

College of Health Sciences & Human Services

R.N. to B.S.N.

Degree Offered at Fort Worth Location

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YEAR	General Education and Prerequisite Requirements to be taken from a Regionally Accredited Institution		
F I R S T & S E C O N D	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
		Satisfied by completion of RN as well as completion of state mandated 42 hour core curriculum in addition to or including the following prerequisites: MATH 1342, BIOL 2401, BIOL 2402, BIOL 2420, CHEM 1407, PSYC 2301, PSYC 3307, HECO 1322 and one 3 semester credit hour approved Upper Level Elective*.	None
Total Hours			90
The RN is awarded 31 SCH for past education upon successful completion of the nursing courses listed below.			

YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER		
T H I R D	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
	NURS 3305	None	3	NURS 3440	None	4
	NURS 3342	None	3	NURS 4314	None	3
	NURS 3348*	None	3	NURS 4450*	None	4
	NURS 3345	None	3	NURS 4455	None	4
	NURS 4360	None	3			
	Total Hours			15	Total Hours	

*Designates Writing Intensive Courses

#See University Catalog or Academic Advisor for Applicable Courses

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Degree Specific

- This evaluation is contingent on the successful completion of each class. Please note this evaluation is designed with **prerequisites in mind.**
- Please see the Undergraduate Catalog for details for application to this entry. Catalog.tarleton.edu/undergrad/collegeofhealthsciencesandhumanservices/nursing/.
- The RN to BSN entry is delivered using a hybrid or blended learning approach which combines face-to-face classroom and online learning activities through Blackboard, Tarleton's learning management system.
- Hold a current, unencumbered license as a registered nurse in the United States and be eligible for unencumbered licensure in Texas. Proof of unencumbered current Texas license must be demonstrated by the start of course work.
- CHEM 1405 or 1406 may be used for CHEM 1407. PSYC 2314 may be used for PSYC 3307. An approved lower level elective may be used for the approved upper level elective. These exceptions will be initiated by an academic advisor or Nursing Faculty member.

Degree Information

- This 120 hour degree plan provides a model for on-time completion of this TSU program using as many TCCNS courses as possible. See the current Undergraduate Catalog for course prerequisites. Course availability at TSU is subject to change, and the plan may change based on updates to TSU's course offerings.
- Texas Common Course Numbering System (TCCNS) provides a shared, uniform set of course designations for students and their advisors to use in determining both course equivalency and degree applicability of transfer credit on a statewide basis.
- **Individual academic programs may require specific courses contained in parts of the University Core Curriculum as prerequisites for certain major requirements.** Students who wish to take courses that will fulfill both core and major requirements simultaneously should check with academic advisors for assistance in selecting core courses.
- Students meet the Writing Proficiency Requirement by completing two upper-level Writing Intensive courses in their major or courses designed for their degree program. Contact the Academic Advisor for additional information or questions.
- Residence is satisfied only by official enrollment in and completion of course work applied toward the degree requirements.
 - A minimum of 30 semester hours of work must be completed through upper level courses (3000 or 4000 level) delivered by Tarleton and 12 of these advanced hours must be in the major.
- How does duplicating a course impact my GPA?
 - A student may take a course a second or subsequent time at the same institution. The highest grade will be included in the GPA calculation.
- Can I take a course at another school and transfer it back to TSU?
 - If you plan to take a course at another school and transfer it back to TSU, you need to meet with both an advisor and Transfer Services. An advisor can tell you the correct course number to take and assist with completion of a Concurrent Enrollment Form if needed.