



2006 – 07 PETITION/PROGRAM SHEET

Degree: Associate of Applied Science

Major: Nursing

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About This Degree . . .

This program is designed for Licensed Practical Nurses to achieve an Associate of Applied Science in Nursing Degree, opening up greater employment opportunities, increased compensation, and more job security. The Associate of Applied Science in Nursing program prepares the student to be a technical nurse who has achieved a balance between general college and nursing education. The associate of applied science in nursing RN is prepared to be a direct care giver in hospitals, long-term facilities, and ambulatory care-clinic settings.

The potential student must demonstrate college-level proficiency in reading, writing and mathematics in order to be admitted to this program. This program has selective admission requirements and requirements may change from year to year. It is the student's responsibility to obtain the current admission requirements.

POLICIES:

- 1. It is your responsibility to determine whether you have met the requirements for your degree. Please see the MSC Catalog for a complete list of graduation requirements.
2. You must turn in your "Intent to Graduate" form to the Registrar's Office at the beginning of the semester prior to graduating.
3. This program sheet must be submitted with your graduation planning sheet to your advisor during the semester prior to graduating, no later than March 1 for Fall graduates.
4. Your advisor will sign and forward the Program Sheet and Graduation Planning Sheet to the Department Head for signature.
5. Finally, the Department Head or the department administrative assistant will take the signed forms to the Registrar's Office. (Students cannot handle the forms once the advisor signs.)
6. If your petition for graduation is denied, it will be your responsibility to reapply for graduation in a subsequent semester. Your "Intent to Graduate" does not automatically move to a later graduation date.
7. NOTE: The semester before graduation, you may be required to take a Major Field Achievement Test (exit exam).

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ STUDENT ID # \_\_\_\_\_

LOCAL ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

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I, (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_, hereby certify that I have completed (or will complete) all the courses listed on the Program Sheet. I further certify that the grade listed for those courses is the final course grade received except for the courses in which I am currently enrolled and the courses which I complete next semester. I have indicated the semester in which I will complete these courses.

Signature of Advisor \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_

Signature of Department Head \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_

Signature of Registrar \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_

- A cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or higher must be maintained for all courses taken and for the courses which comprise the area of emphasis in NURS.
- The general education courses and prerequisites should be completed prior to beginning the NURS courses.
- It is recommended that students work closely with a faculty advisor when selecting appropriate courses and scheduling classes.

**GENERAL EDUCATION** (18 Semester Hours)

Course	No.	Credit	Grade	Term	Year	Trns/Subs
<b>English</b> (6 semesters)						
ENGL	<u>111</u>	<u>3</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
ENGL	<u>112</u>	<u>3</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
<b>Math</b> (4 semesters) MATH 113 or UTEC 107 (MATH 113 suggested, UTEC 107 will not count toward the BSN)						
_____	_____	<u>4</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences, Humanities or Selected Speech Courses</b> (6 semesters)						
PSYC	<u>233</u>	<u>3</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	<u>3</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
<b>Kinesiology</b> (2 semesters)						
KINE/HPWA	<u>100</u>	<u>1</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
KINA/HPWE	_____	<u>1</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____

See the M.S.C. catalog for the list of approved KINA/HPWE/Selected DANC courses.

**PREREQUISITES** (8 Semester Hours)

Course	No.	Credit	Grade	Term	Year	Trns/Subs
<b>Prerequisites:</b>						
BIOL	<u>209</u>	<u>3</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
BIOL	<u>209L</u>	<u>1</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
BIOL	<u>210</u>	<u>3</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
BIOL	<u>210L</u>	<u>1</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
PSYC	<u>233</u>	This course is counted with the general education courses, but is a prerequisite for the L.P.N. to A.A.S. in Nursing program.				

**Associate of Applied Science in Nursing Course Requirements** (25 Semester Hours)

Course	No.	Credit	Grade	Term	Year	Trns/Subs	Course	No.	Credit	Grade	Term	Year	Trns/Subs
NURS	<u>200</u>	<u>1</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____	NURS	<u>210</u>	<u>5</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
NURS	<u>206</u>	<u>5</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____	NURS	<u>216</u>	<u>4</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
NURS	<u>288</u>	<u>2</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____	NURS	<u>217</u>	<u>2</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
NURS	<u>211</u>	<u>5</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____	NURS	<u>289</u>	<u>1</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____

**GENERAL EDUCATION AND PREREQUISITES** (26 Semester Hours)

**English – 6 Semester Hours**  
ENGL 111 and ENGL 112

**Mathematics – 4 semester hours**  
UTEC 107 or MATH 113

**Social and Behavioral Science, Humanities, or Selected Speech Courses – 6 semester hours** (See current MSC catalog for the approved list of courses that fulfill this requirement.)

**Kinesiology – 2 semester hours**  
KINE/HPWA 100 and one KINA/HPWE/Selected DANC course

**PREREQUISITES**

- BIOL 209 and BIOL 209L \*
- BIOL 210 and BIOL 210L \*
- PSYC 233 \*\*

\* BIOL 209/209L and BIOL 210/210L must have been completed within five years prior to applying to the nursing program.

\*\* This course is counted with the general education courses, but is a prerequisite for the L.P.N. to A.A.S. in Nursing program.

**Associate of Applied Science in Nursing Course Requirements (25 Semester Hours)**

NURS 200 Role Transition  
NURS 206 Advanced Concepts of Medical-Surgical Nursing I  
NURS 210 Nursing Care of Complex OB and Pediatrics  
NURS 211 Nursing Care of Psychiatric Clients  
NURS 216 Advanced Concepts of Medical-Surgical Nursing I  
NURS 217 Leadership for Professional Nursing Practice  
NURS 288 Practicum: Health and Physical Assessment for Nursing  
NURS 289 Capstone: Comprehensive Nursing Internship

**IV Certification:** \_\_\_\_\_

**LPN (27 hours):**

Previous Degree \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

NLN Accredited \_\_\_\_\_

## SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCING FOR THE ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE WITH A MAJOR IN NURSING

This is a recommended sequence of course work. Certain courses may have prerequisites or are only offered during the Fall or Spring semesters. It is the student's responsibility to meet with their advisor and check the 2 year course matrix on the Mesa State website for course availability.

### FIRST YEAR

<b>First Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Spring Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>
ENGL 111    English Composition	3	ENGL 112    English Composition	3
BIOL 209*    Human Anatomy and Physiology I	3	MATH 113    College Algebra <b>or</b>	
BIOL 209L*    Human Anatomy and Physiology I Lab	1	UTEC 107***    Math for Technology	4
PSYC 233**    Human Growth & Development	3	BIOL 210*    Human Anatomy and Physiology II	3
General Education Soc/Beh. Sci, Humanities, or Appl St.	<u>3</u>	BIOL 210L*    Human Anatomy and Physiology II Lab	1
	13	KINE/HPWA 100    Health and Wellness	1
		KINA/HPWE    Activity	<u>1</u>
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**\*BIOL 209/209L and BIOL 210/210L must have been completed within five years prior to applying to the nursing program.**

**\*\*This course is counted with the general education courses, but is a prerequisite for the L.P.N. to A.A.S. in Nursing program.**

**\*\*\*UTEC 107 does not count toward the B.S.N.**

### SECOND YEAR

<b>Third Semester (Spring)</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Fourth Semester (Summer)</b>	<b>Hours</b>
NURS 200    Role Transition	1	NURS 211    Nursing Care of Psychiatric Clients	5
NURS 206    Adv. Concepts of Med/Surg Nursing	5	NURS 217    Leadership for Prof. Nursing Practice	<u>2</u>
NURS 288    Practicum: Health & Assessment for Nurs.	<u>2</u>		7
	8		
<b>Fifth Semester (Fall)</b>	<b>Hours</b>		
NURS 210    Nursing Care of Complex OB and Peds	5		
NURS 216    Adv. Concepts of Med/Surg Nursing II	4		
NURS 289    Capstone: Comp. Nursing Internship	<u>1</u>		
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