Anatomy and Physiology II **	4		
BIO 223	Microbiology **	3		
BIO/NUR 440	<i>Pathophysiology</i>	4		
<b>Bible</b> (6 hrs.)				
BIB ____	Old or New Testament Survey	3		
BIB 153	Biblical Worldview	3		

**Nursing Core Course Requirements:**

<b>Summer</b> (6 hrs.)				
NUR 303	Health Assessment***	3		
NUR 443	Community Health Nursing***	3		

<b>Fall</b> (15 hrs.)				
NUR 301	Healthcare Today*	3		
NUR 383	Nursing Informatics*	3		
NUR 423	Client Education*	3		
NUR 436	Intro to Research & Analytical Methods*	3		
NUR 453	Evidenced-Based Practice*	3		

<b>Spring</b> (15 hrs.)				
NUR 353	Nursing Theory**	3		
NUR 363	Geriatric Nursing**	3		
NUR 373	Bioethics**	3		
NUR 434	Leadership & Management**	3		
NUR 483	Senior Nursing Capstone <sup>2</sup>	3		

**NOTES:**

<sup>1</sup> See Mathematic Placement Policy.

<sup>2</sup> Senior Nursing Capstone should be taken during the last semester of the program and is offered any term.

\* Offered fall semester only.

\*\* Offered spring semester only.

\*\*\* Offered summer semester only.

Faculty Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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