

2+2 NURSING (Generic Option)

Rochester Community and Technical College (RCTC) & Winona State University (WSU)

The first two years provides the Associate in Science (A.S.) in Liberal Arts & Sciences at RCTC; the second two years provides the Bachelor in Science (B.S.) degree in Nursing at WSU.

I. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS.....56 Credits

Courses must be selected from those approved to satisfy the competencies of the Minnesota transfer Curriculum (MNTC), Goals 1-10. Consult the RCTC catalog listings to determine the specific courses that apply to areas below. Some courses may be used to meet a Goal in 1-6 AND one Goal in 7-10. All ten goal areas must be met.

GOAL 1: WRITTEN AND ORAL COMMUNICATION (CM).....11 Cr

ENGL 1117*, 1118* Reading & Writing Critically I & II, 8 cr
SPCH 1114, Fundamentals of Speech **OR** SPCH 1130, Interpersonal Communications, 3 cr

GOAL 2: CRITICAL THINKING (CT)..... MET BY ANY GOAL 1-10 COURSE

GOAL 3: NATURAL SCIENCES (NS).....16 Cr

BIOL 1217 Anatomy and Physiology I, 4 cr
BIOL 1218 Anatomy and Physiology II, 4 cr
BIOL 2021 General Microbiology, 4 cr
CHEM 1117 General, Organic and Biological Chemistry I, 4 cr

GOAL 4: MATHEMATICS/LOGICAL REASONING (MA).....4 Cr

MATH 2208 Fundamentals of Statistics, 4 cr

GOAL 5: HISTORY AND SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (SS).....16 Cr

Three credits from one of the following areas: Anthropology*, Economics*, Geography*, JOUR 1110, History*, Political Science
PSYC 2618 General Psychology, 4 cr
PSYC 2626 Human Growth & Development, 3 cr
SOC 1614 Introduction to Sociology, 3 cr
SOC 2612 Marriage and the Family Across the Life Span, 3 cr

GOAL 6: HUMANITIES – THE ARTS, LITERATURE AND PHILOSOPHY (HA).....9 Cr

Choose from the following disciplines with a minimum of two credits from three different areas: Art, Dance, English Literature, Foreign Culture, Humanities*, JOUR 1106, Music, Philosophy*, Speech/Theatre

Select a Goal 7, 8, 9, 10 course if these areas have not been met by Goals 1, 3, 4, 5, 6.

***Honors equivalent available**

II. Health and Human Performance.....4 Credits

Any combination of Health courses (numbered 1102, 1110, 1111, 1114, 1132, 1135, 2126) and/or Physical Education Courses (numbered 1100-1199).
1 credit may be from Varsity Athletics, (PHED 1210 – 1236; 2210 – 2236)

III. Nursing Core Requirements.....7 Credits

CHEM 1118 General, Organic and Biological Chemistry II, 4 cr
NUTR 1211 Principles of Nutrition, 3 cr

TOTAL.....67 Credits

For more information contact:

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Note: The award of the A.A. degree waives WSU University Studies requirements except for the Flag requirements (See WSU Catalog). Prior to applying to the Nursing program, the follow prerequisite courses must be completed: ENGL 1117/1118 or 1917/1918 **and** four of the following sciences: BIOL 1217, BIOL 1218, BIOL 2021, NUTR 1211, and **both** CHEM 1117 **and** CHEM 1118 (both are needed to meet the chemistry course minimum). All must be completed before a student can begin the Nursing program. MATH 2208 is a prerequisite to WSU's NURS 375.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS AT WSU:

Nursing.....		56 Credits
	NURS 300 Caring Skills I	2 Cr
	NURS 301 Caring Skills II	2 Cr
	NURS 320 Caring Concepts I	3 Cr
	NURS 321 Caring Concepts II	3 Cr
W	NURS 330 Role Development I	3 Cr
	NURS 331 Role Development II	3 Cr
	NURS 345 Health Assessment I	3 Cr
	NURS 346 Health Assessment II	2 Cr
	NURS 360 Pharmacology	1 Cr
	NURS 366 Pathophysiology	3 Cr
W	NURS 375 Nursing Research, Theory and Technology	3 Cr
	NURS 400 Emerging Health Care Systems	2 Cr
	NURS 411 Nursing of Adults and Their Families	2 Cr
	NURS 413 Nursing of Families Experiencing Mental Illness	2 Cr
	NURS 421 Nursing of Childbearing Families	2 C
	NURS 422 Nursing of Childrearing Families	2 Cr
W	NURS 423 Role Development III	4 Cr
	NURS 433 Role Development III Seminar	1 Cr
	NURS 471 Community Health Care	2 Cr
	NURS 472 Leadership/Management in Nursing	2 Cr
	NURS 474 Role Development IV	4 Cr
	NURS 484 Role Development IV Seminar	1 Cr
O	NURS 491 Capstone Experience in Role Synthesis	3 Cr

Nursing Major Electives.....5 Credits
 5 credits of upper-division electives (300-400 level courses); 2 of these credits must be nursing electives.

Note: W, O and M = Flag Courses (See WSU Catalog).

Open Electives.....3 Credits

TOTAL CREDITS.....64 Credits

REQUIRED FOR A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (BS) NURSING.....128 Credits

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