

TRANSFER GUIDE/BDP

BSN, Nursing, 809A  
Appalachian State University  
2023 - 2024

Department of Nursing  
Beaver College of Health Sciences  
Program of Study

STUDENTS WHO HAVE COMPLETED AN AA & ALL BSN PREREQUISITE COURSES SHOULD PLAN TO BEGIN APPALACHIAN COURSEWORK DURING THE SUMMER TERM. APPLICATION TO BSN PROGRAM REQUIRED - SEE NOTES.

HOW-TO Use the Transfer Guide/BDP

The Transfer Guides/BDPs have three sections:

1. The NC Community College courses are listed in the top section. Recommended and/or preferred courses are provided, with the equivalent Appalachian courses listed. If a specific course is not listed, students should use the blue hyperlink to access the [Comprehensive Articulation Agreement transfer course list](#). Students are welcome to choose any CAA course; however, students should choose courses that are available at their institution and satisfy their transfer degree requirements.
2. Appalachian courses are listed in the middle section. Once at Appalachian, students will work with an advisor to develop their class schedule.
3. Important transfer and major information is listed in the bottom sections. Students should refer to these sections for information regarding program requirements and other important information the department would like students to be aware of.

**Please note** - Transfer Guides/BDPs are developed based on the approved curriculum for that catalog year. Depending on term of entry and the curriculum posted for that catalog year, programs of study may have changed.

Community College Coursework: 61 Transfer hours		Associate in Arts			
<b>Semester 1:</b>	<b>NCCC Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Appalachian Equivalent</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry	3	RC 1000	
	MAT 152	Statistics	4	STT 2820	Required for the major; Math Course
	PSY 150	General Psychology	3	PSY 1200	Required for the major; Social/Behavioral Sciences
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Humanities/Fine Arts	3		
	ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1		
		Semester hours	14		
<b>Semester 2:</b>	<b>NCCC Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Appalachian Equivalent</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines	3	RC 2001	
	CHM 151	General Chemistry I	4	CHE 1101/1110	Required for the major; B- or better required for BSN application
	BIO 155 OR NUT 110	Nutrition	3	NUT 2202	Required for the major; Pre-major/Elective
	PHI 240	Introduction to Ethics	3	PHL 2000	Required for the major; Humanities/Fine Arts
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Humanities/Fine Arts	3		
		Semester hours	16		
<b>Semester 3:</b>	<b>NCCC Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Appalachian Equivalent</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	<b>You must apply to the University early in this semester to receive an admission decision (to be admitted) in order to submit an application to the BSN program due in mid-January. See Transfer Information box below</b>				
	SOC 210	Intro to Sociology	3	SOC 1000	Required for the major; Social/Behavioral Sciences
	CHM 152	General Chemistry II	4	CHE 1102/1120	Required for the major; B- or better required for BSN application
	BIO 168	Anatomy & Physiology I	4	ES 2040	Required for the major; B- or better required for BSN application
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Social/Behavioral Sciences	3		
<a href="#">Pre-Major/GEC Elective</a>		3			
		Semester hours	17		
<b>Semester 4:</b>	<b>NCCC Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Appalachian Equivalent</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	BIO 169	Anatomy & Physiology II	4	ES 2050	Required for the major; B- or better required for BSN application
	BIO 275	Microbiology	4	BIO 2200	Required for the major; B- or better required for BSN application
	PSY 241	Developmental Psychology	3	PSY 2210	Required for the major
	<a href="#">GEC Elective</a>		3		
		Semester hours	14		
		<b>Total AA degree hours</b>	<b>61</b>		

Appalachian Course Work: 65 hours				
<b>Summer 1:</b>	<b>Appalachian Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	NUR 3121	Health Assessment Across the Lifespan	3	5 week summer course
	NUR 3123	Health Assessment Across the Lifespan Lab/Clinical	1	5 week clinical course
	Summer hours		4	
<b>Semester 5:</b>	<b>Appalachian Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	NUR 3300	Fundamentals of Nursing Practice	3	
	NUR 3302	Fundamentals of Nursing Practice Lab/Clinical	3	
	NUR 3115	Pathophysiology of Nursing	3	
	NUR 3400	Socialization to Professional Nursing	2	Writing in the Discipline
	NUR 3040	Pharmacology I	2	
	Free Elective		2	Make sure you will have at least 126 hours at graduation
Semester hours		15		
<b>Semester 6:</b>	<b>Appalachian Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	NUR 3100	Adult Health Nursing I	3	
	NUR 3110	Adult Health Nursing I Clinical	3	
	NUR 3450	Mental Health & Nursing Care of Communities	5	
	NUR 3452	Mental Health & Nursing Care of Communities Clinical	3	
	NUR 3050	Pharmacology II	2	
Semester hours		16		
<b>Semester 7:</b>	<b>Appalachian Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	NUR 3102	Adult Health Nursing II	3	
	NUR 3112	Adult Health Nursing II Clinical	3	
	NUR 4200	Intro to Nursing Research	2	
	NUR 4124	Nursing Care of Childbearing Families, Women, Children	5	
	NUR 4127	Nursing Care of Childbearing Families, Women, Children Clinical	3	
Semester hours		16		
<b>Semester 8:</b>	<b>Appalachian Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	NUR 4128	Nursing Leadership & Management	3	
	NUR 4110	Adult Health Nursing III	3	
	NUR 4112	Adult Health Nursing III Clinical	3	
	NUR 4130	Professional Nursing Capstone	3	CAPSTONE
	NUR 4210	Nursing Research Application	1	
	NUR 4145	Nursing Synthesis	1	
Semester Hours		14		
<b>Total Appalachian hours</b>		<b>65</b>		

#### Applying to Appalachian:

- A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.25, from all post-secondary coursework, is required for admission to Appalachian.
- Students interested in applying to Appalachian should submit an application and official college transcripts to be considered for admission.
- Students hoping to attend a summer or fall term are encouraged to apply by February 15th and those hoping to attend in the spring are encouraged to apply by October 15th.
- **Students completing an AA should apply to the university during their second fall semester at the community college, so to receive an admission decision before the BSN application is due mid January. Students must be accepted to the University before applying to the BSN program.**
- **Students completing an AA degree should apply for the first summer session, which starts the end of May.**

#### Transfer Information:

- The Beaver College of Health Sciences encourages students to complete an AA degree prior to transferring.
- **A separate application is due for admission to the BSN program, with 53 students accepted to each cohort. This application is open once a year from December 20 - the first day of classes of Spring Semester; you must already be admitted to App State:**
  - 3.00 minimum GPA required to apply - all previous college GPAs are included in the calculation
  - 3.5-4.0 is the GPA range for accepted students
  - A grade of B- or better is required in all science coursework
  - **Beginning with the January 2022 program admission cycle, students will be required to be a certified nursing assistant (CNA) before applying.**
- Due to complete application & admission standards, all students are encouraged to have a parallel plan, should they not be offered admission to the BSN program.
- 2.5 cumulative and 2.5 major GPA (NUR courses) required for retention in the program and graduation.
- Students may be allowed to repeat one nursing course one time if they earn a grade below a C/2.0 in a course. Failure to earn a

#### Transfer Resources:

- Transfer Admissions & Engagement:** [transfer.appstate.edu](https://transfer.appstate.edu)
- Office of Admissions:** [admissions.appstate.edu](https://admissions.appstate.edu)
- Office of Financial Aid:** [financialaid.appstate.edu](https://financialaid.appstate.edu)
- Scholarships:** [scholarships.appstate.edu](https://scholarships.appstate.edu)
- Career Development:** [careers.appstate.edu](https://careers.appstate.edu)
- University Housing:** [housing.appstate.edu](https://housing.appstate.edu)
- Off-Campus Housing:** [offcampushousing.appstate.edu](https://offcampushousing.appstate.edu)
- Campus Activities:** [campusactivities.appstate.edu](https://campusactivities.appstate.edu)
- BCHS Advising:** [healthsciences.appstate.edu/students](https://healthsciences.appstate.edu/students)



minimum C/2.0 in each nursing (NUR) course results in dismissal from the program.

*Questions, please call Transfer Admissions & Engagement at 828-262-7877*