



# PRE-NURSING

## Advice for pre-nursing students

Gain experience through shadowing, volunteering or part-time work.

Ask questions of field professionals to help narrow down your interests and future career goals.

While a particular major is not required for application to nursing programs, the most common majors are:

- human development and family science
- integrative human sciences
- kinesiology
- life science
- nutrition and health
- psychology

**GO BEYOND THE CLASSROOM**



Pre-Nursing Club



Pre-Health Ambassadors



Alpha Epsilon Delta

## Common nursing schools K-State students apply to:

- University of Kansas
- Baker University
- Washburn University
- Wichita State University
- Rockhurst University

## Pathways for pre-nursing students

- Pre-nursing students choose one of three pathways:
1. Complete only the prerequisites (about 60 hours) and transfer to another college for their nursing degree.
  2. Complete a K-State degree and apply to a traditional or accelerated BSN program.
  3. Pursue the dual-degree Kansas State University-Wichita State University Pathway to Nursing program.

## COMMON PREREQUISITE COURSES

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE NAME	CREDIT HOURS	HONORS ELIGIBLE
ENGL 100	Expository Writing I	3	
ENGL 200	Expository Writing II	3	
COMM 106	Public Speaking	3	H
BIOL 198	Principles of Biology	4	
BIOL 255	Microbiology	4	H
BIOL 441	Human Body I	4	
BIOL 442	Human Body II	4	
	- OR -		
KIN 360	Anatomy & Physiology	8	
CHM 110	General Chemistry	3	
CHM 111	General Chemistry Lab	1	
	- OR -		
CHM 210	Chemistry I	4	H
FNDH 132	Basic Nutrition	3	
PSYCH 110	General Psychology	3	H
PSYCH 520	Lifespan Personal Devel	3	
	- OR -		
HDFS 110	Intro to Human Devel	3	
SOCIO 211	Intro to Sociology	3	H
MATH 100	College Algebra	3	
STAT 225	Intro to Statistics	3	H
	- OR -		
STAT 240	Biometrics I	3	
PHILO 130	Moral Philosophy	3	
Humanities		3-6	

*Prerequisites may vary by school.*

<sup>#</sup> Ask your pre-nursing advisor about Honors courses.

**Kansas State University - Wichita State University Pathway to Nursing Program**

*This unique dual-degree program gives students the opportunity to earn a bachelor's degree from K-State and a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree from Wichita State University. Students will begin the program working toward their K-State degree while fulfilling requirements needed for the nursing program. This program is only available to K-State students, but does not guarantee admission in the WSU BSN program. Both degree programs are based on the K-State Manhattan campus.*