

## COS-Fresno State ADN-BSN Roadmap

To Complete the Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing (BSN) from  
Fresno State Beginning Your First Semester at College of the Sequoias  
*Completion of an ADN degree does not guarantee admission to a CSU campus.*  
*Classes subject to change.*

Complete These Courses at College of the Sequoias		Units	√ ADN (COS Req.)	√ BSN (FSU Req.)	COS GE Area	CSU GE Area
Prerequisites and Co-requisites	Fund. Public Comm.      COMM 1, 7 or 8	3	√	√ <b>Prereq/Tr</b>	A-1 AS Degree Req.	A1
	English Composition      ENGL 1	4	√	√ <b>Prereq/Tr</b>	A-1 AS Degree Req.	A2
	Critical Thinking      AJ 25; ENGL 2; PHIL 20 or 25; or COMM 5 (or SOC 3 at FSU/also counts for SOC)	3		√ <b>Prereq/Tr</b>	A-3	A3
	Statistics      Math 21 or SSCI 25	4		√ <b>Prereq/Tr</b>	B-3	B4
	Intro. Gen. Chemistry with lab*      CHEM 20	4		√ <b>Prereq</b>	B-1	B1/B2
	Human Anatomy with lab      BIOL 30 Anatomy	4	√	√ <b>Prereq</b>	B-2	B2/B3
	Human Physiology with lab      BIOL 31 Physiology	5	√	√ <b>Prereq</b>	B-2	B2/B3
	Microbiology with lab      BIOL 40 Microbiology	5	√	√ <b>Prereq</b>	B-2	B2/B3
	Philosophy of Ethics      PHIL 5, or FSU PHIL 120	3		Co-Req	C-2	C2 or I-C
	Psychology      PSY 1 or, FSU PSYCH 10	3	√	Co-Req.	D-3	D3
	Social Problems      SOC 2, or FSU SOC 3	3	√	Co-Req.	D-3	D3
	<b>Total Prerequisite &amp; Co-requisite Units</b>		<b>41</b>			
GE & Req. Graduation	Arts/Humanities** (see Catalog for courses)	9	3√	6√	C-1orC-2 Degree Req.	C1orC2
	American History***      History 17 or 18	3	√	√	D-1	D1
	American Government***      Political Science 5	3	√	√	D-2	D2
	Lifelong Understanding & Self Development CFS 80 and Nutrition 18 (check catalog for all classes)	3	√	√	E	E
	Physical Education (check COS catalog for exceptions)	2	√			
	<b>Total GE/Graduation Requirement Units</b>		<b>20</b>	<b>6-8</b>		

\* May take online General Chemistry course without Lab (must be approved by RN to BSN coordinator)

\*\*3 units of Arts/Humanities required for COS graduation

\*\*\*3 units of either American History or American Government required for COS graduation

COS Lower Division Nursing Courses	NURS 161 – Maintaining Optimal Wellness	11	√			
	NURS 151 – Introduction to Promote & Restore Wellness	3	√			
	NURS 152 – Promoting Perinatal Wellness	4	√			
	NURS 153 – Promoting Pediatric Wellness	4	√			
	NURS 154 – Promoting Mental Wellness	4	√			
	NURS 163 – Promote & Restore Wellness 1	6	√			
	NURS 164 – Promote & Restore Wellness 2	8	√			
	NURS 166 – Nursing Leadership	3	√			
	<b>College of the Sequoias Nursing Total:</b>		<b>43</b>			

**Maximum of 70 units may be transferred to Fresno State**

## Transfer to Fresno State

<http://www.fresnostate.edu/studentaffairs/are/>

### Prerequisites:

1. Must be eligible for admission to the University.
2. Eligibility for admission to the RN to BSN Nursing major:
  - Current, valid California RN license
  - Graduation from an associate degree program in nursing
  - Completion of all prerequisite courses with minimum "C" grade
  - Currently enrolled at Fresno State/admitted university applicant at time of nursing program entry
  - Before taking clinical course, students must have clearance from the Student Health Center

**University Application:** <http://www.csumentor.org>

**RN-BSN Application:** <http://www.fresnostate.edu/chhs/nursing/degrees-programs/rn-bsn.html>

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### Upper Division GE/ Writing

Complete These Courses at Fresno State:	Units	√BSN Req.	CSU GE Area
I-B Physical Universe & Its Life Forms	3	√	<b>I-B</b>
I-C Arts & Humanities	3	√	<b>I-C</b>
I-D Social Political & Economic Institutions & Behavior, Historical Background	3	√	<b>I-D</b>
Multicultural/International - <i>Met by taking NURS 141 / NURS 141L</i>	Met	√	<b>M/I</b>
<b>Upper Division Writing Requirement</b> <i>Met by passing either an exam or a course.</i>	1-3	√	<b>Varies</b>
<b>Total Upper Division GE/Writing Units</b>	<b>10-12</b>		

### Required RN-BSN Courses

Complete Nursing Courses at Fresno State	Units	√BSN	CSU GE Area
NURS 138~Bridge to Professional Concepts/Issues	5	√	
NURS 141~Concepts of Community Health Nursing ( <i>Meets Multicultural/International requirement</i> )	3	√	<b>M/I</b>
NURS 141L~Practicum Concepts of Community Health Nursing ( <i>Meets Multicultural/International requirement</i> )	2	√	<b>M/I</b>
NURS 145~Nursing Theories & Research	3	√	
NURS 152~Leadership & Health Care Economics	3	√	
NURS 154~Applying Professional Nursing Principles	5	√	
<b>Total Fresno State Nursing Units</b>	<b>21</b>		<b>41+21=62 total program units taken</b>
COS Total Units Transferred	70		
Fresno State Total Units	30		<b>30 unit residency requirement</b>
CSU Executive Order 1084 Units Awarded*	<b>20</b>		<b>(21+20 =Nursing)</b>
<b>Total Units Needed for RN-BSN Degree</b>	<b>120</b>		

\*Awarded upon completion of NCLEX-RN with valid California RN licensure, after passing NURS 138.