



New for the 2025-26 School Year!

COLLEGE CREDIT PLUS NURSING ACADEMY

The CCP Nursing Academy lets you complete 35 nursing-focused college credits over a minimum of two HS years, putting you on a path to earn your BSN in just three years after high school.

To enroll in the CCP Nursing Academy, please contact the CCP Office, collegecreditplus@ashland.edu.

Course #	Course Title	Credits	Placement/Pre-Requisite	Online Option Available?
Aesthetics Core	Any 3-hour CORE in Art, Music, or Theater	3	Check the course catalog	ART 150 (Fall) MUSIC 253 (Spring)
CHEM 253	Chemical Perspectives on Life	4	Limited to HS seniors only	No, only offered in person
COM 101	Human Communication	3	None	Yes
ENG 101	English Composition I	3	3.0 GPA and HS sophomore, or ACT English 18 or Accuplacer. Writing 263	Yes, Fall Semester
ENG 102	English Composition II	3	ENG 101	Yes, Spring Semester
MATH 108	Introductory Statistics	3	HS Algebra II, ACT Math 18 or Accuplacer QAS 263	Yes, Fall Semester
PSYC 101	General Psychology I	3	None	Yes, Fall Semester
BIO 222	Anatomy & Physiology I	4	Limited to HS seniors only. Offered fall semester.	No, only offered in person
BIO 223	Anatomy & Physiology II	4	BIO 222. Offered spring semester.	No, only offered in person
NUR 110	Intro to Professional Nursing	1	Limited to HS seniors only.	No, only offered in person. Fall Semester only
NUR 210	Health Assessment in Nursing	4	NUR 110. Limited to HS seniors only.	No, only offered in person. Spring Semester only

NUR 210L Health Assessment in Nursing Lab 0 Must be taken with NUR 210 Offered in person at the Mansfield campus.

\$4,000 Scholarship!

All high school students in the class of 2024 and beyond who are enrolled in the College Credit Plus program at AU and who matriculate directly from high school into a bachelor's program will receive a yearly \$1,000 scholarship (\$500 to be awarded in the fall semester and \$500 in the spring semester). This scholarship is renewable each year (for up to four years, or \$4,000), and is stackable upon other scholarships or aid. Total institutional aid may not exceed the cost of tuition, room and board. Please contact the Financial Aid Office for details.

IMPORTANT: Please take your participation in College Credit Plus seriously.

- While admission to the nursing program (after high school) is primarily based on your HS GPA and ACT score, grades in BIO 222, BIO 223 and CHEM 253 from the CCP nursing academy pathway will also be reviewed. A grade of C or lower in any of these is considered a nursing course failure and receiving two or more C or lower grades in required science courses (BIO 222, 223, 240, CHEM 253) will result in dismissal from the CCP Nursing Academy (but not the CCP program) and ineligibility for admission to Ashland University's nursing program.
- Additionally, a minimum grade of C+ is required in all nursing major courses, including MATH 108, PSYC 101, PHIL 215, BIO 222, BIO 223, and CHEM 253.
- Consult your HS counselor for HS graduation requirements.
- Participation in the CCP Nursing Academy does not guarantee admission to the College of Nursing and Health Sciences. Students must submit a formal application and meet the established admissions criteria for the Nursing program. Acceptance is contingent upon both qualifications and program capacity at the time of application.



Three Year BSN Curriculum Guide*

The following schedule of courses is designed to be completed after high school graduation after the CCP nursing pathway courses on the reverse side of this sheet have been completed.

**Based on 25-26 Academic Catalog*

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Year 1	Fall Semester	Cr.
BIO 240	Microbiology	4
PHIL 215	Ethics (Humanities Core)	3
NUR 227	Pathophysiology in Nursing	3
NUR 260	Found. Of Nursing Practice	6
	Total Credit Hours	16

Year 1	Spring Semester	Cr.
DIET 320	Nutrition	3
Core	Critical Cultural Inquiry	3
NUR 228	Pharmacology in Nursing	3
NUR 265	Foundations of Nursing Practice II	6
	Total Credit Hours	15

Year 2	Fall Semester	Cr.
Core	Social Science Core	3
Core	Aesthetic Core	3
NUR 315	Mental Health & Illness	4
NUR 316	Nursing Care of Adults I	6
	Total Credit Hours	16

Year 2	Spring Semester	Cr.
NUR 317	Nursing Care of Adults II	6
NUR 339	Family Centered Nursing Care	6
Core	Religion Core	3
	Total Credit Hours	15

Year 3	Fall Semester	Cr.
NUR 415	Complex Health Alterations	6
NUR 426	Population Health	4
Core	Historical Reasoning Core	3
	Total Credit Hours	13

Year 3	Spring Semester	Cr.
NUR 429	Competencies for Professional Nursing Practice	6
NUR 436	Transition to Professional Nursing Practice	6
Core	Humanities Core	3
	Total Credit Hours	15

Total Hours: 125**

**The Critical Cultural Inquiry (CCI) requirement can be fulfilled by one of the following: a value-added foreign language course, an approved study-away or study abroad experience or one CCI course. One slot should be allotted for CORE/CCI, but students completing the requirement with study abroad can substitute an elective if necessary to reach 125 hours. If students are continuing a language study, it is preferable to take the course during the first semester of the first year.*

The **Bachelor of Science in Nursing** degree is comprised of the following types of courses:

- **Institutional core courses** (these are taken by ALL AU students, AKA "Core" or "Gen Ed" courses)
- **Prerequisite, non-nursing courses** required by the nursing major which provide a foundation for nursing coursework (such as BIO 222/223, MATH 108 and CHEM 253 in the CCP Pathway).
- **Courses in the nursing major** (such as those courses with the NUR prefix in the 3-Year Curriculum Track above). Students must apply and be admitted to the nursing program before taking any NUR coursework, other than NUR 110/210.
- ****Total hours:** (CCP Nursing Academy, 35 hours) + (3-Year Traditional Track above, 90 hours) = 125 credit hours