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Change of Major Info Session

Who can apply?

- Current AU students during two entry points. Last chance to change into nursing is fall semester of your sophomore year.

What are the requirements?

For first-year spring semester applicants:

- Successful completion of BIO 160 Concepts in Biology w/lab with a final grade of B- or higher

For fall semester applicants:

- Successful completion of BIO 160 w/lab with a final grade of B- or higher AND
- Enrollment in or completion of BIO 210 Genetics w/lab, BIO 240 Human Anatomy w/lab and CHE 102 Chem Fundamentals by end of spring semester. Both BIO courses require a minimum grade of B- or higher in order to qualify for an opportunity to apply to the nursing program.



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Can I use my AP BIO credits from high school?

- Yes, if the credits have already been successfully accepted by AU, you do not need to take or be enrolled in BIO 160 (and lab) to apply

What if I haven't completed BIO 160, BIO 210, BIO 240, or CHE 102 and am not currently enrolled?

- All qualified applicants need to have taken BIO 160 in their fall semester and need to be currently enrolled in BIO 210, BIO 240, and CHE 102. Your courses need to align with students currently enrolled in nursing.



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What does a typical nursing course plan look like?



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TYPICAL SCHEDULE FOR NURSING STUDENTS

<u>Semester I Courses</u>	<u>CR Hrs</u>	<u>Semester II Courses</u>	<u>CR Hrs</u>
BIO 150 Biological Principles w/lab	4	BIO 240 Human Anatomy w/lab	4
CHE 102 Chem Fund for Health Sciences	1	BIO 250 Microbiology w/lab	4
ENG 130 Writing in the University (Cornerstone)	3	ENG 140 Lit & Its Interpretation (Cornerstone)	3
Foreign language or Math (Pillar)	3	HUS 121 Human Development & Disability (Pillar)	3
HSC 100 Systems Approach to Deliv Health	3	2 nd Philosophy or Theology (Cornerstone)	3
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Total Credit Hours	17	Total Credit Hours	17
<u>Semester III Courses</u>	<u>CR Hrs</u>	<u>Semester IV Courses</u>	<u>CR Hrs</u>
BIO 370 General Physiology w/lab	4	NUR 100 Introduction to Professional Nursing	3
Math or Foreign Language (Pillar)	3	NUR 204 Pathopharmacological Processes	3
History (Pillar)	3	Elective	3
PSY 224 Statistics	3	Forum course	3
Theology or Philosophy (Cornerstone)	3	2 nd Theology or Philosophy (Cornerstone)	3
Total Credit Hours	16	Total Credit Hours	15

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<u>Semester V Courses</u>		<u>CR Hrs</u>	<u>Semester VI Courses</u>		<u>CR Hrs</u>
NUR 200 Fundamentals of Professional Nursing		4	NUR 300 Professional Nursing		3
NUR 201 Fundamentals of Professional Nursing Clinical		3	NUR 301 Professional Nursing Clinical		3
NUR 210 Professional Nursing Concepts		3	NUR 310 Evidence Based Nursing Practice		2
NUR 304 Pathopharmacological Therapeutics		3	NUR 312 Promoting Mental Health		3
BIO 110 Nutrition		3	NUR 313 Promoting Mental Health Clinical		1
Total Credit Hours		16	Total Credit Hours		15
<u>Semester VII Courses</u>		<u>CR Hrs</u>	<u>Semester VIII Courses</u>		<u>CR Hrs</u>
NUR 400 Complexities of Professional Nursing		3	NUR 410 Clinical Judgment Seminar		2
NUR 401 Complexities of Professional Nursing Clinic		2	NUR 412 Promoting Global Health		3
NUR 420 Promoting Family Health		4	NUR 413 Promoting Global Health Clinical		2
NUR 421 Promoting Family Health Clinical		3	NUR 490 Transition to Prof Nursing Practice		3
PHI 311 Biomed Ethics or THE 341 Moral Issues in Med		3	NUR 491 Transition to Prof Nursing Practice Clinical		3
			Fine Art (Pillar)		3
Total Credit Hours		15	Total Credit Hours		16

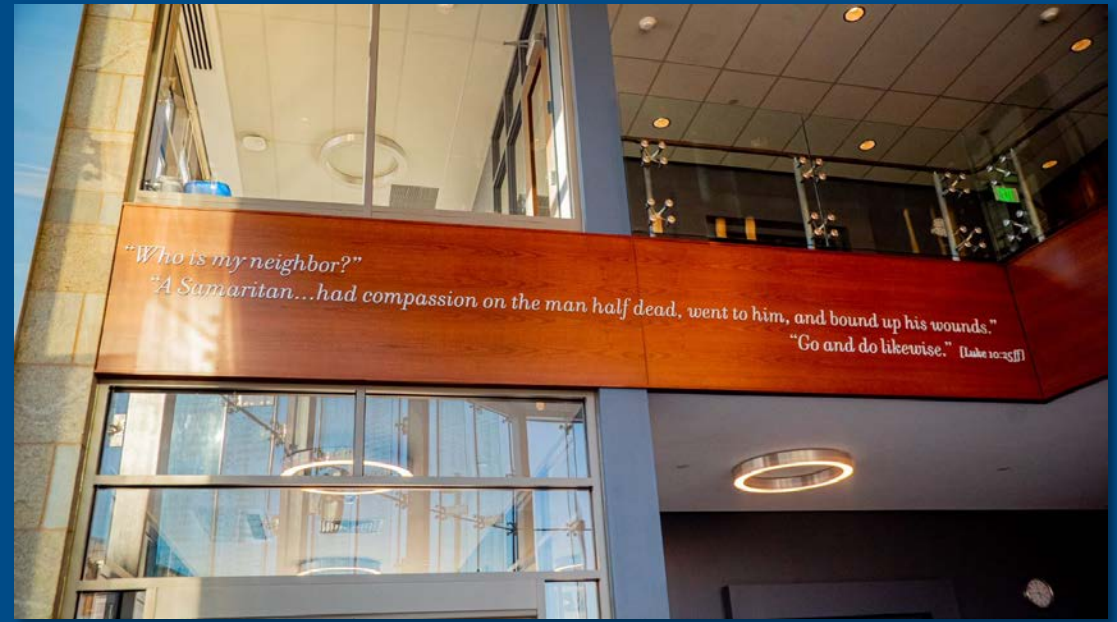
- All nursing courses and their pre-requisites require a benchmark grade of B- or higher.
- Nursing students must have at least a B- or above (2.7 GPA) to graduate.
- Nursing students graduate with 127 credits as opposed to the standard 120 credits.



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How many change of major students will be accepted into the Froelich School of Nursing?



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That is the \$1M question!

Available seats are determined by a number of factors and the exact number is not known until the end of each semester after final grades are posted. There is a possibility that NO seats will be available. The FSoN also reserves the right not to fill any open seats.



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How do I apply?

- Download the Change of Major forms from: <https://www.assumption.edu/undergraduate/nursing>
- Follow the instructions
- Put some thought into your personal statement
- Compose a professional resume
- Reach out to faculty for letters of recommendations
- Submit all the proper documentation by the deadline and according to the instructions



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All correspondence should be emailed to: fsonnfastudentaffairs@assumption.edu

Deadlines:

- Letters of Intent

Spring Semester 1 st Year	Fall Semester 2 nd Year
4 pm 1 st Fri of Nov	4 pm 1 st Fri of Mar

- Applications

Spring Semester 1 st Year	Fall Semester 2 nd Year
4 pm on Dec 1st	4 pm on May 1st

*If December 1 or May 1 falls on a weekend, the application is due by the following Monday.

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Review of applications:

- After final grades are posted
- Pre-determined weighted criteria in rank order

How will I find out if I'm offered a seat?

- Applicants will be notified via Assumption email
- Qualified applicants who are not accepted for spring admission will remain on a waitlist in rank order



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Evaluation rubric:

Item	Max Points	Earned Points
Current professional resume	10	
Personal statement	20	
Cumulative GPA	40	
Letter of recommendation 1	15	
Letter of recommendation 2	15	
TOTAL	100	

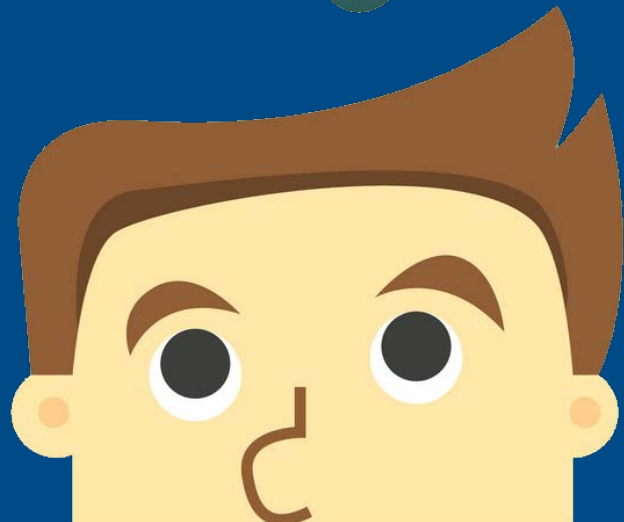


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Questions?



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**Thank you for
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