

SOUTHWESTERN ADVENTIST UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF NURSING
Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree Plan – Transfer Students (LVN to BS)

Required Cognate Courses

___ BIOL 101	Anatomy and Physiology I* [†]	4
___ BIOL 102	Anatomy and Physiology II* [†]	4
___ BIOL 220	Microbiology and Immunology* [†]	4
___ CHEM 105	Survey of Chemistry* [†]	4
___ KINT 216	Nutrition	3
___ PSYC 212	General Psychology* [†]	3
___ PSYC 220	Human Growth & Development* [†]	3
___ SOCI 111	Intro. To Sociology*	3
___ MATH 141	Intro. to Prob. & Statistics*	3

*Prerequisites to NURS 221

[†] Completed within the last seven years.

All nursing and cognate courses: minimum grade of C or better.

General Education Courses

___ ENGL 121	Freshman Composition*	3
___ ENGL 220	Research Writing*	3
___ ENGL	Literature Elective	3
___ HIST	History Elective	3
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___	Fine Arts Elective	3
___ KINA	P.E. Elective	1
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At SWAU

___	Religion Elective	3
___	Religion Elective (Upper Division)	3
___ UNIV111	Wellness for Life	2

Recommendations for Religion Courses:

Lower division: RELT 101, RELB 211, RELT 212, RELT 220, RELH 233

Upper division: RELT 312, RELT 325

Nursing externship: Recommended during final summer prior to graduation.

Note: See SWAU Catalog for complete listing of graduation requirements.

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SEMESTER 1		
NURS 210	LVN to RN Bridge	1
NURS 212	Physical Assessment	3
NURS 227	Gerontological Nursing	3
UNIV 111	Wellness for Life	2
REL_	Religion	3
Total		12
SEMESTER 2		
NURS 313	Pathophysiology	3
NURS 314	Medical-Surgical Nursing I	3
NURS 317	Pharmacology	3
REL_	Religion (upper division)	3
Total		12
SEMESTER 3		
NURS 335	Medical-Surgical Nursing II	5
NURS 321	Evidence Based Practice	3
NURS 318	Child Health Nursing	4
Total		12
SEMESTER 4		
NURS 418	Maternal Newborn Nursing	4
NURS 426	Nursing Leadership	3
NURS 416	Medical-Surgical Nursing III	4
NURS 410	Disaster Readiness & Intervention	1
Total		12
SEMESTER 5		
NURS 417	Mental Health Nursing	4
NURS 434	Population Health	4
NURS 420	Medical-Surgical Nursing IV	2
NURS 450	Nursing Capstone	4
Total		14
No non-nursing courses allowed during final semester.		

Credit by proficiency/LVN License upon completion of first semester of the program.

NURS 221	Fundamentals of Nursing	6 credits
NURS 314c	Clinical for Medical Surgical I	2 credits

Notes: _____
