

2023-2024 Degree Map-Bachelor of Science in Nursing

This map is a term-by-term sample course schedule. The milestones listed to the right of each term are designed to keep you on course to graduate in four years. The Sample Schedule serves as a general guideline to help you build a full schedule each term. See course descriptions and prerequisites at <http://www.atu.edu/catalog/>

Possible careers include: Nursing Instructor, Registered Nurse, Community Health Nurse, Home Health Aide, Hospital Nurse, Midwife, Nurse Practitioner, Patient Advocate, Physicians' Office Nurse, Private Nurse, School Nurse

#Prerequisite Courses: ENGL 0303 _____ MATH 0803 _____ MATH 1003 _____ MATH 0903 _____ MATH 1110 _____

Sample Schedule	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes
Semester 1			Semester 1
ENGL 1013- Comp I (ACTS=ENGL 1013)	3	#	Criminal Conv Disclosure signed?_
MATH 1113- College Algebra (ACTS= MATH 1103)	3	#	Milestone
CHEM 1113/1111- Surv. of Chemistry(ACTS=CHEM 1214)	4	#	Milestone
SOC 1003- Introductory Sociology (ACTS= SOCI 1013)	3	#	
Physical Activity	1		
TECH1001: Orientation to the University	1		
Total hours	15	GPA	

Sample Schedule	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes
Semester 2			Semester 2
ENGL 1023- Comp II (ACTS= ENGL 1023)	3	#	Physical Abilities Disclosure signed?_
PSY 2003- General Psychology (ACTS= PSYC 1103)	3	#	
*BIOL 2404- Anat & Physiology I Or BIOL 2014- Human Anat.	4	#	(ACTS= BIOL 2404) Milestone
Social Sci./Fine Arts/Humanities/Comm	3		
U.S. History or Government	3		
Total hours	16	GPA	NURS ADVISOR ASSIGNED

Sample Schedule	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes
Semester 3			Semester 3
BIOL 3054- Microbiology or BIOL 2054- Microbiology for Hlth Sci	4	#	
Fine Arts & Humanities	3		Milestone
Fine Arts & Humanities	3		(ACTS= BIOL 2414) Milestone
*BIOL 2414- Anat & Physiology II Or BIOL 3074- Human Phys	4	#	Submit Application to Upper
NUR 2303- Nutrition	3	#	Level: See Catalog for
Total hours	17	GPA 2.75	Fall/Spring Deadlines

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Semester 4			Semester 4
BIOL 3803/NUR 3803- Applied Pathophysiology	3	#	
PSY 3813- Lifespan Development	3		
NUR 2023- Introduction to Professional Nursing	3	#	Requires admission to Upper Level
NUR 3103- Nursing Skills I	3	#	Requires admission to Upper Level
NUR 3303- Health Assessment	3	#	Requires admission to Upper Level
Total hours	15	GPA	

The Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) is designed to assist in planning the academic progress of students. This system contains information about the transferability of courses within Arkansas public colleges and universities. The Arkansas Course Transfer System can be accessed by searching keyword "ACTS" at <https://adhe.edu/>

Fine Arts and Humanities	U.S. History & Government
ART 2123 Experiencing Art (ACTS=ARTA1003)	HIST 1903 Survey of American History
MUS 2003 Introduction to Music (ACTS=MUSC1003)	HIST 2003 U.S. History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113)
TH 2273 Introduction to Theatre (ACTS=DRAM 1003)	HIST 2013 U.S. History since 1877 (ACTS=HIST2123)
ENGL/JOUR 2173 Introduction to Film	POLS 2003 American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003)
ENGL 2003 Introduction to World Literature (ACTS=ENGL2113)	
ENGL 2013 Intro. to American Literature (ACTS=ENGL2653)	A&P Requirements
PHIL 2003 Introduction to Philosophy (ACTS=PHIL1103)	*Choose sequence 1 (BIOL 2404 and 2414) or sequence 2 (BIOL 2014 and 3074)
PHIL 2053 Introduction to Critical Thinking (ACTS=PHIL 1003)	
1013 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT	
1023 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT	
LEAD 2003 Ethics in Leadership	

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Semester 5			Semester 5
NUR 3204- Theories and Concepts in Nursing I	4	#	
NUR 3213- Care of the Older Adult	3	#	
NUR 3402- Pharmacology I	2	#	
NUR 3404- Practicum in Nursing I--Nursing the Individual Client	4	#	
NUR 3513- Nursing Skills II	3	#	All Jr-Sr Level Nursing Courses require admission to Upper Level
Total hours	16	GPA	

Sample Schedule	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes
Semester 6			Semester 6
NUR 3606- Theories and Concepts in Nursing II	6	#	
NUR 3802- Pharmacology II	2	#	
NUR 3805- Practicum in Nursing II - Nursing the Family	5	#	
Total hours	13	GPA	APPLY FOR GRADUATION

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Semester 7			Semester 7
NUR 4206- Theories and Concepts in Nursing III	6	#	
NUR 4303- Nursing Research	3	#	
NUR 4405- Practicum in Nursing III -- Nursing Clients in Crisis	5	#	
General Elective (NUR 1001 recommended in freshmen year)	1		
Total hours	15	GPA	

Sample Schedule	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes
Semester 8			Semester 8
NUR 4606- Theories and Concepts in Nursing IV	6	#	
NUR 4804- Practicum in Nursing IV--Nursing in the Community	4	#	Graduation Requirements:
NUR 4903- Synthesis of Clinical and Theoretical Nursing	3	#	Min. hours 3000-4000 level courses: 40
Total Hours	13	GPA	No more than 4 PE activity hours Min. hours required:120 2.00+ GPA

General Electives: 1 hour (1000-4000 level)

indicates a "C" or better is required

Social Sciences	Communication Courses
HIST 1503 World History to 1500 (ACTS=HIST1113)	COMM 1003 Intro to Speech Comm
HIST 1513 World History since 1500 (ACTS=HIST1123)	COMM 2003 Public Speaking
HIST 2003 U.S. History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113)	COMM 2173 Business and Professional Speaking
HIST 2013 U.S. History since 1877 (ACTS=HIST2123)	
HIST 1903 Survey of American History	
POLS 2003 American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003)	
ECON 2003 Principles of Macroeconomics (ACTS=ECON2103)	
ECON 2013 Principles of Microeconomics (ACTS=ECON2203)	
SOC 1003 Introductory Sociology (ACTS=SOCI1013)	
PSY 2003 General Psychology (ACTS=PSYC1103)	

University Honors students should consult Course Catalog for appropriate Fine Arts/Humanities, US History/Government and Social Science options for University Honors Curriculum.