

All Grossmont College nursing students will be selected for admission using the multi-screening process.

To view the Equivalency Grid for courses in the Nursing major and for Advanced Level Coursework in Languages, visit our website and click on the link titled 'Prerequisite & Language Equivalency Reference Tool'.

For the most current information, program eligibility, immunizations, admission information and application procedures, visit our website at [www.grossmont.edu/nursing](http://www.grossmont.edu/nursing).

**Questions?**  
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 Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

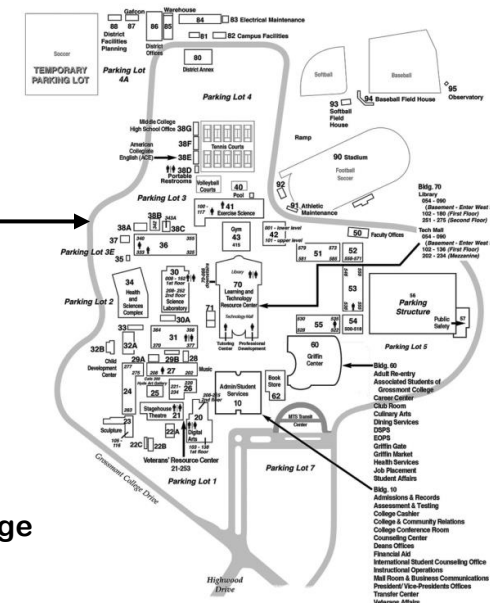


# Grossmont College Nursing

## Associate in Science Degree 2023-2024

- NEW Online Application
- Health Requirements now required AFTER provisional acceptance into nursing program.
- Prerequisites/Information
- Major Requirements
- General Education Requirements
- All Allied Health and Nursing students adhere to the graduation requirements outlined in the college catalog for the academic year in which they enter the program
- [www.grossmont.edu/nursing](http://www.grossmont.edu/nursing)

CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE IN COORDINATION WITH NURSING ADVISORY COMMITTEE (3 CNAC)		
CRITERIA	100 POINTS POSSIBLE	EXAMPLE OF POSSIBLE POINT DISTRIBUTION
Academic degrees or diplomas, or relevant certificates held by an applicant. Documented relevant work or volunteer experience in Health care within the last 3 years. Minimum of 100 hours for volunteer experience.	<b>15 points Maximum</b>  <i>Earned Points:</i> _____	Points are awarded for degrees earned in the United States only. <b>Points awarded for the highest degree earned only.</b> - BS/BA/MS/MA = 10 points - Associate Degree = 5 points <b>Points are awarded for one certification only.</b> - LVN = 10 points - Corpsman, or Allied Health Certification = 5 points <b>Points are awarded for work experience OR volunteer experience.</b> - Relevant work or volunteer experience = 5 points
Grade Point Average in relevant course work  Applicants with baccalaureate degrees from regionally accredited institutions shall not be required to complete math, nor shall they be required to complete additional general education typically required for the associate degree, outside of the listed prerequisite courses.	<b>45 points Maximum</b>  <i>Earned Points:</i> _____	<b>Minimum 2.5 GPA in Anatomy, Physiology, and Microbiology.</b> GPA = 4.00 = 30 points GPA = 3.85 – 3.99 = 29 points GPA = 3.70 – 3.84 = 28 points GPA = 3.55 – 3.69 = 27 points GPA = 3.40 – 3.54 = 25 points GPA = 3.25 – 3.39 = 23 points GPA = 3.00 – 3.24 = 20 points GPA = 2.50 – 2.99 = 15 points <b>“Fixed Set” GPA (English, Intermediate Algebra, Psychology, Speech/Communication, Sociology)</b> GPA = 4.00 = 15 points GPA = 3.85 – 3.99 = 14 points GPA = 3.60 – 3.84 = 13 points GPA = 3.35 – 3.59 = 12 points GPA = 3.15 – 3.34 = 11 points GPA = 3.00 – 3.14 = 10 points GPA = 2.50 – 2.99 = 9 points <i>See Nursing Website for Equivalency Grid for courses in the Nursing Major.</i>
Assessment/readiness test results-TEAS  Please refer to the Nursing Program website for complete TEAS information.	<b>32 points Maximum</b>  <i>Earned Points:</i> _____	Composite score on Test of Essential Academic Skills: 95-100% = 32 points 90-94% = 31 points 86-89% = 30 points 82-85% = 28 points 78-81% = 26 points 74-77% = 24 points 70-73% = 22 points 67-69% = 20 points 62-66% = 18 points < 62% = 0 points
Documented proficiency or advanced level of coursework in languages other than English. Credit for languages other than English shall be received for languages that are identified by the Chancellor's Office.	<b>3 points Maximum</b>  <i>Earned Points:</i> _____	3 points total for the ability to communicate in a health care setting in a language other than English, including American Sign Language. Provide upper division language course information within the application (at least 3 semesters of a language or the equivalent to the 220 level at Grossmont College) or use the Language Certification Form found on the nursing website.
Life experience or special circumstances of an applicant, including but not necessarily limited to the following: a. Veteran or active military status (including spouse) b. Disabilities c. Low Family Income d. First generation of the family to attend college e. Need to Work during prerequisites f. Disadvantages, social or educational environment g. Difficult personal and family situations or circumstances h. Refugee	<b>5 points Maximum</b> (1 point per item)  <i>Earned Points:</i> _____	<b>Criteria/Application requirement</b> a. Copy of DD214 form for Veteran or Military ID for active duty. b. Attest do disability on application and submit the Disability Certification Form. c. Documented copy of eligibility of Financial Aid, Cal Works, BOGFW-B, Federal Pell Grant or EOPS. d. Written statement from applicant. e. Work/Volunteer Certification Form. f. Written statement from applicant. g. Written statement from applicant. Pertains to: single parent, deployed spouse, family caregiver, death of family member within 6 months, medical problems, or financial issues. h. Copy of card indicating refugee status.  <i>Forms named above can be found on the Nursing website.</i>

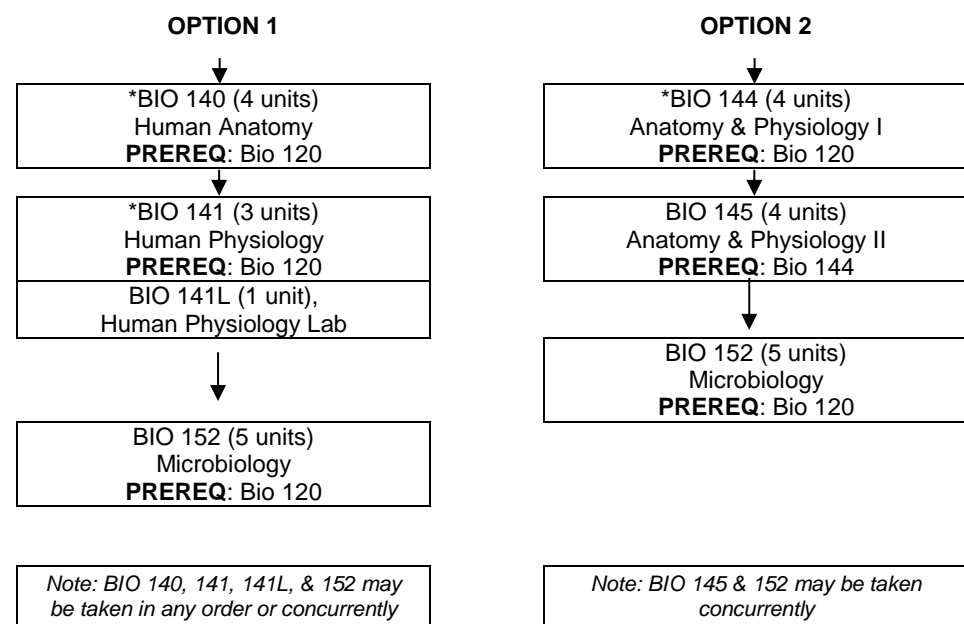


Room 34-256

Grossmont College  
Campus Map

# Sequence of Science Prerequisite Courses

Nursing students have **two** options for completing the science prerequisite courses. The prerequisite courses are either **Option I:** BIO 140, BIO 141, 141L, & BIO 152 **OR Option II:** BIO 144, BIO 145 & BIO 152. A 2.5 or better G.P.A. in prerequisite courses is required.



\*Please note: Only nursing majors may fulfill BIO 120 pre-requisite with one year of high school biology with a lab.  
 \*\*All courses in the major must be completed with a "C" grade or higher. Prerequisite science courses (Anatomy, Physiology and Microbiology) must have a combined GPA of 2.5.  
 \*\*\*No more than one science prerequisite may be repeated within 5 years of the application date to the Nursing Program.

## Important Information

Pre-entrance Exam  
 All prospective nursing students must pass the Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) exam. This is a pre-entrance exam that covers basic Mathematics, Reading, English and Science. All applicants must pass the most recent TEAS version in order to apply to the program; no previous versions will be accepted. Student may prepare for his exam by going to the ATI testing website (<http://www.atitesting.com>). TEAS study guides and online practice exams are available to purchase through the website <http://www.atitesting.com/solutions/pre-programs/teas.aspx>. Please refer to the Nursing Department's website at <https://www.grossmont.edu/academics/programs/nursing/teas-testing.php> for the most up-to-date information regarding changes related to the upcoming TEAS 7 exam.

Background Check and Drug Screen  
**IMPORTANT: Students accepted to the Nursing Program are required to undergo a background check and urine drug screening test prior to starting the program and being placed at any clinical site. Students are responsible for a minimum cost for these procedures. Failure to pass either or both of these procedures, or any prior convictions of a misdemeanor or felony, may interfere with acceptance to the program, clinical placement, eligibility for state licensure or securing employment. The Nursing Program cannot advise students on individual background checks or drug screens. Applicants are urged to visit the program website to review the Background Check and Drug Screen page and the California Board of Registered Nursing at [www.rn.ca.gov/](http://www.rn.ca.gov/) for more information.**

## Sequence of Major Courses

Semester I	
Subject Area and No.	Units
NURS 118	2
NURS 120	8
Total	10

Semester II	
Subject Area and No.	Units
NURS 130	5
NURS 132	5
Total	10

Semester III	
Subject Area & No.	Units
NURS 220	5.5
NURS 222	5.5
Total	11

Semester IV	
Subject Area and No.	Units
NURS 230	8
Total	8

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## NURSING STUDENTS

### ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE

General Education Requirements for Nursing Students Only  
 Grossmont College

This general education applies to students entering the Grossmont College Nursing program for the **2023-2024 academic year.**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ COUNSELOR: \_\_\_\_\_

#### AREA A - LANGUAGE AND RATIONALITY (minimum 9 units)

Complete three courses, one course from A1, A2 and A3.

- A1: Written Communication – English** 120, 124; **English as a Second Language** 122
- A2: Oral Communication - Communication** 120, 122
- A3: Analytical Thinking - Mathematics** 103, 108, 110, 120, 125, 126, 150, 160, 170, 175, 176, 178, 180, 245, 280, 281, 284, 285; **Statistics: Anthropology** 215, **Biology** 215, **Economics** 215, **Math** 160, **Psychology** 215, **Sociology** 215

A statistics course is required for RN to BSN Programs.

Areas A1, A2 and A3 must be completed with a "C" grade or higher.

#### AREA B - NATURAL SCIENCES (minimum 7 units)

Complete three courses.

**Section 1: Biology** (140, 141, and 141L) OR (144 and 145), AND 152

All courses must be completed with a "C" grade or higher.

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#### AREA C - HUMANITIES (minimum 3 units)

Complete one course.

- American Sign Language** 120, 121, 140, 220, 221, 250; **Arabic** 120, 121, 122, 123, 148, 220, 221, 250, 251; **Art** 100, 120, 124, 126, 129, 140, 141, 142, 143, 145, 146, 147, 171; **Chinese** 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251; **Communication** 135, 137, 144, 145; **Dance** 110, 120; **English** 122, 126, 134, 135, 136, 137, 201, 203, 215, 217, 218, 219, 221, 222, 231, 232, 236, 237, 238, 239, 271, 277; **ESL** 115; **Ethnic Studies** 126, 127, 134, 143, 144, 236, 237, 238, 239; **French** 120, 121, 152, 220, 221, 250, 251; **German** 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251; **History** 100, 101, 103, 105, 106, 113, 126, 135, 136, 137, 148; **Humanities** 110, 120, 125, 130, 135, 140, 160, 170; **Italian** 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251; **Japanese** 120, 121, 149, 220, 221, 250, 251; **Media Communications** 111; **Music** 110, 111, 115, 116, 117, 123, 189; **Philosophy** 110, 111, 112, 114, 116, 118, 140, 141, 145, 150, 155, 160; **Photography** 150, 154; **Religious Studies** 110, 120, 130, 140, 150, 170; **Russian** 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251; **Spanish** 120, 121, 122, 123, 141, 145, 220, 221, 250, 251; **Theatre Arts** 101, 110, 130, 143, 144, 205

#### AREA D - SOCIAL SCIENCES (minimum 6 units)

Complete two courses.

**Psychology** 120 AND \***Ethnic Studies** 114 OR \***Sociology** 114 OR **Sociology** 120

Both courses must be completed with a "C" grade or higher. \*Ethnic Studies and Sociology 114 are cross-listed.

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#### RN to BSN program!

Get your BSN at Grossmont College through Point Loma Nazarene University. Complete the ADN program at Grossmont College and receive your RN license, then begin taking classes with PLNU through our campus. For enrollment eligibility and complete information visit <https://www.pointloma.edu/adult-degree-completion/programs/rn-bsn> or contact the PLNU RN-BSN Program Advisor at (619) 644-7426.

**\*Disclaimer: Every effort has been made to ensure that this information is accurate and timely. However, the official college document is the Grossmont College Catalog 2023-2024.**