

Pre-Nursing Worksheet for Students Entering Fall 2026

(MEETING THESE MINIMUM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS DOES NOT GUARANTEE ADMISSION TO THE NURSING PROGRAM)

I. Admission Requirements:

- A. High School graduate or high school equivalency (GED/HiSET/TASC) – official transcript **MUST** be on file (**foreign transcripts must be evaluated by ECE/WES or any NACES-accredited foreign credential agency and contain the statement “has the equivalent of a US high school diploma”**).
- B. All applicants **MUST** take the ATI TEAS exam: **Applicants must test only on designated ATI TEAS exam dates** (see Nursing Application packet for a list of exam dates). Only in-person test scores will be accepted; online testing is not allowed and will count as an attempt. Applicants are allowed up to two test attempts per application cycle (see Nursing worksheet or retake eligibility). Official scores must be transferred in from another institution if taken elsewhere. All scores will be valid for 2 consecutive admission cycles. Priority admission consideration is given for a minimum composite score of 60% or higher. The exam consists of English and Language Usage, Math, Reading, and Science.
- C. Complete 10 semester hours of college credit: BIO 203 (4), PSY 101 (3), ENG 101 (3). Must be completed with a minimum grade of “C” by the end of the Spring 2026 semester.
- D. All applicants **MUST** attend a Mandatory Nursing Information Session during the current application cycle. **Prior admission cycle attendance DOES NOT count** (see Nursing Application for a list of dates).

II. Special Notes:

- A. **Current CPR certification must be completed before the start of the Nursing program through the AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION CPR course**. The card **must** read “**BASIC LIFE SUPPORT PROVIDER**” and will be valid for 2 years. **Red Cross certification is NOT acceptable**. CPR certification is a program requirement, not an admissions requirement.
- B. Since nursing applications are reviewed in June, all admission requirements must be completed by the end of the spring 2026 semester. The number of students that can be accommodated in this program is limited and can vary based on clinical site availability.

III. General Education Requirements:

Applicants who complete all of these courses increase their chance for admission.

PREREQUISITES				
Course	Term	Grade	Sem. Hrs.	Description
BIO 203			4	Human Anatomy and Physiology I – must be completed Fall 2021 or after (pre-requisite CHM 100 or BIO 102)
ENG 101			3	Rhetoric I
PSY 101			3	Intro. to Psychology
OTHER GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS				
BIO 204			4	Human Anatomy and Physiology II – must be completed Fall 2021 or after (Completion required by the end of the first semester of the Nursing Program)
PSY 215			3	Life Span: A Survey of Human Development (Completion required by the end of the second semester of the Nursing Program)
ENG 102			3	Rhetoric II (Completion required by the end of the third semester of the Nursing Program)
BIO 212			4	Microbiology - must be completed Fall 2021 or after (Completion required by the end of the third semester the of Nursing Program)
HUM: _____			3	Any Art, Language, HIS 103 or 104, Humanities, Literature, Music, Philosophy, or Theater Arts course (Completion required by the end the of fourth semester of the Nursing Program)

Nursing Pre-Req./Gen. Ed. Checklist – Fall 2026

APPLICATION ONLY AVAILABLE AFTER ATTENDING A MANDATORY INFO SESSION

Application Submission Period: 9/25/2025-1/15/2026

Proof of In-District Employment Deadline: 5/21/2026

High School Transcript Deadline: 5/21/2026

College Transcript Deadline: 5/21/2026

ALL PROGRAM GENERAL EDUCATION COURSEWORK, INCLUDING PREREQUISITES*, AND NURSING COURSEWORK MUST BE COMPLETED WITH A GRADE OF "C" OR BETTER. HOWEVER, PLEASE NOTE THAT THE NURSING GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES MUST BE COMPLETED WITH A MINIMUM GPA OF 2.5 FOR ADMISSION CONSIDERATION. ADDITIONALLY, THE MORTON COLLEGE CUMULATIVE GPA MUST BE A MINIMUM OF 2.0. IF THERE IS NO MORTON COLLEGE GPA, CUMMULATIVE GPA WILL BE CALCULATED USING TRANSFER TRANSCRIPTS.

Course	Grade		Multiplier	Points	A = 4	B = 3	C = 2
*BIO 203	_____	x	8	_____			
*ENG 101	_____	x	3	_____			
*PSY 101	_____	x	3	_____			
BIO 204	_____	x	8	_____			
BIO 212	_____	x	8	_____			
ENG 102	_____	x	3	_____			
HUM ____ (3)		NO POINTS AWARDED					
PSY 215	_____	x	3	_____			
Total				(_____)			

PLEASE NOTE:
Attendance at a Nursing
Information Session is
MANDATORY!!
See One Stop Center to
schedule a session.

***PREREQUISITE COURSES:** *These courses must be completed by the end of spring 2026 for admission consideration and ranking score calculation.* HIGHLY RECOMMENDED for applicants to also complete PEH 103 to increase success in the program (no points awarded for PEH 103).

Nursing program admission is based on a ranking score formula, with the highest-ranked applicants admitted to the program. For each of the above completed courses, multiply the grade points earned by the multiplier listed for each course. Then tally the points column. Finally, multiply that total by 100 and divide by 144 for the course points.

The following formula will be used to calculate the applicant's overall ranking score:

$$\text{TOTAL RANKING SCORE} = \frac{(\text{Course Points} \times 100)}{144} + \text{TEAS Composite Score} + \text{GPA Bonus Points} + \text{TEAS Bonus} + \text{Credential Bonus}$$

(Bonus points awarded for TEAS first attempt performance, GPA of 3.0 or higher, Bachelor's degree and/or valid CNA certificate)

Admission Tiers:

GUARANTEED ADMISSION - TEAS composite 80%+ (only applies to TEAS first attempt)

TIER 1 – Total ranking score of 209.0 or higher

TIER 2 – Total ranking score of 175.0 to 208.9

TIER 3 – Total ranking score of 142 to 174.9 (conditionally admitted with mandatory remediation)

**Note: due to space limitations, students will be admitted until capacity is reached. Not all ranked students will be admitted.*

- Students are allowed only ONE READMISSION to the Nursing Program after first admission.
- A physical examination is required. Updated immunization(s) may also be required.
- Medical insurance is required before starting the Nursing Program.
- TEAS Test exam results will be valid for 2 consecutive admissions cycles. Applicants are allowed two attempts per application cycle. Applicants are responsible for the TEAS Test exam fee.
- Admission to the Nursing Program is conditional on passing a criminal background check (requiring a Social Security Number) and a 10-panel drug screen.