

20260812 - NURSING - BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Program Requirements

For students starting the program prior to Fall 2025, please refer to the academic calendar specific to year of entry for program requirements.

Code	Title	Credits
YEAR 1		
HLSC 120	Human Anatomy for Healthcare Professionals ¹	3
HLSC 126	Human Physiology I for Healthcare Professionals ¹	3
HLST 133	Foundations of Indigenous Peoples' Health and Well-Being in Canada ¹	3
University Level English ^{2,1}		3
PSYC 104	Introductory Psychology I ¹	3
HLSC 124	Microbiology for Healthcare Professionals ¹	3
HLSC 128	Human Physiology II for Healthcare Professionals ¹	3
NURS 130	Disciplinary Knowledge in Nursing ¹	3
NURS 131	Introduction to Health and Nursing Practice ¹	5
NURS 145	Self-Leadership, Thinking, and Learning ¹	1
Open Elective (100 level) ^{3,1}		3
YEAR 2		
HLSC 220	Pharmacotherapeutics for Healthcare Professionals ¹	3
NURS 232	Nursing Care to Facilitate Mental Well-Being ¹	4
NURS 234	Integrated Health Assessment and Pathophysiology in Nursing ¹	5
NURS 270	Strength-Based Nursing Care ¹	4
NURS 231	Nursing Practice: Health and Well-Being Across the Lifespan	7
NURS 233	Nursing Practice: Mental Well-Being Across the Lifespan	7
NURS 245	Leading With Others ¹	1
Statistics (100 or 200 level) ^{1,4}		3
YEAR 3		
HLST 354	Healthy Populations ¹	3
NURS 345	Leading Groups and Understanding Organizations ¹	1
NURS 346	Fundamentals of Nursing Research ¹	4
NURS 350	Complex Nursing Care Across the Lifespan ¹	5
NURS 351	Nursing Practice: Addressing Complex Changes in Health Across the Lifespan	7
NURS 353	Nursing Practice: Fostering Resilient Communities Across the Lifespan	7
Open Elective (100 to 400 level) ^{1,3}		3
YEAR 4		
NURS 474	Future Directions in Nursing ¹	3
NURS 479	Leading Nursing into the Future ¹	5
Senior Elective (200 to 400 level) ^{1,3}		3
Senior Nursing Elective (300 to 400 level) ^{1,5}		3

NURS 470	Nursing Practice: Transition Readiness ¹	1
NURS 471	Nursing Practice: Transition to Practice (Preceptorship)	11
Total Credits		123

¹ The minimum passing grade for this course is a C-.

² A three-credit university-level English course at the 100, 200, 300, or 400 level is required; completion of ENGL 102 is recommended. ENGL 111 and ENGL 211 cannot be used to meet the English course requirement (Required English Course Policy).

³ The Open Electives (100 to 400 level) and Senior Elective (200 to 400 level) are university-level theory courses, excluding subject code NURS, that extend knowledge within an area of interest. The Open Elective may also be chosen to satisfy a prerequisite requirement for the Senior Elective.

⁴ A three-credit university-level Statistics course at the 100-or 200-level is required; STAT 151, STAT 161, MGTS 103, PEDS 109, and HLST 160 meet program requirements.

⁵ The Senior Nursing Elective is a 300 or 400 university-level NURS course that extends nursing-specific knowledge in an area of interest.

The minimum passing grade for a course at MacEwan University is a D or CR unless otherwise noted next to the appropriate course in the program of study.

Course Substitutions

Credit Earned in:	May Be Substituted for Credit in Program Course:
PEDS 100	HLSC 120
PEDS 101	HLSC 126
PEDS 102	HLSC 126 & HLSC 128
PEDS 103	HLSC 128