

Triton College and Mennonite College of Nursing at Illinois State University

3+1 Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing

A convenient, affordable and streamlined approach to turn an Associate in Applied Science into a Bachelor of Science in nursing.



Who Can Enroll in the Program?

New Students

- Who want an RN license before pursuing their BSN.

Currently Enrolled

- Students who are in the RN Program at Triton College and seek a clear path toward obtaining their BSN.
- A transcript evaluation will need to be completed by both schools to certify that all prerequisites have been met.

Please contact your advisor for degree and partnership requirements.

Program Overview

- The first three years are offered by Triton with the final year in the Mennonite College of Nursing at ISU.
- For students earning a BSN at ≥ 120 credit hours, including at least 89 credit hours of Triton College courses and a minimum of 31 credit hours of ISU coursework.
- It is recommended that students apply for admission at ISU at least one semester prior to completing the degree to ensure that all appropriate coursework is completed prior to entry.
- Students must meet all prerequisite coursework and must maintain a 2.0 GPA at Triton College to remain eligible for potential admission to this program.
- Triton College students must: 1) complete an online application, 2) request a final official transcript to be sent to ISU after completing the aforementioned AAS degree for final verification, 3) submit a copy of an active RN license or proof of a scheduled NCLEX, 4) submit an updated resume 5) submit a personal statement, and 6) must complete all prerequisite coursework.

The Advantage

The 3+1 program allows students to complete their AAS degree from Triton College. Once completed, students are allowed to take additional courses beyond their degree at Triton. Illinois State University teaches the final year of classes online.

3+1 Benefits

- Maximize transfer credit.
- Save time and money.
- Ability to enter the nursing field prior to obtaining the bachelor's degree.
- Convenient online class format

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3+1 Agreement Between Triton College and Mennonite College of Nursing

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ACADEMIC PLAN

TRITON COLLEGE

CREDITS

Pre-RN Admission Courses

PSY 100 Introduction to Psychology	
BIS 240 Human Anatomy & Physiology I	
BIS 241 Human Anatomy & Physiology II	
MAT 170 Elementary Statistics	
RHT 101 Freshman Rhetoric & Composition I	
CHM 110 Fundamentals of Chemistry OR CHM 140 General Chemistry I	

Semester One

AHL 109 Drug Calculations	1
BIS 222 Principles of Microbiology	4
BIS 242 Introduction to Human Pathophysiology	3
NUR 106 Nursing Concepts and Practice	1
NUR 107 Introduction to Nursing Roles	3
NUR 108 Nursing Roles Clinical	1
NUR 109 Physical Assessment	3
	16

Semester Two

AHL 112 Pharmacology and Drug Administration*	3
EDU 206 Human Growth and Development	3
NUR 111 Adult Health Concepts I	3
NUR 113 Adult Health Clinical I	1
NUR 116 Adult Health Concepts I	3
NUR 117 Adult Health Clinical II	1
	14

Semester Three (Summer)

RHT 102 Freshman Rhetoric and Composition II	3
SPE 101 Principles of Effective Speaking	3
	6

Semester Four

NUR 207 Mental Health Concepts	2
NUR 208 Mental Health Clinical	1
NUR 209 Maternal Child Concepts	2
NUR 211 Maternal Child Clinical	1
NUR 213 Pediatric Health Concepts	2
NUR 214 Pediatric Health Clinical	1
SOC 100 Introduction to Sociology	3
	12

Semester Five

AHL 202 Comprehensive Medical Ethics	3
NUR 215 Adult Health Concepts III	4
NUR 216 Adult Health Clinical III	1
NUR 217 Leadership and Role Transition Concepts	2
NUR 218 Leadership and Role Transition Clinical	1
NUR 219 Exit Seminar	1
	12

RN Credits

60

Additional Courses

HTH 120 Nutrition Science	3
IAI Humanities or Fine Arts courses (two of one, one of the other)**	9

*To take this course prior to entry into the RN Program, students must obtain the approval of the Allied Health (AHL) coordinator.

**At least one of these courses must satisfy ISU's "Cultures and traditions of Asia, the Middle East, Africa, Latin America, or Indigenous (AMALI) Peoples of the World" requirement; please see table below for transferable courses.

AMALI Fine Arts / Humanities Courses

ART 114 Survey of Asian Art	3
HUM 165 Introduction to Latino and Latin American Studies	3
PHL 105 World Religions	3

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS TRANSFERABLE TO MENNONITE COLLEGE OF NURSING AT ISU

94-95

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CREDITS

NUR 223 Concepts of Professional Nursing	4
NUR 236 Research of Professional Nursing Practice	3
NUR 330 Public Health Nursing	5
NUR 238 Cultural & Spiritual Dimensions in Healthcare	1
NUR 226 Concepts of Professional Nursing	3
Three Additional Required Courses (ARC)	9
NUR 341 Leadership Dimensions in Nursing	6

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS EARNED AT MENNONITE COLLEGE OF NURSING AT ISU

31

TOTAL DEGREE

125-126

Please note all Triton coursework must be completed before the student's final ISU-MCN year.

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