



Fall 1	Credits	Success Marker
BIOS 103	3	• C or better
BIOS 105	1	• C or better
COMS 100	3	
ENGL 103	3	• C or better
GE: Creativity & Critical Analysis	3	
STAT 100	3	*C or better
Total hours	16	• Maintain minimum 2.75 GPA
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 1	Credits	Success Marker
CHEM 110	3	• C or better
CHEM 111	1	• C or better
ENGL 203	3	• C or better
NUTR 201	3	• C or better
PSYC 102	3	• C or better
Elective	3	
Total hours	16	• Maintain minimum 2.75 GPA
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 2	Credits	Success Marker
HDFS 280 or PSYC 225	3	• C or better
BIOS 357	5	• C or better
BIOS 213	3	• C or better
GE: Creativity & Critical Analysis	3	
Elective	3	
Total hours	17	• Maintain minimum 2.75 GPA
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 2	Credits	Success Marker
NURS 302	3	• C or better
NURS 303	2	• C or better
NURS 304	3	• C or better
NURS 305	3	• C or better
NURS 308	3	• C or better
Total hours	14	• Maintain minimum 2.75 GPA
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 3	Credits	Success Marker
NURS 313	2	• C or better
NURS 314	3	• C or better
NURS 315	3	• C or better
NURS 316	3	• C or better
NURS 323	2	• C or better
Total hours	13	• Maintain minimum 2.75 GPA
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 3	Credits	Success Marker
NURS 317	3	• C or better
NURS 318	3	• C or better
NURS 319	3	• C or better
NURS 333	2	• C or better
NURS 343	2	• C or better
Total hours	13	• Maintain minimum 2.75 GPA
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 4	Credits	Success Marker
NURS 419	3	• C or better
NURS 422	3	• C or better
NURS 433	2	• C or better
NURS 443	2	• C or better
Elective	3	
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		• Apply for graduation by (2/1 for May, 6/15 for Aug, or 9/1 for Dec)
Total hours	16	• Maintain minimum 2.75 GPA
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 4	Credits	Success Marker
NURS 431	3	• C or better
NURS 432	3	• C or better
NURS 453	4	• C or better
Elective	3	
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		• meet all degree requirements based on courses in progress.
Total hours	15	• Maintain minimum 2.75 GPA
Notes/Comments:		

Notes/Comments: This plan is an example of what a four year plan could look like for a typical student **admitted directly to nursing as a freshman**. Placement exam scores in math as well as the completion of coursework may change the plan. It should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor each semester to discuss course scheduling. All requirements are subject to change by NIU. Students earning a combination of 2 D, F, or U grades in any nursing courses or who fall between a 2.5 - 2.75 NIU cumulative GPA will be on academic warning within the program. If the NIU cumulative GPA falls below a 2.5, the student will be subject to dismissal from the Nursing major.