



**SAINT MARY-OF-THE-WOODS
COLLEGE**

Campus BSN Program

First Semester		Second Semester	
WC 100 Into the Woods	3	+MA 117 Quantitative Reasoning	3
+PS 111 Intro to Psychology	3	+EN 111 Composition and Research Writing	3
+CO 111 Introduction to Human Communication	3	WC 150 Intercultural Communications or Foreign Language FR 111/SP111	3
*BI 231/L Anatomy and Physiology I (fulfills Woods Core Natural Science course requirement)	3	*BI 232/L Anatomy and Physiology II	3
+CH 121/L General, Organic, and Biological Chemistry	3	+BI 252/L Microbiology for Allied Health	3
	15		15
Third Semester		Fourth Semester	
TH 200 Religion/Spirituality	3	EN 211 Literature	3
^MA 253 Statistics	3	+NU 260 Growth and Development	3
HI 222 20 th Century World	3	NU 220/L Nursing Fundamentals	3/2
NU 210/L Nursing Foundations	2/1	NU 222/L Pharmacology Therapeutics	3/1
NU 211/L Physical Assessment	2/1		15
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Fifth Semester		Sixth Semester	
+BI 330 Bioethics for Healthcare Professionals (fulfills Woods Core Ethics course requirement)	3	Elective	1
NU 310/L Adult Nursing I	3/2	NU 320/L Adult Nursing II	3/2
NU 330/L Psychosocial Nursing	3/1	NU 341/L Family Health Nursing	4/2
NU 355 Nursing Research	3	+KHS 275 Nutrition for Health, Fitness & Sport	3
	15		15
Seventh Semester		Eighth Semester	
AD 200 or MU 200	3	WC 4XX	3
NU 430/L Adult Nursing III	3/2	NU 495/L Professional Role	3/2
NU 455 Nursing Leadership	3	NU 497 Comprehensive Nursing	3
NU 485/L Population Focused Nursing	3/2	Elective	3
	16		14
		Total Credit Hours	120
		Total Clinical Contact hours	840

Subject to change as determined by the Department or the College.

* Required pre-nursing courses

+ Required non-nursing cognates

^ Required Directed General Education Course

Program Admission Requirements:

- Graduated from a state approved high school or its equivalent, such as a general equivalency degree (GED).
- Successfully completed the prerequisite course work with a grade of C or better including:
 - BI 231 Anatomy and Physiology I and Lab
 - BI 232 Anatomy and Physiology II and Lab
- Passed the ATI TEAS exam with a score of 58% (“proficient”) or better with a maximum of 2 attempts in the last 12 months.
- Overall gpa of 2.5 or higher.
- Incoming college freshman and transfer students are eligible to apply for direct admittance into the nursing major if they have successfully completed the requirements listed above. Transfer students must be in good standing if already admitted to a nursing program. The admissions committee has the right to deny entry to students with a pattern of poor academic performance.

Admissions Process:

- If there is a competitive applicant pool, student data used in the admissions process is as follows: (science GPA x 100) + (overall college GPA x 100) + TEAS score rounded to the nearest whole number= TOTAL SCORE. The students are then ranked by their TOTAL SCORE.
- Currently, the BSN Program at SMWC is allowed to admit 32 students per admission cycle. Students will be admitted in up to two applicant pools described below:
 - Pool A: “internal applicants”—students who currently attend SMWC and have completed at least 12 SMWC credit hours. If there is a TOTAL SCORE tie, preference will be given to students who have higher science GPAs.
 - If there are open spots after evaluating the “internal applicant” pool, the committee will move to Pool B: “direct admits”—college transfers and incoming high school seniors who meet admission requirements (official college transcripts from transfer institution or dual credit program must be provided). If there is a TOTAL SCORE tie, preference will be given to students who have accumulated more college credit hours.
- Students who are not admitted into the program may apply the following year, but if denied for two consecutive admission cycles, the student cannot reapply for a period of three years.
- Acceptance is pending a clean criminal background check and negative 10-panel drug screen. Students are also required to submit immunization records, including COVID-19 and annual flu, CPR/BLS certification, negative TB test, and proof of personal health insurance.

Program Progression:

- Students must earn a C or higher in all nursing courses once admitted to the program. This means that a student who earns below a C in two nursing courses or the same nursing course twice, will be dismissed from the program for a period of three years. Students cannot progress to the next nursing course until all previous nursing courses are completed with a C or better. Nursing courses have a maximum of two attempts per course.
- Per our accreditation, before graduating, all students must successfully pass all nursing cognates with a grade of C or better.