BSN, Nursing (RN to BSN)
Appalachian State University
2021-2022

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 yellow section. Recommended and/or preferred courses are provided, with the equivalent Appalachian courses listed. Students should work with their community college advisor to select courses that are available at their institution and satisfy degree requirements.

2. Appalachian courses are listed in the middle gray section. Students will work with an Appalachian advisor to develop an individual graduation plan.

3. Important transfer and major information is listed in the bottom white 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: 105 hours   Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN)

Fall: 16 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
BIO 168	Anatomy & Physiology I	4	E S 2040	
PSY 150	General Psychology	3	PSY 1200	
NUR 111	Intro to Health Concepts	8		
ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1		
	Semester hours	16		

Spring: 17 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry	3	R C 1000	
BIO 169	Anatomy & Physiology II	4	E S 2050	
NUR 112	Health Illness Concepts	5		
NUR 212	Health Systems Concepts	5		
	Semester hours	17		

Summer: 8 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
PSY 241	Developmental Psychology	3	PSY 2210	
NUR 114	Holistic Health Concepts	5		
	Semester Hours	8		

Fall: 16 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Discipline	3	R C 2001	
HIS 111	Western Civilizations	3	HIS 1101	
NUR 113	Family Health Concepts	5		
NUR 211	Healthcare Concepts	5		
	Semester hours	16		

Spring: 16 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
HUM 115	Critical Thinking	3	PHL 1040	
ENG 231	American Lit I	3	ENG 2350	
NUR 213	Complex Health Concepts	10		
	Semester hours	16		

Take the NCLEX this summer

Summer: 8 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy	3	MAT 1010	
SOC 210	Intro to Sociology	3	SOC 1000	
Elective		3		
	Semester Hours	8		
	Total ADN degree hours	**81**		

Courses needed in addition to ADN Core

Fall: 7 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
MAT 152	Statistics	4	STT 2820	
Elective		3		
	Semester hours	7		

Spring: 9 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
POL 120	American Government	3	P S 1100	
ART 111	Art Appreciation	3	ART 2011	
Elective		3		
	Semester hours	9		

Summer: 7 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
BIO 275	Microbiology	3	BIO 3308	
HUM 110	Technology & Society	3	TEC 2029	
	Semester Hours	8		
	Total COGNATE hours	**24**		

Appalachian Course Work: 30 hours (Offered Online)

Fall: 11 hours

Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
NUR 3021	Health Assessment	4	
NUR 3000	Nursing Informatics	3	
NUR 3011	Concepts of Professional Nursing	4	
	Semester hours	11	

Spring: 11 hours

Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
NUR 4021	Nursing Care of Communities	4	
NUR 4029	Nursing Leadership & Management	4	
NUR 4033	Nursing Research	3	
	Semester hours	11	

Summer: 8 hours

Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
NUR 3031	Nursing Care of Older Adults	3	
NUR 4032	Professional Nursing Synthesis	5	
	Semester hours	8	
	Total Appalachian hours	**30**	

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 on-line application and official college transcripts to be considered for admission.
- RN to BSN students will be admitted to the university and then the program cohort.

RN to BSN Admission Requirements
- Admission to the University
- Hold an Associate in Applied Science degree in Nursing, an Associate Degree in Nursing (from an accredited institution) or a Diploma in Nursing from an accredited hospital nursing program
- Hold a current, unrestricted and unencumbered registered nurse (RN) license to practice nursing in North Carolina or a compact state
- Have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 calculated over all college coursework (cumulative GPA as calculated by the Department of Nursing)
- Complete 60 hours of lower-division coursework (RN to BSN Required Core, Cognate Courses, elective courses) and 30 hours of major nursing courses

Transfer Resources:

Online & Transfer Services	transfer.appstate.edu
Office of Admissions	admissions.appstate.edu
Office of Financial Aid	financialaid.appstate.edu
Scholarships	scholarships.appstate.edu
Career Development	careers.appstate.edu
University Housing	housing.appstate.edu
Off-Campus Housing	offcampushousing.appstate.edu
Campus Activities	campusactivities.appstate.edu
App State Online	online.appstate.edu

Questions, please Online & Transfer Services at 828-262-7877