



# NSCC and BELMONT Partners in Nursing



## Nashville State Community College and Belmont University Partners in Nursing Program

Nashville State Community College and Belmont University have partnered together to prepare students to enter the field of nursing.

Through this partnership agreement, NSCC students can earn their associate degree at NSCC, and then apply to the Belmont University School of Nursing to complete a Bachelor of Science in Nursing. This partnership is for students who have not already completed a Bachelor Degree.

Belmont University will hold a maximum of 16 seats in their nursing program for qualified NSCC Partnership students. Partnership students are eligible for the fall Nursing School enrollment only.

**Students interested in completing the Partnership in Nursing should meet with Dr. Cynthia Waller (615-353-3645 or [Cynthia.Waller@nsc.edu](mailto:Cynthia.Waller@nsc.edu)).**

### Application Procedures

Complete the entire Degree Seeking Application thoroughly. An incomplete application cannot be considered and will be returned to the applicant. Students can access the application at:

<http://admissions.belmont.edu/admissions/pages/welcome.aspx>

- ◆ Submit the application fee of \$50. Checks or money orders should be made payable to Belmont University.
- ◆ Provide the Confidential Recommendation Form to the appropriate person as designated on the form and have the reference send the form directly to Belmont.
- ◆ Complete the Personal Supplement and attach your answers to the Essay Questions section of the application. Be sure to include your name and social security number on each page.
- ◆ Request that official transcripts be sent from your high school and NSCC directly to the Office of Admissions. For a transcript to be official, it may not be marked "Issued to Student."
- ◆ Request that official SAT-1 or ACT score reports be sent directly to Belmont. (Belmont's ACT code is 3946 and the SAT code is 1058). Test scores will be accepted as official if submitted on an official high school transcript. If you haven't taken the ACT, you can take the ACT Residual Exam offered at Belmont. Please call 615-460-6360 to register.

The Partners in Nursing Intent Form must accompany your application.

**All application materials must be submitted and complete by February 1<sup>st</sup> prior to the semester of transfer.**

### Admission Requirements

- ◆ Belmont University will require a minimum score of 22 on the ACT and a minimum GPA of 2.5 for admission to the program. Preference will be given to those who have a 3.0 or above.
- ◆ In addition, NSCC students seeking admission to the program must meet all Belmont University and Belmont University School of Nursing Admission and Progression criteria as listed in Belmont's course catalog.
  - ◇ These requirements can be found by accessing the Belmont website at: <http://www.belmont.edu/catalog>.
- ◆ Students must graduate from NSCC with an Associate of Science degree prior to enrollment in the program.

# Curriculum Guide

## Communication:

ENGL 1010	English Composition I	3 Credit Hours
ENGL 1020	English Composition II	3 Credit Hours
COMMUNICATION	COMM 2025 or COMM 2045	3 Credit Hours

## History (choose two of the following):

HIST 2310	Early World History	3 Credit Hours
HIST 2320	Modern World History	3 Credit Hours
HIST 2010	Early US History	3 Credit Hours
HIST 2020	Modern US History	3 Credit Hours

## Humanities/Fine Arts:

ART 10305 <u>or</u> MUS 1030	Art <u>or</u> Music Appreciation	3 Credit Hours
ENGL 2310 <u>or</u> ENGL 2320	Early World or Modern World Lit.	3 Credit Hours
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective		3 Credit Hours

## Social Sciences:

PSYC 1030	Introduction to Psychology	3 Credit Hours
SOCI 1010	Introduction to Sociology	3 Credit Hours
PSYC 2130	Lifespan Development Psychology	3 Credit Hours

## Math:

MATH 1530	Introductory Statistics	3 Credit Hours
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## Natural Science:

BIOL 2010	Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4 Credit Hours
BIOL 2020	Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4 Credit Hours

**Belmont requires AP I/II to be completed within three years before you expect to begin the Belmont nursing Program.**

## Area of Emphasis Requirements

BIOL 2230	Microbiology*	4 Credit Hours
<i>*Online or hybrid coursework not accepted</i>		
BIOL 1215	Principles of Nutrition	3 Credit Hours
PHED 1010	Intro to Health and Wellness	3 Credit Hours
PHED	Physical Activity Course	1 Credit Hour
PHIL 1010	Intro to Biblical Studies	3 Credit Hours
CHEM 1110	General Chemistry I	4 Credit Hours

**Contact Dean Cynthia Waller (615-353-3645 or [Cynthia.Waller@nsc.edu](mailto:Cynthia.Waller@nsc.edu)) for more information.**

**65 Total Credit Hours are required to meet Partnership Agreement Requirements**