



Bevill State Community College

Nursing Program Admission Information

Spring 2023

Hamilton, Fayette, Pickens County and Sumiton Daytime Admission
LPN & Paramedic Mobility Admission – Hamilton and Jasper

Online Nursing Applications Spring 2023

July 1 - September 1, 2022

Summer 2023

Hamilton and Jasper Daytime Admission

Evening Nursing Program Admission – Jasper Campus only

Online Nursing Application Available

January 4 - March 1, 2023

Fall 2023

Fayette Daytime Admission

Pickens County Daytime Admission

Sumiton Daytime Admission

LPN & Paramedic Mobility Admission – Fayette and Sumiton

Online Nursing Applications Available

March 1 - May 15, 2023

BEVILL STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
NURSING PROGRAM INFORMATION

Dear Prospective Student:

Thank you for your interest in the Nursing Program at Bevill State Community College. Nursing is an intense and demanding profession. At Bevill State, we believe to facilitate the application process we need to be very clear about what is required. With that in mind, please read the entire packet carefully as the application will not provide all the necessary documents for admission. Admission to the nursing program is based on a point system and there is no waiting list. Students not accepted are required to reapply for the next admission cycle.

To assist you in gaining successful entry into Bevill State Community College's nursing program, you may contact any nursing advisor or the Health Science Administrative Assistant, Kathy McCullar as 205-648-3271 ext. 5877. We are pleased that you have chosen Bevill State Community College's nursing program to prepare you for a career in the nursing profession.

Thank you for your interest!

Sincerely,

Kimberly Eddy, DNP, MSN, BSN, RN
Nursing Program Coordinator – College wide

ALABAMA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM NURSING CURRICULUM

The nursing curriculum is a concept-based curriculum that reflects the stated mission and philosophy of the Alabama Community College System (ACCS) Nursing Programs. To prepare graduates in the role of an associate degree nurse by first integrating the role of a practical nurse, the ACCS has developed a one plus one curriculum that provides students with the education for a practical nursing certificate at successful completion of the third semester; completion of NUR 112, 113, 114 and 115, followed by the incorporation of the competencies required for the associate degree nurse upon successful completion of the last two semesters; NUR 211 and NUR 221 respectively.

The nursing curriculum design is based on conceptual learning to facilitate transfer of knowledge, facilitate collaborative and active learning, focus on problems, foster systematic observations, focus on nursing actions and interdisciplinary efforts and foster understanding of relationships. Concepts are lined to each other while presenting exemplars of concepts. This approach helps learners to extrapolate meanings from one concept to another and identify commonalities.

Courses have been carefully planned to provide the student with a continuity of learning experiences. Content is organized in a spiraling manner from simple to complex, building on previous learning and adding new information, while allowing for continual review.

When delivering direct patient care, students are supervised by faculty. In the campus nursing laboratory, simulation and instruction are directed through hands-on practice and facilitate by personal contact and by visual, computer-assisted, interactive and other multimedia stimuli.

The faculty strives to produce graduates capable of self-direction, who are willing to assume responsibility and accountability for their practice in the health care delivery system.

BEVILL STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
NURSING PROGRAM - MINIMUM ADMISSION STANDARDS

Please check the following minimum admission standards before submitting your application

- ___1. Unconditional admission to the college (Application must be updated if student did not attend BSCC the previous semester.

- ___2. Original transcripts **from all colleges** attended must be in the Office of Student Services by the nursing application deadline. Unlike routine college admission, the nursing department does not allow one semester to receive transcripts. Transcripts must be sent by the institution directly to the BSCC Central Records Office.

- ___3. A complete nursing application must be submitted online via the BSCC college Website.

- ___4. A minimum of 18 ACT composite score (writing component not required), National or Residual, is required and ACT results must be attached to this application. There is no expiration date on ACT for this nursing application.
 - ❖ **ACT Scores from residual testing are valid only at the college and cannot be transferred by transcript or other means to any other institution or agency. The only exception is a waiver agreement between ACCS and ACT to allow the exchange of scores among the Alabama Community College System colleges.**

- ___5. A minimum of 2.5 GPA is required on a 4.0 scale based on the nursing required academic core courses. The core college courses are English Composition 1, Intermediate College Algebra, Anatomy & Physiology I, Anatomy and Physiology II, Microbiology, Human Growth & Development, Speech and a Humanities Elective (Art or Music Appreciation, Philosophy, Ethics, Religion, or a foreign language)

- ___6. A minimum of 2.5 cumulative GPA is required for high school students without prior college work (GED acceptable).

- ___7. Eligibility is required for English Composition I, Intermediate College Algebra, and Anatomy & Physiology I
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if not previously taken

- ___8. Good standing with the College; including overall, cumulative GPA of 2.0 required.

- ___9. Meet the Essential Functions for nursing.

- ___10. Name of application is current legal name and matches copy of photo ID and name in BSCC system.

POINTS FOR ADMITTANCE TO NURSING

After meeting all minimum admission requirements, applicants are rank ordered using the following point system:

- ACT composite national or residual score of (36 points maximum possible). The writing component is not required. No time limit on ACT results. Applicant will be awarded points for his/her composite ACT score. A minimum composite score of 18 on ACT is required for eligibility to apply. ACT results must be attached to the application.
- Points will be awarded for grades in English Composition I, Intermediate College Algebra, Anatomy & Physiology I and Anatomy and Physiology II. The following scale will be used to assign points: A=3 points, B= 2 points, C=1 point.
- Four points may be awarded, one point each for completion at BSCC of Microbiology, Human Growth & Development, Fundamentals of Speech, and a Humanities elective (Art or Music Appreciation, Philosophy, Ethics, Religion or foreign language) with a grade of C or higher.
- Two points will be awarded for students who have attended Beville State Community College for at least one semester (BSCC Loyalty points)
- Four points may be awarded for completion (at BSCC or another institution/ university) of Chemistry, Pre-calculus/ Finite math, English Composition II or Statistics with a C or higher. Four points may be awarded, one point each for completion of the above named courses

A total of 58 points are possible with these selection criteria. If there is a tie in points in relation to the number of available spaces, then the higher cumulative GPA will be considered.

Priority for admission is given to first time applicants. Readmission/reinstatement as well as transfer students are considered on a space available basis.

High school students may obtain points for college courses through dual enrollment.

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NURSING ACADEMIC ADVISING CHECKLIST

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Credit</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Grade</u>
BIO 201	Human Anatomy & Physiology I	4	_____	_____
MTH 100	Intermediate College Algebra	3	_____	_____
ORI 107	Student Survival Skills	1	_____	_____
NUR 112	Fundamentals of Nursing	<u>7</u>	_____	_____
Total Credits		15		

<u>Second Semester</u>				
ENG 101	English Composition	3	_____	_____
BIO 202	Human Anatomy & Physiology II	4	_____	_____
PSY 210	Human Growth & Development	3	_____	_____
NUR 113	Nursing Concepts I	<u>8</u>	_____	_____
Total Credits		18		

<u>Third Semester</u>		– (Students are encouraged to sit for NCLEX-PN at the completion of 3 rd semester)		
SPH 106 or SPH 107		3	_____	_____
NUR 114	Nursing Concepts II	8	_____	_____
NUR 115	Evidence Based Clinical Reasoning	<u>2</u>	_____	_____
Total Credits		13		

<u>Fourth Semester</u>				
BIO 220	Microbiology	4	_____	_____
NUR 211	Advanced Nursing Concepts	<u>7</u>	_____	_____
Total Credits		11		

<u>Fifth Semester</u>				
HUM Elective	_____	3	_____	_____
NUR 221	Advanced Based Clinical Reasoning	<u>7</u>	_____	_____
Total Credits		10		

BSCC Pre-requisite Requirements for Academic Classes:

- BIO 103-Principles of Biology – Pre-requisite course for BIO 201 - Human Anatomy & Physiology I And BIO 220 - Microbiology
- The College offers a HESI Bypass exam for BIO 103. Campus Testing Coordinators will schedule these exams
- PSY 200 – General Psychology is a pre-requisite course for PSY 210 – Human Growth and Development

BEVILL STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

NURSING PROGRAM ESTIMATED COST - FALL 2022

	Cost	Books	Lab/Fee	Total
1st Semester - NUR 112				
NURSING TUITION (7 HOURS)	\$ 1,163.00			\$ 1,163.00
MTH 100 (3 HOURS)	\$ 507.00	\$ 242.00		\$ 749.00
BIO 201 (4 HOURS)	\$ 671.00	\$ 267.00	\$ 175.00	\$ 1,113.00
EMS 100 (1 HOUR)	\$ 164.00		\$ 46.00	\$ 210.00
ORI 107 (1 HOUR)	\$ 164.00	\$ 88.00	\$ 30.00	\$ 282.00
REQUIRED NURSING BOOKS (2)		\$ 342.00		\$ 342.00
NURSING KIT	\$ 178.00			\$ 178.00
ADDITIONAL SUPPLIES (BP Cuff, Stethoscope, Penlight, Shoes, Scissors, etc.)	\$ 115.00			\$ 115.00
BACKGROUND SCREENING FEE			\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
DOCUMENT COMPLIANCE FEE			\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00
DRUG TESTING FEE			\$ 33.00	\$ 35.00
LIABILITY INSURANCE			\$ 13.00	\$ 13.00
ATI TESTING FEE			\$ 530.00	\$ 530.00
UNIFORMS	\$ 100.00			\$ 100.00
TOTAL COST	\$ 3,062.00	\$ 939.00	\$ 917.00	\$ 4,920.00
2nd Semester - NUR 113				
NURSING TUITION (8 HOURS)	\$ 1,327.00			\$ 1,327.00
BIO 202 (4 HOURS)	\$ 671.00	\$ 267.00	\$ 175.00	\$ 1,113.00
ENG 101 (3 HOURS)	\$ 507.00	\$ 172.00		\$ 679.00
PSY 210 (3 HOURS)	\$ 507.00	\$ 107.00		\$ 614.00
REQUIRED NURSING BOOKS (3)		\$ 585.00		\$ 585.00
ATI TESTING FEE			\$ 530.00	\$ 530.00
TOTAL COST	\$ 3,012.00	\$ 1,131.00	\$ 705.00	\$ 4,848.00
3rd Semester - NUR 114/115				
NURSING TUITION (10 HOURS)	\$ 1,655.00			\$ 1,655.00
SPH 107 (3 HOURS)	\$ 507.00	\$ 80.00		\$ 587.00
REQUIRED NURSING BOOK (1)		\$ 220.00		\$ 220.00
ATI TESTING FEE			\$ 530.00	\$ 530.00
ABON LICENSURE FEE - LPN			\$ 288.50	\$ 288.50
TOTAL COST	\$ 2,162.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 818.50	\$ 3,280.50
4th Semester - NUR 211				
NURSING TUITION (7 HOURS)	\$ 1,163.00			\$ 1,163.00
BIO 220 (4 HOURS)	\$ 671.00	\$ 320.00		\$ 991.00
LIABILITY INSURANCE FEE			\$ 13.00	\$ 13.00
ATI TESTING FEE			\$ 530.00	\$ 530.00
TOTAL COST	\$ 1,834.00	\$ 320.00	\$ 543.00	\$ 2,697.00
5th Semester - NUR 221				
NURSING TUITION (7 HOURS)	\$ 1,163.00			\$ 1,163.00
REQUIRED NURSING BOOKS (1)		\$ 70.00		\$ 70.00
HUMANITIES (3 HOURS)	\$ 507.00	\$ 125.00		\$ 632.00
ATI TESTING FEE			\$ 530.00	\$ 530.00
GRADUATION FEE			\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00
ABON LICENSURE FEE - RN			\$ 288.50	\$ 288.50
NURSING PIN, LAMP	\$ 80.00			\$ 80.00
TOTAL COST	\$ 1,750.00	\$ 195.00	\$ 848.50	\$ 2,793.50
ESTIMATED COST OF PROGRAM				\$ 18,539.00
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