



ECU Uniform Articulation Agreement

NCCCS Associate Degree Nursing
transfer to
 East Carolina University, **RN to BSN**

To apply for the RN to BSN program, a student must have completed an Associate Degree in Nursing from a North Carolina Community College, with a GPA of 2.0 or higher. Additionally, students must earn a “C” or higher in all courses in the first 3 blocks and be licensed as an RN before applying.

Block 1: 23 Credits

Pre-Requisite or Related Courses

The following courses are either taken before entering an ADN program or during the program.

NCCCS Course	ECU Equivalent	Credit Hours
ENG 111 Writing and Inquiry	ENGL 1100 Foundations of College Writing	3
ENG 112 Writing/Research in the Disc	ENGL 2201 Writing about the Disciplines	3
BIO 165 or 168 Anatomy and Physiology I	BIOL 2140/41 or BIOL 2XXX Hum Phys and Anat/L	4
BIO 166 or 169 Anatomy and Physiology II	BIOL 2XXX Hum Anat & Physiology II/L	4
Pick One Humanities/Fine Arts: ART 111, 114, 115; MUS 110, 112; PHI 215, 240	ART 1910; ARTH 1906, 1907; MUSC 2207, MUSC 2257; PHIL 1110, 1175	3
PSY 150 General Psychology	PSYC 1000 Intro Psyc	3
PSY 241 Developmental Psychology	PSYC 3206 Developmental Psyc	3

Block 2: 18-19 Credits

Additional Universal General Education Courses

These courses are not part of the ADN degree but are required to earn a BSN.

NCCCS Course	ECU Equivalent	Credit Hours
ENG 231 or 232 American Literature I or II	ENGL 1XXX or 2XXX	3
Pick One: HIS 111, 112, 131, or 132 World Civilization I or II; American History I or II	HIST 1030 or 1031; 1050 or 1051	3
Pick One (course not taken from block above) ART 114, 115; MUS 110, 112	ARTH 1906, 1907; MUSC 2207, 2257	3
MAT 143 or 171 Quantitative Literacy or Precalculus Algebra	MATH 1050 or 1065 Explorations in Math or College Algebra	3 or 4
SOC 210 Introduction to Sociology	SOCI 2110 Intr Sociology	3
Additional SOC course Pick One: SOC 213, 220, 225, 230, or 240	SOCI 1035, SOCI 2111, SOCI 1010, SOCI 2XXX, or SOCI 2XXX	3

Block 3: 17-18 Credits

Additional Other Requirements

These courses may or may not be part of the ADN curriculum at your college but are required to earn a BSN.

NCCCS Course	ECU Equivalent	Credit Hours
MAT 152 Statistical Methods I	MATH 2228 Elementary Statistics	4
BIO 175 or 275 General Microbiology or Microbiology	BIOL 2110 or BIOL 3220 Gen Microbiology w/lab or Microbiology w/lab	3 or 4
Pick One: CHM 151; CHM 130/130A; CHM 131/131A	CHEM 1150/51; CHEM 1XXX; CHEM 1120/21	4
Social Science/Elective: ECO 251 or 252 Prin of Microeconomics or Macroeconomics	ECON 2113 or ECON 2133 Prin Microeconomics or Prin Macroeconomics	3
Social Science/Elective: POL 120 American Government	POLS 1010 National Government	3

Block 4: 30-34 Credits

Block 4 consists of credits awarded for nursing core (NUR) courses.

Block 5: 30-34 Credits

Curriculum Plan at ECU

Semester	Format	Course	Hours
First (Fall or Spring)	Semester	NURS 4901 Nursing Research, Clinical Scholarship, & Evidence Based Practice	5
First (Fall or Spring)	7 weeks	NURS 4902 Professional Communication in Nursing	3
First (Fall or Spring)	7 weeks	NURS 4903 Critical Thinking to Facilitate Role Transition RN to BSN	3
Second (Spring or Summer)	5.5 or 7 weeks	NURS 4904 Professionalism in Bacc. Nursing Practice	4
Second (Spring or Summer)	5.5 or 7 weeks	NURS 4905 Nursing in a Global Society	4
Third (Summer or Fall)	Semester	NURS 4906 Community Health Nursing	5
Third (Summer or Fall)	5.5 or 7 weeks	NURS 4907 Nursing Leadership and Finance	3
Fourth (Fall or Spring)	Semester	NURS 4908 RN to BSN Practice Experience Capstone	6

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