

**Southwestern Oklahoma State University**

**Advisement Form: Nursing - LPN to BSN, Bachelor of Science**

**Program Requirements**

<b>General Education: Communications</b>			
<b>Bolded courses require a C or higher</b>			
Course Name and Number	Semester/YR	Grade	Notes
ENGL-1113 - English Composition I			
<b>ENGL-1213 - English Composition II</b>			
Complete of course from the following options:  COMM-1313 - Intro Public Speaking TECH 3143 - Technical Presentations			
<b>General Education: Quantitative Reasoning</b>			
<b>Bolded courses require a C or higher</b>			
Course Name and Number	Semester/YR	Grade	Notes
Complete one course from the following options:  <b>MATH-1143 – Math Concepts</b> <b>MATH-1153 – Math Applications</b> <b>MATH-1513 – College Algebra</b> <b>MATH-1613 – College Trigonometry</b> <b>MATH-1834 – Calculus 1</b> <b>MATH-2823 – Applied Calculus</b>			
<b>General Education: US History</b>			
Course Name and Number	Semester/YR	Grade	Notes
Complete one course from the following options:  HIST 1043 - U.S. History To 1877 HIST 1053 - U.S. History Since 1877			
<b>General Education: American Government</b>			
Course Name and Number	Semester/YR	Grade	Notes
POLSC 1103 American Government & Politics			

**General Education: Science**

Complete the following required science courses. Courses in bold require at least a C.

Course Name and Number	Semester/YR	Grade	Notes
Complete one Life Science with lab from this list: <b>BIOL 1004 – Biological Concepts</b> <b>BIOL 1054 – Biological Principles 1</b>			
Complete one Physical Science with lab from this list: <b>CHEM 1004- General Chemistry</b> <b>ALHLT 1424 – Introduction to Chemistry</b>			

**General Education: Humanities and Social Sciences**

Complete General Psychology and one course from each sub-category. Courses in bold require at least a C or higher.

Course Name and Number	Semester/YR	Grade	Notes
1. Complete one or more courses from the Humanities sub-category: HIST 1033 -World History GEOG 1103 -World Cultural Geography HUM 1103 -Introduction to Humanities			
2. Complete one or more courses from the Fine Arts sub-category: ART 1223 – Art Survey COMM 1263 – Introduction to Theatre LIT 2333 – Introduction to Film LIT 2413 – Introduction to Literature MUSIC 1123 – History of Rock ‘n’ Roll MUSIC 1013 – Introduction to Music I MUSIC 1103– Music and Culture ( <i>music majors only</i> ) PHILO 1453 – Introduction to Philosophy			

<p>3. Complete General Psychology AND one or more courses from the Social and Human Sciences sub-category:</p> <p><b>PSYCH 1003 - General Psychology</b>  ASL 2163 – American Sign Language  ECONO 2263 – Introduction to Macroeconomics  ECONO 2363 – Introduction to Microeconomics  ENTRP 1123 – Introduction to Business  FINAN 2113 – Personal Financial Planning  ITAL 1004 – Elementary Italian I  KINES 1133 – Wellness Concepts and Exercise Applications  LATIN 1054 – Elementary Latin I (<i>or higher number</i>)  SOCIO 1003 – Introduction to Sociology  SPAN 1054 – Introduction to Spanish I (<i>or higher number</i>)  TECH 1223 – Technology and Society</p>			
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**General Education: Computer Proficiency**

Course Name and Number	Semester/YR	Grade	Notes
<p>COMSC 1023 – Computers and Information Access OR...</p> <p>SWOSU Proficiency Exam OR...</p> <p>High school course clearly defined to meet SWOSU standards goals.  The high school course description should be sent by the high school (not the student) to <a href="mailto:anita.fischer@swosu.edu">anita.fischer@swosu.edu</a> to determine if it will transfer. Submitting a course description does not automatically guarantee it can be accepted.</p>			

**General Education: Elective**  
Students who meet the computer proficiency by exam or High school course must choose an additional General Education course from any category below. Students who have completed COMSC 1023 do not need an additional course from the list below.  
Courses below cannot be used to meet general education courses in any of the other sections above.

Course Name and Number	Semester/YR	Grade	Notes
<p>KINES 1153 - Nutrition  ASTRO 1904 - Astronomy  GEOL 1934/1934L -Physical Geology w/Lab  SCI 1501 - Concepts of Physical Science Lab  SCI 1513 - Concepts of Physical Science without Lab  PHY 1044/1044L - Basic Physics I w/Lab  PHY 1063 - General Physics (<i>or a higher numbered chemistry or physics course</i>)</p>			

## Required Pre-Professional Courses

All courses in this section require at least a C or higher. Courses from Technical or Vocational programs are not considered equivalent.

Course Name and Number	Semester/YR	Grade	Notes
<p>Complete one of the pairs of courses with labs from this list: Paired courses cannot be split.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>BIOL 3704 - Human Anatomy (<i>must have BIOL-1004 or 1054 before taking this course</i>) <u>AND...</u></b></li> <li><b>BIOL 3904 - Human Physiology (<i>must have BIOL-1004 or 1054 before taking this course</i>)</b></li> </ol> <p>OR...</p>			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>ALHLT 2154 - Anatomy &amp; Physiology I for Healthcare Professions <u>AND ...</u></b></li> <li><b>ALHLT 2164 - Anatomy &amp; Physiology II for Healthcare Professionals</b></li> </ol>			
<p>Complete one of the courses with lab from this list:</p> <p><b>BIOL 2354 - Microbiology NURS/ALHLT (<i>must have BIOL-1004 or 10554 &amp; CHEM-1004 or 1203 before taking this course</i>)</b></p> <p><b>BIOL 3355/3344L - General Microbiology (<i>must have BIOL-1054 &amp; CHEM-1203 before taking this course</i>)</b></p> <p><b>ALHLT 2404/2404L- Intro Clinical Microbiology W/ lab</b></p>			
<p><b>PSYCH 3213 - Developmental Psychology (<i>must have PSYCH-1003 before taking this course</i>)</b></p>			
<p>Complete one of the options from this list:</p> <p><b>ALHLT 2453- Medical Terminology</b>  <b>OR Pass the Medical Terminology Challenge Exam</b></p>			
<p>Complete one of the courses from this list:</p> <p><b>PSYCH 2433 Psychological Statistics</b>  <b>ALHLT 3043 Health Statistics with lab (<i>must have taken MATH-1513 or 1143 or 1153 before taking this course</i>)</b>  <b>Any 3-credit hour statistics course</b></p>			
<p>All Applicants must have an active LPN license by the close of the application cycle (May 1<sup>st</sup> or October 1<sup>st</sup>).</p>			

Courses Completed in the LPN – to – BSN Program		
NURS 4703 LPN-BSN Role Transition		
NURS 4733 LPN-Advanced Physical Assessment		
NURS 4766 LPN-Acute and Chronic Care Across the Lifespan and Clinical		
NURS 4756 LPN-Community Health Promotion and clinical		
NURS 4776 LPN-Professional Nursing Leadership and clinical		
NURS 4743 LPN-Issues and Concepts for Professional Practice		
NURS 4723 LPN-Nursing Informatics		
NURS 4713 LPN Evidence-Based Practice		
Up to 30 Advanced Standing Credits		
For Current LPNs, up to 30 advanced standing credits can meet the Professional Requirements of the program. These requirements can be satisfied by one of the following options. Students will be assessed \$5 per advanced standing credit hour (\$150 total) if accepted into the program.		
Passing the National League of Nurse’s NACE Challenge Exams with a 70% on both exams.	This option is required for ALL students submitting a nursing application. NACE scores need to be received by the close of the application cycle (May 1 <sup>st</sup> or October 1 <sup>st</sup> ).	
Passing the NACE Remediation Exam with 90%, if applicable.	This option is for students accepted into the Nursing Program only.	
Passing the following courses/clinical in the SWOSU Traditional Nursing Program listed below: NURS-3156 - Fundamentals of Nursing NURS-3236 - Acute & Chronic Care I NURS-3256 - Child Health Nursing NURS-4356 - Family Health NURS-4376 - Psychosocial Nursing	Grade Earned	Notes: Nursing courses from other schools cannot be accepted.

UNIVERSITY GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS: 124 total college hours, 60 hours in major, 64 hours of general education/major pre-professional, 2.00 grade point average (**the Nursing Department requires a 2.5 retention GPA to enter the program**).

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