

Bachelor of Science in Nursing for RNs: Post-Licensure

Global Studies Cognate

2024-2025 Degree Completion Plan

ONLINE

This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2024 through summer 2025. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates.

GENERAL EDUCATION/

	IONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS						**	C	
Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade	Course		<u>Hrs</u>	Sem	Grad
	tion & Information Literacy (12 hou					lational Courses (15-28 hours)			
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3			BIOL 204	Microbiology for Nursing Profession ^{3,4}	4		
	Communications Elective	3			BIOL 213	Human Anatomy & Physiology I ^{3,4,5}	3		
	Information Literacy Elective	3			BIOL 214	Human Anatomy & Physiology I Lab ^{3,4,5}	1		
	Information Literacy Elective	3			BIOL 215	Human Anatomy & Physiology II ^{3,4,5}	3		
					BIOL 216	Human Anatomy & Physiology II Lab ^{3,4,5}	1		
Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (3-6 hours) ¹					CHEM 108	Chemistry for Health Sci. Professionals ^{3,4}	4		
UNIV 104	Instructional Tech. for Online Learning	0-3			MATH 202	Professional Statistics ^{3,4}	3		
MATH	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3			PHIL 380	Biomedical Ethics ^{3,4}	3		-
					PSYC 101	General Psychology ^{3,4}	3		
Critical Thinking (7 hours) ¹					PSYC 210	Developmental Psychology ^{3,4}	3		
RLGN 104	Christian Life & Biblical Worldview ²	4							
	Critical Thinking Elective	3			MAJOR				
						Core (62 hours)			
Civic & Glo	bal Engagement (3 hours) ¹				NURS 105	Medical Terminology ⁶	1		
	Cultural Studies Elective	3			NURS 211	Post-licensure Health Assessment ⁴	3		
					NURS 215	Post-licensure Pathophysiology ⁴	3		
Social & Sci	entific Inquiry (6 hours) ¹				NURS 220	Advanced Nursing Communication ⁷	3		
	Natural Science Elective	3			NURS 221	Fundamentals in Nursing ⁶	4		
	Social Science Elective	3			NURS 226	Post-licensure Research in Nursing	3		
					NURS 301	Strategies for Adult Health Care I ⁶	5		
Christianity & Contexts (8 hours) ¹					NURS 302	Strategies for Adult Health Care II ⁶	5		
BIBL 104	Survey of Old & New Testament	4			NURS 305	Pharmacology ⁶	2		
THEO 104	Introduction to Theology Survey ²	4			NURS 306	Pharmacology II ⁶	2		
					NURS 325	Nursing Concepts	3		
					NURS 352	Caring for the Childbearing Family I ⁶	4		
					NURS 353	Caring for the Childbearing Family II ⁶	4		
					NURS 440	Post-lic Strat for Community Heath Care	4		
					NURS 446	Post-licensure Population Health	3		
					NURS 460	Adv. Strategies for Adult Health Care ⁶	4		
					NURS 489	Leadership in Nursing	3		
					NURS 491	Nursing Management	3		
					NURS 492	Adv. Concepts of Nursing Practice	3		
						Cognate (12 hours)			
					GLST 200	Introduction to Global Studies	3		
					GLST 220	Intercultural Coms. & Engagement	3		
					GLST 290	Cultural Anthropology	3		
						Global Studies Elective ⁸	3		

Graduation Requirements

128 Total Hours2.5 Overall grade point average

32 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)

Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major

49% Of major taken through Liberty University

32 Hours must be completed through Liberty University

Grad App Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

All applicable prerequisites must be met

Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

²Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirement of RLGN 104 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirement of THEO 104 waived

3Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened

Minimum grade of "C" is required

⁵Prior Learning Assessment (PLA) Credit will be given for BIOL 213, 214, 215 and 216 for RN students with a current and active Nursing License

These courses will be satisfied automatically for RNs

NURS 220 requires a background check as a course assignment and must be taken as the first Nursing course to help set a foundation for the remaining Nursing coursework

Choose NURS 316, 415, or a 300-400 level GLST course not already required in the major. NURS 316 or 415 is strongly recommended for the Global Studies Cognate.

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FIRST YEAR

First Semester			Second Semester									
BIBL 104		4	CHEM 108 ³		4							
ENGL 101		3	Information Literacy Elective ¹		3							
UNIV 104		0-3	Math Elective ¹ [MATH 202 ³]		3							
Communications Elective ¹		3	GLST 200		<u>3</u>							
NURS 220 ²		<u>3</u>		Total	13							
	Total	13-16										
SECOND YEAR												
Information Literacy Elective ¹		3	RLGN 104		4							
GLST 220		3	THEO 104		4							
NURS 211 ³		3	Social Science Elective ¹ [PSYC 101 ³]		3							
NURS 215 ³		3	GLST 290		3							
NURS 226		3	NURS 440		3							
NURS 325		<u>3</u>		Total	17							
	Total	18										
	ŗ	THIRD YE	AR									
Natural Science Elective ¹ [BIOL 204 ³]		4	PSYC 210 ³		3							
NURS 446		3	Critical Thinking Elective ¹ [PHIL 380 ⁻¹	³]	3							
NURS 489		3	Cultural Studies Elective ¹		3							
NURS 491		3	NURS 492		<u>3</u>							
Global Studies Elective ⁴		<u>3</u>		Total	12							
	Total	16										

Notes

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