

## RN to BSN Degree Plan Checklist Arkansas State University Three Rivers University of Central Arkansas



#### **Pre Admission Requirements**

- ✓ Applicants must have earned an Associate of Applied Science degree in Registered Nursing
- ✓ Applicants must possess an unencumbered Registered Nurse (RN) License.
- Applicants must Submit all required documentation for general admission to UCA Online and the Nursing Program

The following is a guide<sup>1</sup> to the courses a student can take at <u>Arkansas State University Three Rivers</u> in order to satisfy the State Minimum General Education Core Curriculum <u>and</u> all UCA RN-to-BSN Pre-Admission Requirements (courses listed in **bold** may have already been completed as part of the AAS in Registered Nursing):

#### General Education Core (35 credit hours)<sup>2</sup>

| ENGL   1113   Composition  | English/Communication (9 credit hours) <sup>4</sup>                              |           |  | UCA <sup>3</sup> | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|--|--|-----------|--|------------------|----------|-------|-------|
| COMM 2113 Choose one: Social Science course (see category below for options)  Mathematics (3 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> Lab Sciences (8 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> BIOL 2244 Microbiology  CHEM 1214 General Chemistry I  CHEM 1214 General Chemistry I  CHEM 1214 General Chemistry I  CHEM 2113 Choose one: Humni 1213 Humanities: Art  HUMN 2113 Humanities: Art  HUMN 2133 Humanities: Theatre  (or other COTO Fine Arts)  Choose one: Hours Cotobes (a credit hours)  Social Sciences (6 credit hours)  Choose one: Hours Cotobes Cotobes (a credit hours)  Choose one: Humni 213 Humanities: Theatre  (or other COTO Fine Arts)  Social Sciences (6 credit hours)  Social Sciences (6 credit hours)  Choose one: Hours Cotobes Cot   | ENGL   | 1113      | Composition I  | WRTG 1310        |          | 3     |       |
| COMM 2113 Oral Communication Fine Arts/Humanities course (see category below for options)  Mathematics (3 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA Semester Hours GMATH 1143 College Algebra MATH 1390 3  Lab Sciences (8 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA Semester Hours GBIOL 2244 Microbiology BIOL 2245 AIOL 2245 Microbiology BIOL 2246 Microbiology BIOL 2246 Microbiology BIOL 2247 Microbiology BIOL 2247 Microbiology BIOL 2248 Microbiology BIOL 2249 Microbiology BIOL 2249 Microbiology BIOL 2240 Microbiology BIOL 22 | ENGL   | 1213      | Composition II   | WRTG 1320        |          | 3     |       |
| Fine Arts/Humanities course (see category below for options)  Mathematics (3 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> MATH 1143   College Algebra   MATH 1390   3    Lab Sciences (8 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> BIOL 2244   Microbiology   BIOL 2411   4   CHEM 1214   General Chemistry   CHEM 1450   4    Fine Arts/Humanities (6 credit hours)  WCA Semester Hours Good Semester Hours    |  |           | Choose one:5   |                  |          |       |       |
| Fine Arts/Humanities course (see category below for options)   Social Science course (see category below for options)   Social Science course (see category below for options)   Social Science course (see category below for options)   Social Sciences (See Credit hours)   Semester   Hours General Chemistry                       | сомм   | 2113      | Oral Communication   | COMM 1300        |          | 2     |       |
| Mathematics (3 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA         Semester         Hours of the semester         Marth (1)         Marth (1) <t< td=""><td></td><td></td><td>Fine Arts/Humanities course (see category below for options)</td><td></td><td></td><td>  3</td><td></td></t<>   |  |           | Fine Arts/Humanities course (see category below for options) |                  |          | 3     |       |
| MATH   1143   College Algebra  |  |           | Social Science course (see category below for options)       |                  |          |       |       |
| MATH   1143   College Algebra  | Mathen   | natics (3 | 3 credit hours) <sup>4</sup>                                 | UCA              | Semester | Hours | Grade |
| Lab Sciences (8 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA         Semester         Hours         G           BIOL         2244         Microbiology         BIOL 2411         4           CHEM         1214         General Chemistry I         CHEM 1450         4           Fine Arts/Humanities (6 credit hours)         UCA         Semester         Hours         G           HUMN         2113         Humanities: Art         ART 2300         ART 2300         3           HUMN         2123         Humanities: Theatre (or other COTO Fine Arts)         THEA 2300         3         3           ENGL         2213         World Literature I (or other COTO Humanities)         ENGL 2305         3         3           Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA         Semester         Hours         G           Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA         Semester         Hours         G           HIST         2113         US History through 1865         HIST 2301         3           HIST         2123         US History since 1865         HIST 2302         4           GOVT         2113         American National Government         PSCI 1330         PSYC 1300         3   |  |           | , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,                        |                  |          | 1     |       |
| BIOL   2244   Microbiology   BIOL 2411   4   CHEM   1214   General Chemistry   CHEM   1450   4   |  | '         |  | <b>'</b>         | _        |       |       |
| CHEM   1214   General Chemistry  |  |           | ·  |                  | Semester |       | Grade |
| Fine Arts/Humanities (6 credit hours)         UCA         Semester         Hours         G           HUMN         2113         Humanities: Art         ART 2300         3           HUMN         2123         Humanities: Music         MUS 2300         3           HUMN         2133         Humanities: Theatre (or other COTO Fine Arts)         THEA 2300         3           ENGL         2213         World Literature I         ENGL 2305         3           ENGL         2223         World Literature II (or other COTO Humanities)         ENGL 2306         3           Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA         Semester         Hours         G           HIST         2113         US History through 1865         HIST 2301         3           HIST         2123         US History since 1865         HIST 2302         3           GOVT         2113         American National Government         PSCI 1330         9           PSYC         1113         General Psychology         PSYC 1300         3  |  |           |  |                  |          | 4     |       |
| HUMN   2113   Humanities: Art   ART 2300   MUS 2300   THEA 2300   HUMN 2133   Humanities: Theatre   THEA 2300   HUMN 2133   Humanities: Theatre   THEA 2300   HUMN 2133   HU                       | CHEM   | 1214      | General Chemistry I  | CHEM 1450        |          | 4     |       |
| HUMN   2113  | Fine Art   | s/Huma    | anities (6 credit hours)                                     | UCA              | Semester | Hours | Grade |
| HUMN 2123 Humanities: Music Mus 2300 THEA 2305 THEA 2305 THEA 2305 THEA 2306 THEA 2301                     |  |           | Choose one:  |                  |          |       |       |
| HUMN 2133 Humanities: Theatre (or other COTO Fine Arts)  Choose one:  ENGL 2213 World Literature I ENGL 2305 ENGL 2223 World Literature II (or other COTO Humanities)  Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA Semester Hours Government PSCI 1330 PSYC 1313 General Psychology  | HUMN   | 2113      | Humanities: Art  | ART 2300         |          |       |       |
| Choose one:   ENGL 2305   Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <sup>4</sup>   UCA   Semester   Hours   GOVT 2113   US History since 1865   GOVT 2113   General Psychology   PSYC 1300   Semester   PSYC 1300   GOVE   Consider   COTO Himenities   Choose one:   Coto History since 1865   Coto Hi             | HUMN   | 2123      | Humanities: Music  | MUS 2300         |          | 3     |       |
| ENGL 2213 World Literature I ENGL 2305 ENGL 2223 World Literature II ENGL 2306  Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA Semester Hours Government PSYC 1300  BYSTC 1113 General Psychology  ENGL 2305  ENGL 2305  ENGL 2305  ENGL 2306  BYSTC 1300  BYSTC 1300  ENGL 2305  ENGL 2305  ENGL 2305  ENGL 2305  ENGL 2306  BYSTC 1300  BYSTC 1300  BYSTC 1300  BYSTC 1300  American National Government PSYC 1300  BYSTC 1300  BY            | HUMN   | 2133      | Humanities: Theatre  | THEA 2300        |          |       |       |
| ENGL 2213 World Literature I ENGL 2305 ENGL 2306  Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA Semester Hours GOV HIST 2113 US History through 1865 HIST 2123 US History since 1865 HIST 2113 American National Government PSYC 1113 General Psychology  BIGGL 2305 ENGL 2305 ENGL 2306  UCA Semester Hours GOV HOURS GOV HIST 2301 HIST 2301 HIST 2302 HIST 2302 PSYC 1330 PSYC 1300 SOV NATIONAL PSYC 13            |  |           | (or other COTO Fine Arts )                                   |                  |          |       |       |
| ENGL 2223 World Literature II (or other COTO Humanities)  Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA Semester Hours Government  HIST 2113 US History through 1865 HIST 2123 US History since 1865 GOVT 2113 American National Government  PSYC 1113 General Psychology  ENGL 2306  HUST 2306  HIST 2301 HIST 2301 PSYC 1330  PSYC 1330  3   |  |           | Choose one:  |                  |          |       |       |
| ENGL 2223   World Literature II (or other COTO Humanities)   Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <sup>4</sup>   UCA   Semester   Hours   General Psychology   PSYC 1300   Semester   Hours   General Psychology   PSYC 1300   Semester   Hours   General Psychology   FSYC 1300   General Psychology   FSYC 1300   General Psychology   FSYC 1300   General Psychology   FSYC 1300   General Psychology   Genera           | ENGL   | 2213      | World Literature I   | ENGL 2305        |          | 2     |       |
| Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> Choose one:  HIST 2113 US History through 1865 HIST 2123 US History since 1865 GOVT 2113 American National Government PSYC 1113 General Psychology  UCA Semester Hours Government HIST 2301 HIST 2301 HIST 2302 PSYC 1300 3  | ENGL   | 2223      | World Literature II  | ENGL 2306        |          | 3     |       |
| HIST   2113   US History through 1865   HIST 2301   HIST 2302   HIST 2302   GOVT   2113   American National Government   PSYC   1113   General Psychology   PSYC 1300   3  |  |           | (or other COTO Humanities )                                  |                  |          |       |       |
| HIST   2113   US History through 1865   HIST 2301   HIST 2302   HIST 2302   GOVT   2113   American National Government   PSYC   1113   General Psychology   PSYC 1300   3  | Social S   | ciences   | (6 credit hours) <sup>4</sup>                                | UCA              | Semester | Hours | Grade |
| HIST       2113       US History through 1865       HIST 2301       3         HIST       2123       US History since 1865       HIST 2302         GOVT       2113       American National Government       PSCI 1330         PSYC       1113       General Psychology       PSYC 1300       3  |  |           |  |                  |          |       |       |
| HIST         2123         US History since 1865         HIST 2302         S           GOVT         2113         American National Government         PSCI 1330         PSYC 1300         3   | HIST   | 2113      |  | HIST 2301        |          | ,     |       |
| GOVT 2113 American National Government PSCI 1330 PSYC 1113 General Psychology PSYC 1300 3  | HIST   | 2123      |  | HIST 2302        |          | 3     |       |
| PSYC 1113 General Psychology PSYC 1300 3   |  | 2113      | •  |                  |          |       |       |
|  |  |           |  |                  |          | 3     |       |
|  | Social or Behavioral Science Elective (3 credit hours) <sup>4</sup> UCA Semester |           |  |                  | Hours    | Grade |       |
| PSYC 2123 Developmental Psychology PSYC 3321 3   |  | _         |  |                  |          |       | 3.440 |

## Additional Requirements (14 Credit Hours)<sup>4</sup>

|      |      |                           | UCA       | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|------|------|---------------------------|-----------|----------|-------|-------|
| BIOL | 2224 | Anatomy and Physiology I  | BIOL 1410 |          | 4     |       |
| BIOL | 2234 | Anatomy and Physiology II | BIOL 2410 |          | 4     |       |
| GBUS | 2023 | Business Statistics       | CISA 2330 |          | 3     |       |
|      |      | General Elective          |           |          | 3     |       |

Total Hours: 49<sup>6</sup>

Please note: Completion of all Pre-Admission Requirements does not guarantee admission into the UCA RN-to-BSN program.



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# University of Central Arkansas Online Nursing Course Requirements (30 Credit Hours)

|      |      |   | Semester | Hours | Grade |
|------|------|---|----------|-------|-------|
| NURS | 4245 | Professional Identity in Nursing                    |          | 2     |       |
|      |      | Choose one:   |          |       |       |
| NURS | 4V14 | Special Studies in Nursing                          |          | 3     |       |
|      |      | Or Approved Elective                                |          |       |       |
| NURS | 4316 | Scholarship in Nursing Practice                     |          | 3     |       |
| NURS | 4322 | Health Policy & Healthcare Systems (UD UCA Core: D) |          | 3     |       |
| NURS | 4335 | Nursing Informatics                                 |          | 3     |       |
| NURS | 4340 | Health & Physical Assessment                        |          | 3     |       |
| NURS | 4345 | Pathophysiology Clinical Applications               |          | 3     |       |
| NURS | 4511 | Community & Population Health Nursing for RN's      |          | 5     |       |
| NURS | 4516 | Nursing Leadership & Management                     |          | 5     |       |

Total: 30

#### **Articulation Credit Awarded Post-Completion of UCA Nursing Courses (42 Credit Hours)**

|      |      |                                       | Hours |
|------|------|---------------------------------------|-------|
| NURS | 2305 | Health Assessment                     | 3     |
| NURS | 3205 | Pharmacology II                       | 2     |
| NURS | 3303 | Nursing Fundamentals                  | 3     |
| NURS | 3408 | Nursing Care of the Older Adult       | 4     |
| NURS | 3405 | Nursing Skills                        | 4     |
| NURS | 3406 | Child & Adolescent Nursing            | 4     |
| NURS | 3407 | Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing     | 4     |
| NURS | 3525 | Medical-Surgical Nursing I            | 5     |
| NURS | 4403 | Maternal Newborn Nursing              | 4     |
| NURS | 4430 | Immersion Experience (UD UCA Core: Z) | 4     |
| NURS | 4525 | Medical-Surgical Nursing II           | 5     |

Total: 42

BSN Total: 121<sup>7</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This checklist is designed to serve as a guide regarding the UCA RN-to-BSN Pre-Admission courses which can be completed on the ASUTR campus. It is the student's responsibility to verify that all ASUTR state minimum core course and prerequisite requirements are being met.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Courses listed in **bold** may have been completed as part of the Associate of Applied Science in Registered Nursing.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> UCA course is either guaranteed by ACTS (acts.adhe.edu) or by UCA Department Chair approval (if blank, elective credit will be awarded).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Student must earn a grade of "C" or higher in all of the courses within this section.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Student may choose to complete a Speech Communication course or an additional Fine Arts/Humanities or Social Science course in order to fulfill the State Minimum General Education Core Curriculum.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Students who previously attended UCA are encouraged to use this guide as well. Such students will need to apply for readmission to UCA once all RN-to-BSN prerequisite requirements have been met.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> For more information about the program, please visit uca.edu/online, contact Julie Ingram, RN Education Counselor, (501)852-0177 or jjones111@uca.edu or visit uca.edu/nursing. If you have credit to transfer from another institution, please contact Ms. Ingram for assistance.