

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (2018/19 catalog)

Pre-Nursing Courses Required for Admission

Oakland University Courses	Northwestern Michigan Courses
BIO 1200	BIO 115
BIO 1006	(BIO 227 and 228) accepted
CHM 1040	CHM 101
CHM 2010	(CHM 250 and 250L) accepted
PSY 1000	PSY 101
PHL 1100 or 1300	PHL 101 or 201
WRT 1060	ENG 112
MTH 0661 or Show Proficiency*	MTH 023

*This requirement is waived for students who:

- Receive a score of 18 or higher on the mathematics portion of the ACT.
- Receive a score of 440 or higher on the mathematics portion of the old SAT or 480 or higher on the new SAT.
- Have taken an Oakland University Placement Test and have placed into MTH 0662, or higher.
- Successfully completed a higher-level math course with a grade of a 2.0 or higher, not including statistics courses.

Additional Requirements for BSN Program

PSY 2250	PSY 211
BIO 3520	No Equivalent

MICHIGAN TRANSFER AGREEMENTS:

In many cases, it is to a student's advantage to complete the MTA or MACRAO agreement when fulfilling General Education requirements. This may allow for more flexibility when creating a schedule while at your community college. When choosing to complete MTA or MACRAO, please confirm the best courses to take to fulfill the agreement with your academic adviser at Northwestern or [MTA Approved Courses](#).

Additional course requirements for MTA when following this major guide (minimum 30 credit hours required for MTA):

MTA Approved Math
MTA Approved Social Science
MTA Approved Humanities

SPECIAL NOTE REGARDING MTA OR MACRAO: In some cases, completing the MTA or MACRAO agreement is not as practical. When using MTA or MACRAO, your ability to make the most efficient course selections at OU may be impacted depending on your accumulated credits and chosen OU major. For more details on whether or not it is recommended for you to complete MTA or MACRAO, please consult with an OU academic adviser.

If you plan to transfer without completing a transfer agreement, please reference the table below for courses that satisfy individual categories.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

40 credits are required from categories 1-10. Each of these categories must be fulfilled by completing one course of at least 3 or more credits. A course may not be used in more than one of these categories. Please see OU Catalog for further information.

1. Writing Foundations	Satisfied by ENG 112
2. Formal Reasoning	MTH 116, 131, 141, 206
3. Arts	ART 111, 112; MUS 110, 111, 129
4. Foreign Language and Culture	FRN, SPN 101, 102, 201, 202
5. Global Perspective	ANT 113; GEO 109; HUM 116; PHL 122
6. Literature	ENG 254, 261, 262, 263, 267
7. Natural Science and Technology	Satisfied by BIO 115; CHM 101
8. Social Science	Satisfied by PSY 101
9. Western Civilization	Satisfied by PHL 101, 201
10. Knowledge Applications	Satisfied by PSY 211
U.S. Diversity – May double count with categories 1-10	NRS 2231 completed at OU
Capstone & Writing Intensive in the Major	Writing Intensive Major- NRS 3071 & Capstone- NRS 4125 completed at OU

Students who complete MTA or MACRAO according to this guide satisfy general education categories 1-9 and U.S. Diversity.

NOTES:

To make an appointment with an academic adviser in the School of Nursing please e-mail nrsinfo@oakland.edu or call (248) 370-4253.

The School of Nursing advising department recommends attending a BSN program advising session. Dates can be found here [Group Advising Sessions](#)
Typically sessions are held once a month. If you want to get a head start on the information discussed at the session check out [BSN Advising Session](#)

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TALKING POINTS:

Numerous ways to get involved on campus through student organizations geared towards nurses. Find out more information at [Student Organizations](#)

Recent Study Abroad trips to China and Italy specifically for nursing students. Check out more information on [Italy](#) or [China](#) Not sold yet, hear what OU students had to say about the Italy trip [OU Students Study Abroad](#)

Check out scholarships available for students in the BSN program at [Scholarships](#) under the Current Undergraduate tab

Check out the [Simulation Lab](#) to get an idea of what you could be working with!!