Transfer Guide: COCC Nursing to Bushnell BSN or MSN

Prepare for the next stage in your education

Bushnell University and Central Oregon Community College have collaborated to create a streamlined pathway for new nurses to earn their BSN or MSN.

- ✓ All COCC nursing graduates who meet the requirements will be granted admission
- ✓ No specific course prerequisites
- ✓ No upper-division credits required outside the 30-credit BSN major
- ✓ Fully online BSN & MSN programs for working nurses
- ✓ CCNE-accredited

By following the worksheet below, you can complete 100% of the general education core for the bachelor's degree at COCC, minimizing your time and cost to earn your BSN or MSN.

Note: These requirements do not have to be met prior to enrolling at Bushnell. This guide is a tool for planning purposes.

The general education core requirements are alternatively fulfilled with an AAOT or a prior bachelor's degree.

| Bushnell University General Education Core Requirements | Central Oregon Community College Equivalent Courses | |
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| Writing | WR 121 (4 credits) | ✓ |
| WR 121WR 123 | WR 122 (4 credit, including research) – not WR 227 | |
| Humanities 15 semester credits (23 quarter credits). Must | NUR 106 meets communication requirement. | ✓ |
| include: | NUR 208 meets ethics requirement. | ✓ |
| One communications course | NUR 108 counts toward humanities. | √ |
| One ethics courseOne literature course | Literature (ENG) course can be completed at COCC or Bushnell. | |
| Social Sciences | History course can be completed at COCC or Bushnell. | |
| 15 semester credits (23 quarter credits). Must include: | PSY 215 counts toward social science. | ✓ |
| One history course | Additional nursing courses in COCC's program count toward social science and meet the remaining credit requirement. | ✓ |
| Diversity | | √ |
| At least one course addressing topics of cultural and/or ethnic diversity in society | NUR 106 meets diversity requirement. | |
| Math/Science/Computer | Math 105 can be completed at COCC or Bushnell. | |
| One course of each, minimum 4 credits each: | Note: Statistics is not required. | |
| Math 105 or higherScience with a lab | BI 231 meets science requirement. | ✓ |
| • Computer | A computer competency exam is available for those who wish to test out of the computer requirement. | |
| Bible/Theology | This content is incorporated into the BSN major at | |
| 8 semester credits | Bushnell. No extra classes required. | |
| Electives | Most nurses have enough transfer credits to meet the electives requirement. A Bushnell enrollment advisor can review your transcripts to determine if any additional credits are needed. If so, they can be taken through COCC or Bushnell. | |



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Bushnell Transfer Programs for COCC Nursing Students

| Program | Components | Degrees Awarded Upon | Timeline, |
|------------------------|--|---|--|
| | | Graduation | Excluding Gen. Ed. Core |
| RN to | General education core | Bachelor of science in nursing | 12 months (full-time), |
| BSN | 30-credit BSN major | | 21 months (part-time) |
| RN to MSN | General education core 27-credit BSN curriculum 30 or 36-credit MSN curriculum | Bachelor of science in nursing and Master of science in nursing | 2 ½ years (full-time), Just over 3 years (part-time) |
| RN to MSN Bridge | For nurses who hold a bachelor's degree in a non-nursing field. The general education core is already met. • 15 credits of BSN curriculum • 30 or 36-credit MSN curriculum | Master of science in nursing | 2 years plus 1 semester, depending on chosen MSN concentration |

Planning for the next step: determine your specific timeline and cost

Contact a Bushnell enrollment advisor at <u>online@bushnell.edu</u> or 541-684-7343 to have your transcripts reviewed. There is no cost or obligation in this step; it's for your information only.

For students currently enrolled at COCC, we are happy to help you select COCC courses that will meet requirements in the general education core for you bachelor's degree.

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