



UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON BOTHELL

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School of Nursing & Health Studies

Admissions Planning Worksheet

Name: _____ Qtr/Year to enroll: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Advisor Name: _____ Date: _____

Advisor Email: _____

Minimum University Admission Requirements

<input type="checkbox"/> World Languages	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate Algebra	<input type="checkbox"/> Cum. College Transfer GPA (2.0 min.) _____
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English Language Proficiency Required Completed Projected to be completed by ____/____

Proof of English language proficiency is required for all students who did not complete most of their primary and secondary education in the United States, Australia, Canada, Ireland, New Zealand, or the United Kingdom.

<input type="checkbox"/> TOEFL / IELTS OPTION		<input type="checkbox"/> 90 CREDITS OPTION	
	<i>TOEFL</i>	<i>IELTS</i>	
Satisfies EP	<input type="checkbox"/> 83+	<input type="checkbox"/> 6.5+	<input type="checkbox"/> 90 transferable credits <input type="checkbox"/> (3.0) ENGL 131 <i>English Composition</i> _____
Requires B WRIT in first 2 Quarters	<input type="checkbox"/> 76-82	<input type="checkbox"/> 6.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.75 min cum GPA <input type="checkbox"/> (3.0) ENGL 141 <i>Writing from Research</i> _____
<small>NOTE: Scores valid for 2 years</small>			

<input type="checkbox"/> INTENSIVE ENGLISH PROGRAM AT UWS OPTION	<input type="checkbox"/> HIGH SCHOOL OPTION
Must complete the following: <input type="checkbox"/> Complete the level 5 in IEP <input type="checkbox"/> Contact uwbintl@uw.edu after taking the IEP Placement test	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 years of HS English (3.0+ in each) <input type="checkbox"/> SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (560+) OR SAT CR (500+) OR ACT English (21+)
<small>NOTE: scores valid for 5 years</small>	

UW Area of Knowledge

VLPA (15 CREDITS)	CR.	NW (15 CREDITS)	CR.	I&S (15 CREDITS)	CR.
TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL	

❖ **Nursing** applicants can apply with a minimum of 5 credits of I&S coursework and 10 credits of VLPA coursework.

Health Studies applicants can have a minimum of 10 credits in each area.

VLPA = Visual, Literary, and Performing Arts

ex. art, literature, drama, speech, music, linguistics...

NW = Natural World

ex. biology, chemistry, physics, math, geology...

I&S = Individuals and Society

ex. history, psychology, economics, philosophy...

Find out how courses from your Washington Community College will transfer to the UW Bothell:

<http://admit.washington.edu/EquivalencyGuide>
<http://myplan.uw.edu/transferplanner>

Major Admission Requirements

Nursing RN-BSN

- Bothell (Autumn / Summer) Seattle Site, Harborview Medical Center (Autumn)
For RNs employed at one of the following employers: Harborview, Swedish, UW Medical Center & Virginia Mason, Northwest, Valley Medical, Bailey-Boushay House, or Seattle Cancer Care Alliance.
- Everett Site, Everett Community College (Autumn / Winter)

1. Applicants to the RN-BSN program must complete the following:

Prerequisite ❖	Transfer Course	Grade
Statistics ** (4-5 qtr. credits)		
English Composition		
Chemistry with lab		
Microbiology (3-5 qtr. credits)		
A & P 1 with lab (min. 5 qtr. credits)		
A & P 2 with lab (min. 5 qtr. credits)		
Prerequisite GPA:		

❖ *These requirements are in addition to UW Area of Knowledge Requirements*

** <http://nursing.uw.edu/sites/prod/files/wysiwyg/Approved-Statistics-Courses.pdf>

2. Applicants to the RN-BSN program must also complete:

- 90 transferrable college credits (qtr hour) NCLEX (can show proof after admission)
- National and State Background Check

Health Studies (Autumn / Winter / Spring)

1. Applicants to Health Studies must complete the following:

Prerequisite	Transfer Course	Grade
English Composition		
Advanced English Composition		
Quantitative Symbolic Reasoning (QSR) course		
Statistics (recommended) ♦		

♦ *Any introductory level statistics course is acceptable.*

Statistics will also meet QSR requirement.

2. Applicants to the Health Studies program must also complete:

- 30 or more transferrable college credits (qtr. hour) at time of application.

Nursing/Health Studies Prerequisite Courses and Equivalencies

Prerequisite Course	UW Equivalency	WA CTC / Common Course (if available)
Statistics*	Q METH 201 or STAT 220 or STAT 311	MATH& 146
English Composition	ENGL 131	ENGL& 101
Advanced Composition	ENGL 182	ENGL& 102
Chemistry with lab	CHEM 120	CHEM& 121
Microbiology (3-5 cr.)	MICROM 301, 302	BIOL& 260
Anatomy & Physiology	BIOL 118, 119 + B STR 301	BIOL& 241 + BIOL& 242 or BIOL& 231, 232

*The School of Nursing & Health Studies maintains a list of acceptable statistics courses:

<https://nursing.uw.edu/sites/prod/files/wysiwyg/Admissions/Approved-Statistics-Courses.pdf>

Application Requirements

- Submit official transcripts from *all schools attended* to the UW Bothell Admissions Office
- Apply Online:
 - Personal Statement (Word count 650)
 - NURSING ONLY (Two letters of recommendation: RN-BSN form)
 - NURSING ONLY (Resume)

APPLICATION REVIEW

All applications are holistically reviewed and admission is based on a summation of the following:

- Preparation for your major as indicated by the grades earned in courses required for admission
- GPA, with an emphasis on grades earned in your selected major courses
- Evidence of a commitment to your selected major
- Personal statement reflecting an interest in and commitment to major
- Official transcripts/documentation from all schools attended

Our intention of listing "competitive applicant" profiles is not to overstate the importance of grades, but to offer some guidance as you plan for transfer. If you find yourself finished with prerequisite coursework but you fall short of our competitive applicant profile, you are still encouraged to apply.

Competitive applicants to **RN-BSN** will have the following:

1. Nursing major prerequisites complete or in-progress at time of application.
2. Complete or in-progress at the time of application of the following UW Area of Knowledge:
 - 10 credits of Visual, Literary and Performing Arts (VLPA)
 - 5 credits of Individuals & Societies (I&S)
3. A minimum cumulative college GPA of 3.0.
4. A minimum BSN prerequisite GPA of 3.2.
5. A well composed and developed personal statement that effectively answers the nursing prompts found on the application.
6. Two recommendations that support entry and success in the nursing major:
 - 1. Academic Recommendation:** A nursing instructor who knows your academic work is preferred over a nursing program director when possible.
 - 2. Professional Recommendation:** A nursing or health care related supervisor recommendation is preferred.

*See the RN to BSN admissions page for complete details and options regarding the required recommendations in case you are not employed in healthcare or have graduated from nursing school more than 5 years ago.

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Competitive applicants to **Health Studies** will have the following:

1. All prerequisites and preferred requirements complete.
2. A minimum cumulative college GPA of 3.0.
3. A minimum grade of 3.0 in both required composition courses.
4. A personal statement that includes the following components:
 - a.** Well organized and fully developed.
 - b.** Few spelling and grammatical errors.
 - c.** Demonstrates, with examples, the motivation for pursuing a Health Studies degree.
 - d.** Demonstrates an understanding of what the Health Studies major is.

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<http://www.uwb.edu/nhs>

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