

Fresno City College - CSU-Fresno ADN-BSN Roadmap

To Complete the Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing (BSN) from Fresno State
Starting From Your First Semester at Fresno City College
Completion of an ADN degree does not guarantee admission to a CSU campus. Classes subject to change.

Prerequisites and Co-requisites

Complete These Courses at Fresno City College	Units	ADN (FCC Req.)	BSN (CSUF Req.)	FCC GE Area	CSU GE Area
Intro. Gen. Chemistry with lab CHEM 3A	4	Pre-requisite	Pre-requisite	A	B1
Human Anatomy with lab BIOL 20 Anatomy or BIOL 21A Human Anatomy & Physiology I	4	Pre-requisite	Pre-requisite	A	B2/B3
Human Physiology with lab BIOL 22 Physiology or BIOL 21B Human Anatomy & Physiology II	5	Pre-requisite	Pre-requisite		B2/B3
Microbiology with lab BIOL 31 Microbiology	5	Pre-requisite	Pre-requisite		B2/B3
English Composition ENGL 1A	4	Pre-requisite	Pre-requisite/RN-BSN	AS Degree Requirement 1 & 2 AND D1	A2
Fund. Public Comm. COMM 1, 2 or 8	3	Pre-requisite	Pre-requisite/RN-BSN	AS Degree Requirement 3	A1
Cultural Anthropology or Principles of Sociology SOC 1A or ANTHRO 2	3	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite *SOC 1B	B	D3
Intro. Psychology PSY 2 General Psychology	3	Pre-requisite	Co-requisite	AS Degree Requirement 5	D3
Gen. Ed. Math MATH 103	5	Pre-requisite (Pre-req. for Statistics)		Meets AS Degree Requirement 4 AND D2	
Statistics MATH 11 or MATH/PSY 42	4		Pre-requisite/RN-BSN	D2	B4
Gen. Ed. Critical Thinking CRIM 13; ENGL 3; PHIL4, 6; POLSCI 13; COMM 25	3		Pre-requisite/RN-BSN	D2	A3
Philosophy of Ethics PHIL 1C or CSUF PHIL 120	3		Co-requisite	C	C2 or IC
Total Prerequisite & Co-requisite Units	52				

GE/Req. Graduation

Arts/ Humanities (see Catalog for courses)	9	AS Degree Requirement 3 units	Degree Requirement 6 units	C	C1 or C2
American History HIST 11 or 12	3		Degree Requirement	B2	D1
American Institutions Pol Sci 2, 2H	3	AS Degree Requirement	Degree Requirement	B1	D2
Physical Education &/OR DANCE: 2 activity courses (waived for Veterans, P.O.S.T Basic Academy, or Basic Fire Academy Graduates)	2	AS Degree Requirement		AS Degree Requirement 6	
Computer Literacy/Computer Concepts (see Catalog for courses) <small>*Met by successfully completing RN 61 while in RN program.</small>	2-4	AS Degree Requirement		AS Degree Requirement 7	
Total GE/Graduation Requirement Units	19-21				

FCC Lower Division Traditional RN Courses

First Year Traditional RN	Units	Second Year Traditional RN	Units
RN 31 – Foundations & Intro to Med. Surg. Nursing	4	RN 51 – Nursing Care of the Adult w/Complex Health Problems	2.5
RN 32 - Foundations & Intro to Med. Surg. Nursing Clinical	2	RN 52 – Nursing Care of the Adult w/Complex Health Problems Clinical	2
RN 32A - Foundations & Intro to Med. Surg. Nursing Skills	2	RN 52A – Nursing Care of the Adult w/Complex Health Problems Skills	.5
RN 33 – Transcultural Health Care	1	RN 53 – Nursing Care of the Older Adult	1
RN 35A – Pharmacology A: Intro to Pharmacology	1	RN 55 – Nursing Care of Infants & Children	2
RN 35B – Pharmacology B: Nursing Pharmacological Applications	2	RN 56 – Nursing Care of Infants & Children Clinical	2
RN 41 – Nursing Care for the Adult w/Common Health Problem	2.5	RN 61 – Nursing Care for the Critically Ill Adult & Coordinator of Care	2.5
RN 42 – Nursing Care for the Adult w/Common Health Problem Clinical	2	RN 62 – Nursing Care for the Critically Ill Adult & Coordinator of Care Clinical	4
RN 42A – Nursing Care for the Adult w/Common Health Problem Skills	1	RN 62A – Nursing Care for the Critically Ill Adult & Coordinator of Care Skills	.5
RN 45 – Nursing Care of the Childbearing Family	2	RN 65 – Nursing Care of the Client w/Behavioral & Emotional Disorders	2
RN 46 – Nursing Care of the Childbearing Family Clinical	2	RN 66 – Nursing Care of the Client w/Behavioral & Emotional Disorders Clinical	2
Fresno City College RN Unit Total:	42.5		

*Sociology 1B does not meet the application requirement for FCC RN program, at this time.

Transfer to Fresno State

<http://www.fresnostate.edu/catoffice/current/admssns.html>

Minimum Admission Requirement:

1. Must be eligible for admission to the University.
2. Eligibility for admission to the Nursing major:
 - Active California Registered Nursing License
 - Graduation from an accredited/Board approved associate degree program in nursing
 - Local resident
 - Good standing from the previous college attended for ADN
 - A cumulative GPA from Associate Degree Nursing courses of at least a 2.5 (points awarded for higher GPA's)
 - Completed all 4 pre-requisites before applying to BSN program with a GPA of 3.0 (points awarded for higher GPA's)
 - Completed remaining pre-requisite/co-requisite courses with minimum "C" grade
 - Currently enrolled at Fresno State/admitted university applicant at time of nursing program entry
 - Before taking clinical course, students must have clearance from the Student Health Center

University Application: <http://www.csumentor.org>

RN-BSN Application and Supplemental Admission Criteria:
<http://www.fresnostate.edu/chhs/nursing/degrees-programs/rn-bsn.html>

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Upper Division GE/ Writing

Complete These Courses at Fresno State:	Units	√BSN Req.	CSU GE Area
I-B Physical Universe & Its Life Forms	3	√	I-B
I-C Arts & Humanities	3	√	I-C
I-D Social Political & Economic Institutions & Behavior, Historical Background	3	√	I-D
Multicultural/International--- <i>Met by taking NURS 141</i>	Met	√	M/I
Upper Division Writing Requirement <i>Met by passing either the UDWE or an Upper Division Writing course.</i>	1-3	√	Varies
Total Upper Division GE/Writing Units	10-12		

Required RN-BSN Courses

Complete Nursing Courses at Fresno State	Units	√BSN Req.	CSU GE Area
NURS 138~Bridge to Professional Concepts/Issues	5	√	
NURS 141~Concepts of Community Health Nursing (Meets Multicultural/International requirement)	3	√	M/I
NURS 141L~Practicum Concepts of Community Health Nursing	2	√	M/I
NURS 145~Nursing Theories & Research	3	√	
NURS 152~ Leadership, Management, & HC System	3	√	
NURS 154~Applying Professional Nursing Principles	5	√	
Total Fresno State Nursing Units	21		47+21=68 total program units taken
FCC Total Units Transferred	70		Does not include Math 103
Fresno State Total Units	30		30 unit residency requirement
CSU Executive Order 1084 Units Awarded <small>Upon completion of NCLEX-RN with valid CA RN Licensure, after passing NURS 138.</small>	20		(21+20 =Nursing)
Total Units Needed for RN-BSN Degree	120		