

COURSES REQUIRED FOR UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE, KNOXVILLE, NURSING PROGRAM (BSN)

Students completing these courses will meet the minimum course requirements for admission into the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, College of Nursing. However, preference for admission is given to students completing the Pre-nursing Articulation Agreement between PSTCC and UTK, found on a PSTCC document titled, UTK Articulation Agreement, Pre-nursing (GS37), available at http://www.pstcc.edu/departments/curriculum_and_instruction/utk0708/GS37.pdf. The articulation agreement includes the courses on this checklist, with the addition of SPH 2100 (which must be taken at PSTCC), and the omission of BIOL2400 (which may be taken at UTK during the summer before beginning nursing school). Not all students are eligible to follow the articulation agreement; your pre-nursing advisor can assist you with this. See important notes below table.

Course (PSTCC)	Course (UTK)	Semester Hours	Completed	Grade
ENGL 1010 - English Composition I	English 101	3		
ENGL 1020 - English Composition II	English 102	3		
BIOL 1110 – General Biology I	Biology 101	4		
MATH 1830 – Basic Calculus and Modeling (Note that students must take MATH 1130 before MATH 1830 if they do not have an ACT math score of at least 23.)	Mathematics 125	4		
MATH 2050 – Introduction to Statistics	Statistics 201	3		
BIOL 2130 - Microbiology (formerly BIOL 2230) (Prerequisite: BIOL 1110, BIOL 2010, or CHEM 1010)	Microbiology 210	4 (formerly 3 hrs.)		
BIOL 2010 – Human Anatomy and Physiology I	Ecology and Evol. Biology 240 and Biochem. & Cellular & Molecular Biol. 230	4		
BIOL 2020 – Human Anatomy and Physiology II		4		
BIOL 2400 – Principles of Nutrition (may be taken at PSTCC or at UTK the summer before starting nursing school) (One semester of A&P or Chemistry is a pre-requisite to take Nutrition at PSTCC.)	Nutrition 100	3		
CHEM 1010 – Principles of Chemistry (or CHEM 1110)	Chemistry 100	4		
CHEM 1020 – Basic Organic and Biochemistry (or CHEM 1120)	Chemistry 110	4		
<i>Cultures and Civilizations</i> – Choose two from the following: HIST 1010, 1020, 1110, 1120 (a sequence is not necessary); or an intermediate foreign language sequence (FREN 2010-2020, GERM 2010-2020, or SPAN 2010-2020)*		3		
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PSY 1010 – General Psychology	Psychology 110	3		
Sociology or Anthropology – Choose one from the following: ANT 1100, 1200, 1300; SOC 1010, 1020	Sociology or Anthropology	3		
<i>Arts and Humanities</i> – Choose two from the following: ART 1720, 1730; ENGL 2210, 2220, 2310, 2320, 2110, 2120, 2331, 2510, 2520; MUS 1030; PHIL 1030; THEA 1030**		3		
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PSY 2400 – Human Development through the Lifespan	Child and Family Studies 210	3		
PHIL 2450 – Medical Ethics	Philosophy 246	3		
SPH 2100 – Public Speaking (required only of students following PSTCC/UTK nursing articulation agreement)		3		
Nursing course to be taken at UTK during the spring or summer prior to beginning nursing school – not offered by PSTCC	Nursing 201	2		

Completion of these courses does not guarantee admission into UTK's Nursing Program. An application for admission into the UTK College of Nursing must be submitted and the student must be accepted. Acceptance is substantially improved by a high GPA. Students who have completed most of the science and math courses and have excellent grades in them are given priority. Preference is given to students who have completed the PSTCC/UTK pre-nursing articulation agreement. See note at top of this sheet.

Students must apply to both the university and to the College of Nursing. Students should check with the university and with nursing to determine application deadlines, which may be well in advance of the entrance dates.

Note that course requirements may change. It is the student's responsibility to check with the UTK College of Nursing to make sure all courses will transfer and are acceptable. This is especially true if the courses were taken at other colleges or universities. See the UTK Catalog for more information on admission requirements for the university and for the College of Nursing.

Completion of these courses does not ensure an AS degree from PSTCC. Additional courses may be required; see your PSTCC advisor for more information.

This checklist is not intended to replace your advisor. See your pre-nursing advisor for assistance in planning your coursework!

*PHIL 2010 and ANT 1200 meet UT's Cultural and Civilizations requirement, but does not meet PSTCC's History requirement.

**MUS 1020 meets UT's Arts and Humanities requirement, but it does not meet PSTCC's Humanities requirement.

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