

Pre-Nursing

Students may declare Pre-Nursing if they have successfully completed two full semesters of coursework, a minimum 18 earned hours, and achieved a minimum GPA of a 3.0.

PNR program notes:

- To advance to the upper division of the School of Nursing, all interested students must *apply* during their last semester of pre-nursing coursework
- To be considered for the upper division, students must have a *minimum* of a 2.75 cumulative GPA and 2.75 nursing foundations GPA—meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission, and admission is competitive
- To become eligible for applying to upper division, students must attend a nursing application meeting (this is the only way to receive the application materials)

All Required Pre-Nursing Courses	SEM Hrs	GR		Nursing Foundations Courses	SEM Hrs	GR
AREA I WRITTEN COMPOSITION				EH 101	3	
• English Composition I	3			EH 102	3	
• English Composition II	3			MA 110 (or MA 105)	3	
				CH 105/106	4	
AREA II HUMANITIES & ART				CH 107/108 (or other Core III Science w/ Lab)	4	
• Literature	3			PY 212	3	
• Fine Arts	3			BY 115/115L	4	
• Literature, Fine Arts, or Humanities	3			BY 116/116L	4	
• *Elective	3			BY 261/261L	4	
				Descriptive Stats	3-4	
AREA III NATURAL SCIENCES & MATH				NTR 222	3	
• Pre-Calculus Algebra (MA 105 or MA 110)	3					
• Core Natural Sciences (CH 105/106 required) (8)						
▪ CH 105/106	4					
▪ CH 107/108 (or other)	4					
AREA IV HISTORY, SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES						
• History	3					
• PY 101	3					
• PY 212	3					
• *Elective	3					
AREA V PRE-PROFESSIONAL COURSES						
• BY 115/115L	4					
• BY 116/116L	4					
• BY 261/261L	4					
• NTR 222	3					
• Descriptive Stats	3-4					
• NUR 100**	2					
Cumulative GPA				Nursing Foundations GPA		

- *Students must complete a sequence in literature *or* history
- **Upper-division School of Nursing will accept any UAB-affiliated FYE

The upper-division program is designed for aspiring nurses and committed professionals. Graduates are prepared to sit for the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX), and work as a nurse. Coursework opportunities also include clinicals.

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