

# OZARKS TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Nursing – Practical

Location: Springfield Campus

Preferred Course Sequence for Spring Admission

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Preadmission Requirements		Spring	Summer	Fall
Human Anatomy <b>BCS 165</b>  4	Human Physiology <b>BCS 205</b>  4	Personal Vocational Concepts <b>NUR 101</b>  2	Adult Med. Surg. I <b>NUR 205</b>  7	Adult Med. Surg. II <b>NUR 215</b>  7
<sup>1</sup> Allied Health Nutrition <b>BCS 132</b>  3	Introduction to Psychology <b>PSY 110</b>  3	Fundamentals of Nursing I <b>NUR 110</b>  3	7	Maternal & Pediatric Nursing <b>NUR 225</b>  7
	<sup>2</sup> Composition I <b>ENG 101</b>  3	Fundamentals of Nursing II <b>NUR 120</b>  3		Comm. & Mental Health <b>NUR 230</b>  2
<b>Certificate</b>		8		Management <b>NUR 240</b>  1
<b>49 Total Hours</b>				17

<sup>1</sup>Students are advised to complete BCS 132 to build a foundation for BCS 165 & 205. It may be taken concurrently with BCS 165. One of the major components of this course is research as well as many concepts taught in Human Anatomy.

<sup>2</sup>ENG 100 (Composition I w/support) may be taken as an alternative.

**EXCEPTIONS:** Contact Allied Health Admissions ([alliedhealthadmissions@otc.edu](mailto:alliedhealthadmissions@otc.edu)) if any of these apply:

- ✓ If you have taken BCS 120, BCS 145, or BCS 146, prior to the FA 18 semester.
- ✓ All BCS course(s) were completed more than 5 years ago.
- ✓ If a passing grade is not achieved after two attempts in any preadmission requirement, an applicant may not be considered for the program. See the OTC policy for repeat course grades: <https://students.otc.edu/registrar/course-repeat-policy/>
- ✓ If a 6 hour anatomy and physiology course has been taken at an accredited institution other than OTC and it has been taken within the last 5 years (based on final review of the official transcript and in accordance with specific transfer credit), BCS 205 would be required to complete the 8 credit hour A&P progression.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT PREADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

- **Application Deadline: October 1**
- All preadmission requirements must be completed or be in the process of completing in the semester you apply to the program (fall semester).
- Mid-term grades will be used if completing preadmission requirements in the fall semester.
- A grade of “C” or higher is required in all preadmission requirements as part of the selection process.
- Points are given on grades made in Anatomy and Physiology.

Preadmission Requirements for Associate of Science in Nursing	Suggested General Education Courses for Additional Hours
<b>CHM 101 Introductory Chemistry</b> 4 credit hours	<b>ENG 180 Introduction to Literature</b> 3 credit hours
<b>BCS 200 Microbiology</b> (4 credit hours) Prerequisite(s): Grade of “C” or better in BCS 165 or BCS 205 or concurrent enrollment	<b>HSC 120 Medical Terminology</b> 3 credit hours
<b>MTH 128 Contemporary Mathematics or higher</b> 3 credit hours	<b>HSC 110 Introduction to Health Professions</b> 1 credit hour
<b>PLS 101 American Government &amp; Politics</b> 3 credit hours This is not a preadmission requirement but is a requirement for the AAS degree.	<b>CIS 101 Technology &amp; Digital Literacy</b> 3 credit hours

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

- ✓ The NUR courses within the bolded border represent the courses that will be taken following acceptance into the program through the selective admission application process. This program requires a full time, daytime commitment.
- ✓ Review the “[Application Checklist](#)” to complete the application process.
- ✓ This block diagram is provided to aid in advising students and tracking course completion.
- ✓ OTC reserves the right to modify courses titles, sequences, and content in accordance with college procedures.
- ✓ Visit the Springfield PN webpage for additional information:  
<https://academics.otc.edu/alliedhealth/practical-nursing-sgf/>.
- ✓ You may also contact Allied Health Admissions at (417

***Background Check – Students with a felony or a significant criminal history may not be able to participate in clinical experiences at some of our sites and may not be able to apply for a license to practice. Contact the Allied Health Office for additional information ([alliedhealth@otc.edu](mailto:alliedhealth@otc.edu)).***

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