

**OUACHITA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY**

Degree: B.S.N.

Major: Nursing (BSN-O Completion Degree)

2020-21

<b>COMMON CORE</b>		<b>Credit Hours</b>
All students take the following courses.		
CORE 1001	Orientation to Online Learning	1
CORE 1043	Composition I	3
CORE 1113	Survey of the Bible	3
CORE 1123*	Interpreting the Bible	3
* May be satisfied by BSTH 4403 Christian Theology for RN to BSN students.		
<b>FLEXIBLE CORE</b>		
Choose as indicated from each of the seven categories.		
<b>Analytic &amp; Quantitative Reasoning</b>		3
MATH 1003	College Algebra (Required)	
<b>Applied Skills (Satisfied by Major)</b>		0
<b>Artistic Engagement (One course)</b>		3
CORE 2233	World Literature	
FINA 3113	Fine Arts: Art	
FINA 3123	Fine Arts: Music	
FINA 3133	Fine Arts: Theatre	
<b>Civic and Social Engagement (Two Courses)</b>		6
CORE 1023	The Contemporary World	
CORE 2213	History of World Societies	
PSCI 2013	American National Government	
HIST 2013	United States History Since 1877	
<b>Intercultural Appreciation and Communication<sup>1</sup></b>		3-6
COMM/MSSN 4313 or Approved foreign language	Intercultural Communication OR Two semesters of credit in the same foreign language. May also be satisfied by approved language-intensive study-abroad experience. (This option requires an additional 3-hour upper-division elective to satisfy the junior/senior hour requirement.)	
<b>Physical Well-being (Satisfied by major)</b>		0
<b>Total</b>		<b>25-28</b>

<sup>1</sup> For more detail, refer to the School of Interdisciplinary Studies section of the catalog.

<b>GENERAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS</b>	
At least 24 hours with grades of C or higher in the major	
Jr./Sr. Hours: At least 39 total, 12 in the major and 6 in the minor	
At least 30 hours taken at OBU, including 30 of last 36 hours.	

<b>PREREQUISITES FOR ADMISSION TO BSN</b>		<b>Credit Hours</b>
All Courses must be completed with a C or higher		
Have completed an approved diploma or an AAS degree in Nursing and hold an unencumbered license		
Up to 40 credit hours from Accredited Nursing Organization or AR State Board of Arkansas Approved AAS or Diploma School Example courses are listed below. (Hours determined on an individual basis.) <a href="https://www.arsbn.org/Websites/arsbn/images/ProgressionModel.May.2016.pdf">https://www.arsbn.org/Websites/arsbn/images/ProgressionModel.May.2016.pdf</a>		40
Fundamentals of Nursing Adult Nursing Pharmacology Women's and Children's Health Mental Health		(Transferred in)
<b>Total</b>		<b>40</b>

<b>MAJOR</b>		<b>Credit Hours</b>
All courses must be completed with a C or higher		
<b>Biology Prerequisites</b>		
BIOL 2014	Human Anatomy & Physiology I	4
BIOL 2024	Human Anatomy & Physiology II	4
BIOL 2604	Applied Microbiology	4
<b>Total</b>		<b>12</b>

<b>BSN Requirements</b>		
NURS 3003	Theories in Nursing	3
NURS 3013	Informatics in Health Care	3
NURS 3023	Issues and Ethics	3
NURS 3102	Evidence-Based Nursing Research	2
NURS 3111	Seminar: Applying Evidence-Based Nursing Research	1
NURS 3203	Advanced Health Assessment	3
NURS 4003	Health Care Pathophysiology	3
NURS 4014	Community Health (Includes 1 credit hour practicum)	4
NURS 4023	Transcultural Nursing	3
NURS 4034	Leadership & Management in BSN Practice (Includes 1 credit hour practicum)	4
NURS 4601	Capstone	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>30</b>

<b>ADDITIONAL AREA REQUIREMENTS</b>		
CHEM 1024	Fundamentals of Chemistry	4
CORE 2053 or ENGL 3013	Composition II or Technical & Professional Writing	3
PSYC 1013	General Psychology	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>10</b>

<b>ADDITIONAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS</b>	
Earn a C or higher in CORE 1043, MATH 1003, all nursing prerequisites listed above, and in all nursing courses.	
Maintain overall GPA of 2.5 or higher	

<b>MINOR:</b> The minor requirement is waived	-
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<b>ELECTIVES:</b> Choose courses to total 120 hours, including 39 Jr/Sr-level hours.	0-3
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<b>CREDIT HOUR SUMMARY</b>	
<b>CORE</b>	<b>25-28</b>
<b>NURSING PREREQUISITES FOR ADMISSION (Transferred in)</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>BIOLOGY REQUIREMENTS</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>BSN REQUIREMENTS</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>ADDITIONAL AREA REQUIREMENTS</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>ELECTIVES</b>	<b>0-3</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>120</b>