

# College of Health Sciences

**B.S.N. Nursing - L.V.N. to B.S.N.**

*Degree Offered at the Waco Location*

# Tarleton State



University Center

## 2024-2025 Texas Common Course Numbering System Advising Guide

YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER						
	TSU Requirement	Core Category	MCC Option	Credit Hours	Pre-Req or Co-Req	Semester offered	
F I R S T	ENGL 1301 - Composition I	090	ENGL 1301	3	None	F, SP, SU	
	HIST 1301 - United States History I	060	HIST 1301	3	None	F, SP, SU	
	GOVT 2305 - Federal Government	070	GOVT 2305	3	None	F, SP, SU	
	BIOL 2401 - Anatomy and Physiology I	030 / 090	BIOL 2401	4	None	F, SP, SU	
	PSYC 2301 - General Psychology	080	PSYC 2301	3	None	F, SP, SU	
	<b>Total Hours</b>				<b>16</b>		
	SECOND SEMESTER						
		TSU Requirement	Core Category	MCC Option	Credit Hours	Pre-Req or Co-Req	Semester offered
		ENGL 1302 - Composition II	010	ENGL 1302	3	Prereq: ENGL 1301	F, SP, SU
		HIST 1302 - United States History II	060	HIST 1302	3	None	F, SP, SU
		BIOL 2402 - Anatomy and Physiology II	030 / 090	BIOL 2402	4	None	F, SP, SU
		TSU Core - Creative Arts <sup>1</sup>	050	See Options	3	See Options	Varies
		MATH 1342 - Elementary Statistical Methods	020	MATH 1342	3	None	F, SP, SU
	TSU Core - Core Component Option General Education Elective <sup>1</sup>	090	See Options	1	See Options	Varies	
<b>Total Hours</b>				<b>17</b>			
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S E C O N D	GOVT 2306 - Texas Government	070	GOVT 2306	3	None	F, SP, SU	
	TSU Core - Language, Philosophy, & Culture <sup>1</sup>	040	See Options	3	See Options	Varies	
	CHEM 1407 - Fundamentals of Chemistry <b>or</b> CHEM 1311/1111 - General Chemistry (Lecture & Lab) <sup>4</sup>	-	CHEM 1411 or 1311/1111	4	CHEM 1311 / 1111 Prereq: MATH 1314, or coreq: MATH 1316, 2412, or 2413	F, SP, SU	
	TSU Core - Communications <sup>1</sup>	010	See Options	3	See Options	Varies	
	PSYC 2314 - Lifespan & Growth Development	-	PSYC 2314	3	None	SP, SU	
	<b>Total Hours</b>				<b>16</b>		
	SECOND SEMESTER						
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		BIOL 2420 - Microbiology for Non-Science Majors <b>or</b> BIOL 3407 - Microbiology	-	BIOL 2320 & 2120 or BIOL 2420	4	BIOL 2420 Prereq: 8 hours of BIOL or CHEM; BIOL 3407 prereq: 2 semesters of BIOL and 1 semester of CHEM, or 1 semester of BIOL and 2 semesters of CHEM	F, SP, SU
		HECO 1322 - Nutrition & Diet Therapy	-	HECO 1322 or BIOL 1322	3	One semester of chemistry is recommended	F, SP, SU
		ENGL 3309 - Professional Writing (WI) <sup>4</sup>	-	-	3	Prereq: ENGL 1302	F, SP, SU
	The LVN is awarded 9 SCH of credit for past education upon successful completion of nursing courses.				9		
	<b>Total Hours</b>				<b>19</b>		
<b>Students must apply to the Nursing Program by the deadline for admission.<sup>3</sup></b>							

WI: Writing Intensive Courses

Semester Offered: F = Fall, SP = Spring, SU = Summer

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T H I R D	NURS 3417 - Pathophysiology and Pharmacology for Licensed Nurses□	-	-	4	Admission to nursing program: LVN to BSN entry	Varies	
	NURS 3471 - Nursing Care as a Professional Nurse	-	-	4	Admission to nursing program: LVN to BSN entry	Varies	
	NURS 3325 - Health Assessment	-	-	3	Admission to the nursing program	Varies	
	NURS 3245 - Healthcare Informatics	-	-	2	Admission to the nursing program	Varies	
	<b>Total Hours</b>				<b>13</b>		
	SECOND SEMESTER						
		TSU Requirement	Core Category	MCC Option	Credit Hours	Pre-Req or Co-Req	Semester offered
		NURS 3315 - Mental Health Nursing	-	-	3	Successful completion of Level 1 nursing courses	Varies
		NURS 3450 - Adult Health Nursing for Licensed Nurses	-	-	4	LVN to BSN entry and successful completion of Level I courses	Varies
		NURS 4305 - Maternal and Newborn Nursing Care	-	-	3	Admission to nursing program and successful completion of Level II courses	Varies
		NURS 4310 - Nursing Care of Children and Families	-	-	3	Admission to nursing program and successful completion of Level II courses	Varies
	<b>Total Hours</b>				<b>13</b>		
	THIRD SEMESTER						
	TSU Requirement	Core Category	MCC Option	Credit Hours	Pre-Req or Co-Req	Semester offered	
	NURS 3320 - Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice (WI)	-	-	3	Successful completion of Level 1 nursing courses	Varies	
	NURS 3340 - Nursing Care of Older Adults and Families	-	-	3	Successful completion of junior 1 nursing courses	Varies	
	NURS 4325 - Community and Population Health Nursing (WI)	-	-	3	Admission to nursing program and successful completion of Level III	Varies	
	NURS 4550 - Complex Nursing Care	-	-	5	Admission to the nursing program and successful completion of Level II	Varies	
<b>Total Hours</b>				<b>14</b>			
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F O U R T H	NURS 4380 - Nursing Capstone: Transition to Professional Nursing Practice	-	-	3	Admission to nursing program and successful completion of Level III	Varies	
	NURS 4375 - Synthesis for Professional Nursing	-	-	3	Admission to nursing program and successful completion of Level III	Varies	
	NURS 4395 - Systems-Based Nursing Practice	-	-	3	Admission to nursing program and successful completion of Level III	Varies	
	NURS 4351 - Nursing Leadership in Healthcare	-	-	3	Admission to the nursing program and successful completion of Level II	Varies	
	<b>Total Hours</b>				<b>12</b>		

Total Hours: 120

### Footnotes:

1 - See Tarleton Website for options for this core category: <https://www.tarleton.edu/generaleducation/core-categories/>

2 - Consult the Tarleton Catalog or your Academic Advisor for General Elective Options.

3 - Students must apply to the Nursing Program by Deadline. Admission requirements can be found online at: <https://www.tarleton.edu/nursing/>

4 - Tarleton State University's School of Nursing will accept: Transfer credit of ENGL 2311 in lieu of ENGL 3309; any 4-credit Chemistry which meets admission grade criteria outlined in footnote(3).

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