

RN-BSN Paradigm Requirements

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| Advanced-Standing Nursing Credits from previous Nursing Program | Credits: |
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| Required General Education and Collateral Courses (57 credits) | | | | |
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| x | Course | Title | Credits | Grade |
| | PSYC 101 | Introduction to Psychology | 3 | |
| | MATH 107 | College Algebra or higher | 3 | |
| | RLST 105 | Franciscan Goals* | 3 | |
| | FNAR | Fine Arts Elective | 3 | |
| | SOC 101 | General Sociology | 3 | |
| | HIST | History 100-200 level | 3 | |
| | WRIT 102 | Research Writing | 3 | |
| | LIT 104 | Introduction to Literature or LIT 201, 202, 204, 207, 270 | 3 | |
| | STATS 205 | Essentials of Statistics | 3 | |
| | PHIL 205 | Discovering Philosophy | 3 | |
| | LANG | Language 112 or higher | 3 | |
| | PHIL/RLST | Philosophy or Religion | 3 | |
| | BIOL 214 | Microbiology | 4 | |
| | BIOL 205 | Anatomy & Physiology I | 4 | |
| | BIOL 206 | Anatomy & Physiology II | 4 | |
| | Elective | Economics, Political Science, Psychology or Sociology | 3 | |
| | Elective | Free | 3 | |
| | CORE 407 | Senior Capstone | 3 | |

*Must be taken at SFU

| Required RN-BSN Nursing Courses (25 credits) | | | | |
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| | NURS 471 | Professional Nursing Concepts for RNs | 3 | |
| | NURS 472 | Information Literacy and Writing Skills for RNs | 1 | |
| | NURS 473 | Community Health And Population Focused Health Care for RNs | 4 | |
| | NURS 474 | Health Care Policy and Ethics for RNs | 3 | |
| | NURS 475 | Research and Scholarship for Evidenced-Based Practice for RNs | 3 | |
| | NURS 476 | Information Management and Application of Patient Care Technologies | 3 | |
| | NURS 477 | Practice-Focused Nursing Care for the Professional RN | 4 | |
| | NURS 478 | Management, Leadership, and Quality Care for RNs | 4 | |

| Nursing Elective (2 credits) | | | | |
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| | NURS 334 | Principles of Cross Cultural Healthcare | 2 | |



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First Academic Year

| Fall Semester | | Spring Semester | | Summer Semester | |
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| Course | Credits | Course | Credits | Course | Credits |
| 7 Weeks NURS 471 Professional Nursing Concepts for RNs | 3 Credits Theory | 7 Weeks NURS 475 Research and Evidenced-Based Practice for RNs | 3 Credits Theory | 7 Weeks NURS 477 Practice- Focused Nursing Care for the Professional RN | 3 Credits Theory 1 Credit Clinical |
| 7 Weeks NURS 472 Information Literacy and Writing Skills for RNs | 1 Credit Theory | 7 Weeks NURS 473 Community Health and Population Focused Health Care for RNs | 3 Credits Theory 1 Credit Clinical | 7 Weeks NURS 474 Health Care Policy & Ethics for RNs | 3 Credits Theory |
| Total Number of Credits | 4 Credits | | 7 Credits | | 7 Credits |

Second Academic Year

| Fall Semester | | | | | |
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| Course | Credits | | | | |
| 7 Weeks NURS 476 Information Management and Application of Patient Care Technologies | 3 Credits Theory | | | | |
| 7 Weeks NURS 478 Management, Leadership, and Quality Car for RNs | 3 Credits Theory 1 Credit Clinical | | | | |
| Total Number of Credits | 7 Credits | | | | |

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| Total number of nursing credits in program | 25 Total Credits |
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First Academic Year

| Fall Semester | | Spring Semester | | Summer Semester | |
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| Course | Credits | Course | Credits | Course | Credits |
| 7 Weeks NURS 471 Professional Nursing Concepts for RNs | 3 Credits Theory | 7 Weeks NURS 474 Health Care Policy & Ethics for RNs | 3 Credits Theory | 7 Weeks NURS 476 Information Management and Application of Patient Care Technologies | 3 Credits Theory |
| 7 Weeks NURS 472 Information Literacy and Writing Skills for RNs | 1 Credit Theory | 7 Weeks NURS 473 Community Health and Population Focused Health Care for RNs | 3 Credits Theory 1 Credit Clinical | 7 Weeks NURS 478 Management, Leadership, and Quality Care for RNs | 3 Credits Theory 1 Credit Clinical |
| 7 Weeks NURS 475 Research and Evidenced-Based Practice for RNs | 3 Credits Theory | 7 Weeks NURS 477 Practice- Focused Nursing Care for the Professional RN | 3 Credits Theory 1 Credit Clinical | | |
| Total Number of Credits | 7 Credits | | 11 Credits | | 7 Credits |
| Total number of nursing credits in program | | | | 25 Total Credits | |



Department of Nursing

RN-BSN-MSN L/E Program (36 Nursing Credits)
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First Undergraduate Academic Year

| Fall Semester | | Spring Semester | | Summer Semester | |
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| Course | Credits | Course | Credits | Course | Credits |
| 7 Weeks NURS 471 Professional Nursing Concepts for RNs | 3 Credits Theory | 7 Weeks NURS 475 Research and Evidenced-Based Practice for RNs | 3 Credits Theory | 7 Weeks NURS 477 Practice- Focused Nursing Care for the Professional RN | 3 Credits Theory 1 Credit Clinical |
| 7 Weeks NURS 472 Information Literacy and Writing Skills for RNs | 1 Credit Theory | 7 Weeks NURS 473 Community Health and Population Focused Health Care for RNs | 3 Credits Theory 1 Credit Clinical | 7 Weeks NURS 474 Health Care Policy & Ethics for RNs | 3 Credits Theory |
| | | 7 Weeks MLE 509 Advanced Core Concepts in Health & Illness for Leadership Education | 3 Credits | 7 Weeks MSN 500 Advanced Nursing Practice: Emergence, Theory, and Leadership | 3 Credits |
| Total Number of Credits | 4 Credits | | 10 Credits | | 10 Credits |

Second Undergraduate Academic Year

| Fall Semester | | Spring Semester | | | |
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| Course | Credits | | | | |
| 7 Weeks NURS 476 Information Management and Application of Patient Care Technologies | 3 Credits Theory | 7 Weeks NURS 478 Management, Leadership, and Quality Car for RNs | 3 Credits Theory 1 Credit Clinical | | |
| 15 Weeks MSN 501 Research For Evidenced- Based Practice | 3 Credits | 7 Weeks MSN 502 Leadership for Health Promotion & Disease Prevention | 3 Credits | | |
| Total Number of Credits | 6 Credits | | 7 Credits | | |

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| Total number of nursing undergraduate credits in program | 37 Total Credits |
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First Graduate Academic Year

| Fall Semester | | Spring Semester | | Summer Semester | |
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| Course | Credits | Course | Credits | Course | Credits |
| | | | | 15 Weeks MLE 619 Leadership in Measurement & Outcomes Evaluation | 3 Credits |
| | | | | 7 Weeks MSN 510 Interprofessional Communication & Collaboration | 3 Credits |
| | | | | 7 Weeks MLE 624 | 1 Credit |
| Total Number of Credits | | | | | 7 Credits |

Second Graduate Academic Year

| Fall Semester | | Spring Semester | | Summer | |
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| Course | Credits | | | | |
| 15 Weeks MLE 630 Leading Quality Initiatives in Service & Education | 2 Credits Theory 2 Credits Clinical | 15 Weeks MLE 640 Leadership Practicum | 3 Credits | | |
| 15 Weeks MLE 626 | 2 Credits | 15 Weeks MLE 620 Economics & Fiscal Management for Nurse Leaders | 2 Credits | | |
| | | 15 Weeks MSN 515 | 3 Credits | | |
| Total Number of Credits | 5 Credits | | 8 Credits | | |

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| Total number of graduate credits in program | 21 Total Credits |
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