***All courses below are required for admission to the nursing program. Placement in Math and English courses is based on ACT scores in the related area***. ***A grade of “C-” or better in MAT 112, a math ACT of 20 or higher, or an equivalent sub score on an appropriate placement test is required prior to taking MAT 231.***

***\*Indicates that a student must have a “C-” or better.***

***\*\* Indicates the course has a clinical/lab component.***

**General Education Core Requirements (45)**

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| **Course** | **Credit Hour** | **Term Taken** | **Grade** |
| FYE 101 First Year Experience I | 1 |  |  |
| FYE 102 First Year Experience II | 1 |  |  |
| ID 201 Medical Terminology for Health Professions | 1 |  |  |
| ENG 101 English Composition I \* | 3 |  |  |
| ENG 102 English Composition II \* | 3 |  |  |
| Literature  ENG 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, or 210 | 3 |  |  |
| History  HIS 111, 112, 201 or 202 | 3 |  |  |
| Religion or Philosophy  REL 101, 102, 201, 202, or 241 | 3 |  |  |
| Fine Art  ART 121, ART 131, ART 143, ART 211, ART 251, MUS 231, MUS 233, MUS 235, MUS 236, or ENG/DRA 131 | 3 |  |  |
| Additional Humanities  (Choose an additional course from the Literature, History, Religion/Philosophy, or Fine Arts choices) | 3 |  |  |
| ENG/COMM 221 Speech \* | 3 |  |  |
| MAT 231 Statistics \* | 3 |  |  |
| \*\*BIO 111 or 115 General Biology I \* | 4 |  |  |
| \*\*CHE 111 General Chemistry I  Prerequisite: MAT 131or Math ACT Score of 22 or higher | 4 |  |  |
| HPPE (Activity Course) \_\_\_\_\_\_ | 1 |  |  |
| PSY 113 General Psychology \* | 3 |  |  |
| For B.S.N. Computer Literacy  MIS 110, 220, or CS 110 | 3 |  |  |

**Other Prerequisites for Admission to Nursing (15)**

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| **Course** | **Credit Hour** | **Term Taken** | **Grade** |
| \*\*BIO 201 Human Anatomy & Physiology I\* | 4 |  |  |
| \*\*BIO 202 Human Anatomy & Physiology II\* | 4 |  |  |
| \*\*BIO 261 Microbiology\* | 4 |  |  |
| PSY 211 Developmental Psychology-Lifespan | 3 |  |  |

**Important:** For Admission to the Nursing Program, you MUST:

* Be admitted to the University of Tennessee Southern
* Submit a copy of ALL transcripts from previous colleges, universities, and technical schools
* Maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher on ALL college coursework
* Earn a cumulative GPA of 2.6 or higher in BIO 201, BIO 202, and BIO 261 (only one of these courses may be repeated one time to achieve this requirement)
* Successfully complete all Nursing and General Education Core Requirements
* Complete a nursing application and submit it to the Jeanette M. Travis School of Nursing and Health Sciences

**Required Nursing Courses (60)**

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| **Course** *(“B- “or better required for all)* | **Credit Hour** | **Term Taken** | **Grade** |
| NUR 301 Pharmacology | 3 |  |  |
| NUR 303 Pathophysiology | 3 |  |  |
| NUR 321 Junior Seminar | 3 |  |  |
| \*\*NUR 343 Fundamentals of Nursing | 6 |  |  |
| \*\*NUR 344 Medical Surgical Nursing I | 7 |  |  |
| \*\*NUR 346 Health Assessment | 3 |  |  |
| \*\*NUR 347 Medical Surgical Nursing II | 7 |  |  |
| \*\*NUR 353 Community Health Nursing | 4 |  |  |
| \*\*NUR 400 Maternal Child Nursing | 6 |  |  |
| \*\*NUR 441 Mental Health Nursing | 3 |  |  |
| NUR 443 Nursing Research | 3 |  |  |
| \*\*NUR 444 Medical Surgical/Critical Care Nursing III | 7 |  |  |
| NUR 447 Senior Seminar | 3 |  |  |
| NUR 448 Nursing Leadership, Issues, & Trends | 2 |  |  |

**Total Hours Required for Degree (120)**

**Recommended Four-Year Plan**

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| **FRESHMAN YEAR** |  |  |
| **Fall Semester (15)**  FYE 101 (1)  ENG 101 (3)  BIO 111 (4)  MAT 231 (3)  MIS Core (3)  HPPE Activity (1) | **Spring Semester (14)**  FYE 102 (1)  ENG 102 (3)  BIO 261 (4)  History Core (3)  Religion/Philosophy Core (3) |  |
| **SOPHOMORE YEAR** |  |  |
| **Fall Semester (15)**  BIO 201 (4)  CHE 111 (4)  Fine Arts Core (3)  PSY 113 (3)  ID 201 (1) | **Spring Semester (16)**  BIO 202 (4)  PSY 211 (3)  COMM 221 (3)  Humanities Core (3)  Literature Core (3) |  |
| **JUNIOR YEAR** |  |  |
| **Fall Semester (12)**  NUR 301 (3)  NUR 303 (3)  NUR 321 (3)  NUR 346 (3) | **Spring Semester (13)**  NUR 343 (6)  NUR 353 (4)  NUR 443 (3) | **Summer Semester (10)**  NUR 344 (7)  NUR 441 (3) |
| **SENIOR YEAR** |  |  |
| **Fall Semester (13)**  NUR 347 (7)  NUR 400 (6) | **Spring Semester (12)**  NUR 444 (7)  NUR 447 (3)  NUR 448 (2) |  |