# MSU – West Plains

MSU West Plains Associate of Science in Nursing to MSU BSN-C

The following is a guide to graduation with completion of MSU West Plains Associate of Science in Nursing and MSU's BSN-C degree. The degree is a 100% online degree program. Courses are sequenced to provide guidance and to help ensure that prerequisite requirements are met. Catalog Year: 2022-23. Date modified: 10.12.22. MSU Transfer Advisor: Dr. Kathy Adams, 417-836-6290, [KathyAdams@Missouristate.edu](mailto:KathyAdams@Missouristate.edu). Finish in 4 Go Bears Missouri State University

MSU West Plains Prerequisite

Social/Behavioral Sciences – 9 credit hours - Must fulfill 2 disciplines

* West Plains Course ID/Title: PSY 121 Introductory Psychology
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: PSY 121
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: Yes

Natural Sciences - 7 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines including one course with a lab component)

* West Plains Course ID/Title: BMS 110/111 Introduction to Biomedical Sciences
* Credit Hours: 5
* MSU Equivalent: BMS 110 and 111
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Mathematical Sciences - 3 credit hours

* West Plains Course ID/Title: MTH 130 or higher Contemporary Math
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: MTH 130
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Written Communications – 6 credit hours

* West Plains Course ID/Title: ENG 110 Writing 1
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: ENG 110
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

MSU West Plains Year 1 Semester 1

Major Requirement

* West Plains Course ID/Title: BMS 268 Human Physiology
* Credit Hours: 4
* MSU Equivalent: BMS 308
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Major Requirement

* West Plains Course ID/Title: BMS 267 Human Anatomy
* Credit Hours: 4
* MSU Equivalent: BMS 307
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Major Requirement

* West Plains Course ID/Title: NUR 100 Fundamentals of Nursing
* Credit Hours: 7
* MSU Equivalent: NRS 000
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Semester 1 Total = 15 credit hours

### MSU West Plains Year 1 Semester 2

Major Requirement

* West Plains Course ID/Title: NUR 101 Adult Medical - Surgical Nursing 1
* Credit Hours: 8
* MSU Equivalent: NRS 000
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Major Requirement

* West Plains Course ID/Title: NUR 201 Mental Health Nursing
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: NRS 000
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Major Requirement

* West Plains Course ID/Title: BIO 210 Elements of Microbiology
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: BIO 212 and 213
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Semester 2 Total = 14 credit hours

### MSU West Plains Year 2 Semester 3

Major Requirement

* West Plains Course ID/Title: NUR 202 Pharmacology
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: NRS 000
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Major Requirement

* West Plains Course ID/Title: NUR 204 Adult Medical - Surgical Nursing 2
* Credit Hours: 9
* MSU Equivalent: NRS 000
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Semester 3 Total = 12 credit hours

### MSU West Plains Year 2 Semester 4

Major Requirement

* West Plains Course ID/Title: NUR 212 Nursing Care Across the Lifespan
* Credit Hours: 9
* MSU Equivalent: NRS 001
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Major Requirement

* West Plains Course ID/Title: NUR 220 Current trends and Issues in Nursing (capstone course)
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: NRS 306
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: Yes

Social/Behavioral Sciences - 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)

* West Plains Course ID/Title: PLS 101 American Democracy and Citizenship, HST 121 Survey of US History to 1877, HST 122 Survey of US History Since 1877
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: PLS 101, HST 121, HST 122
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Semester 4 Total = 15 Credit Hours  
Total Hours at OTC = 70  
Total Hours Applied Toward MSU Major Requirements: -

\* One credit hour course

▲ May choose only one, falls under MOTR code 'PERF'

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### MSU Year 3 Semester 1

Humanities and Fine Arts - 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)

* MSU Course ID/Title: Choose one: ARB 101, ARB 102, ART 115▲, ART 200, ART 212, ART 271, ART 272, CHI 101, CSD 330, CSD 331, ENG 200, ENG 203▲, ENG 205▲, ENG 215▲, ENG 282, ENG 289, ENG 340, ENG 341, ENG 350, ENG 351, ENG 362, FRN 101, FRN 102, GRM 101, GRM 102, ITL 101,ITL 102,  
  JPN 101, JPN 102, KOR 101, KOR 102, LLT 121, MED 274, MUS 100, MUS 162\*▲, MUS 175▲,   
  MUS 176\*▲, MUS 178\*▲, MUS 239, MUS 241, MUS 345, MUS 346, MUS 347, PHI 105, PHI 110, PHI 115, PTG 101, PTG 102, REL 100, REL 101, REL 102, REL 110, RUS 101, RUS 102, SPN 101, SPN 102, THE 101
* Credit hours: 3

Oral Communications

* MSU Course ID/Title: COM 115 Fundamentals of Public Speaking, COM 120 Fundamentals of Debate, COM 205 Interpersonal Communication Theory and Skills
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: NRS 341 Nursing: Individuals and Families
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: NRS 338 Pharmacology for the Registered Nurse
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: NRS 335 Pathophysiology for the Registered Nurse
* Credit hours: 3

Semester 1 Total = 15 Credit Hours

### MSU Year 3 Semester 2

Humanities and Fine Arts - 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)

* MSU Course ID/Title: Choose one: ARB 101, ARB 102, ART 115▲, ART 200, ART 212, ART 271, ART 272, CHI 101, CSD 330, CSD 331, ENG 200, ENG 203▲, ENG 205▲, ENG 215▲, ENG 282, ENG 289, ENG 340, ENG 341, ENG 350, ENG 351, ENG 362, FRN 101, FRN 102, GRM 101, GRM 102, ITL 101,ITL 102,  
  JPN 101, JPN 102, KOR 101, KOR 102, LLT 121, MED 274, MUS 100, MUS 162\*▲, MUS 175▲,   
  MUS 176\*▲, MUS 178\*▲, MUS 239, MUS 241, MUS 345, MUS 346, MUS 347, PHI 105, PHI 110, PHI 115, PTG 101, PTG 102, REL 100, REL 101, REL 102, REL 110, RUS 101, RUS 102, SPN 101, SPN 102, THE 101
* Credit hours: 3

Natural Sciences – 7 credit hours - (Must fulfill 2 disciplines including one course with a lab component)

* MSU Course ID/Title: Choose one: AST 113, AST 114, AST 115, BIO 100, BIO 101, BIO 101/111,   
  BIO 12, 1CHM 107, CHM 107/108, CHM 116, CHM 160, GLG 110, GLG 171, GRY 135, GRY 142, PHY 100,  
  PHY 101, PHY 123, PHY 203
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement Social/Behavioral Sciences - 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)

* MSU Course ID/Title: SOC 150 Introduction to Sociology
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement – Statistics

* MSU Course ID/Title: Choose one: SOC 302, AGR 330, MTH 340, IPE 381, PSY 200
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: NRS 342 Nursing: Health Assessment
* Credit hours: 3

Semester 2 Total: 15 Credit Hours

### MSU Year 4 Semester 3

Written Communications – 6 credit hours

* MSU Course ID/Title: ENG 210 Writing 2: Writing Across the Disciplines, ENG 221 Writing 2: Writing for the Professions
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: NRS 442 Community Health Nursing 1
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: NRS 443 Community Health Nursing 2
* Credit hours: 3

Core Elective – 5 hours required for Core 42

* MSU Course ID/Title: Choose MOTR coded course(s) of your choice with the assistance of an advisor.
* Credit hours: 3

Semester 3 Total: 15 Credit Hours

### MSU Year 4 Semester 4

Core Elective – 5 hours required for Core 42

* MSU Course ID/Title: Choose MOTR coded course(s) of your choice with the assistance of an advisor.
* Credit hours: 3

Humanities and Fine Arts - 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)

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  JPN 101, JPN 102, KOR 101, KOR 102, LLT 121, MED 274, MUS 100, MUS 162\*▲, MUS 175▲,   
  MUS 176\*▲, MUS 178\*▲, MUS 239, MUS 241, MUS 345, MUS 346, MUS 347, PHI 105, PHI 110, PHI 115, PTG 101, PTG 102, REL 100, REL 101, REL 102, REL 110, RUS 101, RUS 102, SPN 101, SPN 102, THE 101
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: NRS 357 Evidence Based Practice for the Registered Nurse
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: NRS 515 Healthcare Informatics (NRS Required Elective. Other options available, consult with advisor.)
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: NRS 482 Advanced Leadership and Management for Registered Nurses
* Credit hours: 3

Semester 4 Total: 13 Credit Hours  
Total Hours at MSU: 58  
Total Hours Overall: 128

This information is provided as a guide only.

* MSU-WP students are strongly encouraged to meet with their major specific MSU transfer advisor early in their MSU-WP education to discuss the most appropriate MSU-WP coursework for their intended MSU major, MSU degree requirements, etc.
* Students are required to fulfill MSU graduation and GPA requirements to receive a degree and should consult with their MSU advisor and the MSU undergraduate catalog for details, as there may exist pre-requisite requirements as well as periodicity limitations that could affect scheduling sequences.
* Please note that transfer students from Missouri public colleges and universities may follow the general education and general baccalaureate degree requirements in effect at Missouri State when they first enrolled (or re-enrolled after an absence of one calendar year or more) as degree-seeking students at the institutions from which they transferred (e.g., MSU-WP).