



# Centra College RN-BSN Program 2024-2025

*\*EFFECTIVE THROUGH FALL 2024\**

RN-BSN CURRICULUM PLAN	THEORY HOURS 15 HRS/CR	LAB HOURS 30 HRS/CR	CLINICAL HOURS 45 HRS/CR	TOTAL HOURS	TOTAL CREDITS
<b>Prerequisites<sup>1</sup></b>					
HLT 230: Principles of Nutrition	45	0	0	45	3
ENG 111: College Composition I	45	0	0	45	3
BIO 141: Human Anatomy & Physiology I	45	30	0	75	4
BIO 142: Human Anatomy & Physiology II	45	30	0	75	4
PSY 230: Developmental Psychology	45	0	0	45	3
PSY Elective Level 200 or Higher	45	0	0	45	3
<b>Totals for Prerequisite Courses</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Nursing Courses<sup>2</sup></b>					
NUR 320: Theoretical & Conceptual Foundations	45	0	0	45	3
NUR 335: Informatics in Nursing Practice	45	0	0	45	3
NUR 350: Evidence-based Practice & Research in Nursing	45	0	0	45	3
NUR 360: Advanced Health Assessment	45	0	0	45	3
NUR 420: Community Health Perspectives	60	0	0	60	4
NUR 430: Healthcare Policy	30	0	0	30	2
NUR 450: Population Health & Epidemiology	45	0	0	45	3
NUR 455: Introduction to Pathophysiology	45	0	0	45	3
NUR 460: Nursing Leadership & Management	60	0	0	60	4
NUR 470: Aging, Health, & Longevity	30	0	0	30	2
NUR 480: Management of Illness & Disease Processes	30	0	0	30	2
NUR 485: RN-BSN Capstone	60	0	0	60	4
<b>Totals for Nursing Courses</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>Additional Electives<sup>1</sup></b>					
MTH 155: Statistical Reasoning	45	0	0	45	3
Humanities/Social Science	90	0	0	90	6
Nurse Residency/Transition to Practice Program <sup>3</sup>	225	0	0	225	15
<b>Additional Elective Totals</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>Proficiency Credits</b>					
Valid Virginia Registered Nurse License	600	0	0	600	40
<b>Proficiency Credit Totals</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>Total Program Hours and Credits</b>	<b>1770</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1830</b>	<b>120</b>

<sup>1</sup>Prerequisite and elective courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher. These courses are indicated by the grey highlight and are offered through the Virginia Community College System. These courses may also be completed at another regionally accredited college and are required for degree completion.

<sup>2</sup>Nursing courses are offered at Centra College and must be completed with a grade of B or higher. Nursing courses are offered non-sequential, and students may be enrolled in any of the above courses depending on course availability each 8-week sub term.

<sup>3</sup>Students who have not completed an approved Nurse Residency or Transition to Practice program will be required to complete an additional 15 hours of General Elective Credit.



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*\*EFFECTIVE STARTING SPRING 2025\**

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MTH 155: Statistical Reasoning	45	0	0	45	3
Humanities/Social Science	90	0	0	90	6
Nurse Residency/Transition to Practice Program <sup>3</sup>	90	0	0	225	6
General Electives	135	0	0	0	9
<b>Additional Elective Totals</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>Proficiency Credits</b>					
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