

KU-Community College Nursing Dual Partnership Program

University of Kansas

Johnson County Community College Transfer Program to the University of Kansas	School of Nursing
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Program Description

The University of Kansas Community College Nursing Partnership offers the comfort and convenience of being a nursing student at JCCC while pursuing both the Associate in Applied Science Degree in Nursing (AAS) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degreecertificates/nursing/nursing-reg-nurse-aas/>) and Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN). The program bypasses the traditional pre-licensure associate degree nursing step. Instead, this curriculum makes it possible for students to complete the AAS and BSN through on-campus courses at JCCC and online courses through KU. After completing the program, students are awarded both JCCC's AAS and KU's BSN.

Admission Requirements

- **Admission Requirements:** Applicant must be admitted to JCCC's AAS in Nursing program and complete 62 credit hours of community college specific prerequisite credit hours (listed below) with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.50, a professional resume, and three letters of reference in addition to the online application.
- **Application Deadline:** Students must begin both the BSN and AAS nursing curriculum during the same fall semester. To have an application considered for admission, all parts of the application (including transcripts and references) must be submitted through the KU Medical Center online application site by July 1 for your anticipated start date. Admission decisions are made as applications are received. Applicants are strongly encouraged to apply early.
- **GPA Calculation:** When calculating GPA, all non-vocational and non-remedial courses from all colleges and universities attended are considered. Except for Intermediate Algebra, remedial courses are not factored into the GPA. When a course is repeated, both the original and the new grade are factored into the GPA. Courses that do not transfer are not factored into the GPA.
- **Pass/Fail Policy:** No Pass/Fail courses will be accepted. Courses with grades of "D" or "F" will not be counted towards the degree.

Prerequisite Requirements

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Course Code	Course Title	Course Hours	Transfer Code	Transfer Title	Transfer Hours
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BIOL 140	Human Anatomy ^	4	BIOL 240	Fundamentals of Human Anatomy/Lab	
BIOL 225	Human Physiology* ^	4	BIOL 246	Principles of Human Physiology	3
BIOL 227	Human Pathophysiology* %	4	BIOL N	Human Pathophysiology	

BIOL 230 & BIOL 231	Microbiology* and Microbiology Lab*	5	BIOL 200 & BIOL 203	Basic Microbiology and Introductory Microbiology Lab	5
BIOL 235	The Science of Human Nutrition*	3	HSES 330	Princ of Nutrition Health	3
BIOL 240	General Pharmacology* %	3	PHAR U General Pharmacology		

Select on of the following:

CHEM 122	Principles of Chemistry*	5	CHEM 110	Introductory Chemistry	5
CHEM 124 & CHEM 125	General Chemistry I Lecture* and General Chemistry I Lab*	5	CHEM 130	General Chemistry I	5

Select one of the following:

COMS 120	Interpersonal Communication	3	COMS 130 Speaker-Audience Communication		
COMS 121	Public Speaking	3	COMS 130 Speaker-Audience Communication		
COMS 125	Personal Communication	3	COMS 130 Speaker-Audience Communication		

Select one of the following:

ENGL 121	Composition I*	3	ENGL 101	College English I	3
ENGL 119	College Composition I with Review*	5	ENGL 101 Composition		
ENGL 122	Composition II*	3	ENGL 102	Critical Reading and Writing	3
MATH 171	College Algebra*	3	MATH 101	College Algebra	3

Select one of the following:

MATH 161	Elementary Statistics*	3	MATH 107 Introductory Statistics		
PSYC 209	Statistics in Psychological Research*	3	PSYC 210	Statistics Psychological Rsrch	3
PHIL 143	Ethics	3	PHIL 160	Introduction to Ethics	3
PSYC 130	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSYC 104	General Psychology	3
PSYC 218	Human Development*	3	PSYC 250 Statistics in Psychological Research		

Select one of the following:

SOC 122	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 104	Elements of Sociology	3
SOC 125	Social Problems	3	SOC 160	Social Problems Amer Values	3

Humanities Elective

Select 3-hour Humanities Elective from AAS General Education Electives (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degree/requirements/associate-applied-science/>).

Applicants must have a total of 62 credit hours of prerequisite courses, which means that most applicants will need 4-7 credit hours of liberal arts electives. Electives may be fulfilled with any course that is transferable to KU as specified on KU CredTran (<https://creditransfer.ku.edu/>).

Examples of elective areas (<http://catalog.jccc.edu/coursedescriptions/>) of study are foreign language, philosophy, literature, creative writing, history, oral communication, physics, mathematics, political science, western civilization, biological sciences, economics, etc.

* JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.



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^ Note: Students may take BIOL 144 Human Anatomy and Physiology* and an additional 3 credit hour elective in lieu of BIOL 140 Human Anatomy and BIOL 225 Human Physiology

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