

Nursing Admissions Rubric

Α	A-	B+	В	B-	C+	С	C-, D, or F	
10 points	9 points	8 points	7 points	6 points	3 points	2 points	0 points	

The grades of each prerequisite course below will be factored into the chart and averaged for a total score, based off of each attempt.

COURSES NEEDED	# OF CREDITS	SEMESTER TAKEN	GRADE	SEMESTER TAKEN	GRADE	AVERAGE SCORE
ENG 101 - College Composition I	3					
ENG 102 - College Composition II	3					
MTH 107 - Introduction to Statistics	3					
BIO 110 - Fund. of Anatomy & Physiology I	3					
BIO 111 - Fund. of Anatomy & Physiology I Lab	1					
PSY 101 - Intro to Psychology	3					
SOC 101 - Principles of Sociology	3					
PHI 101 - Introduction to Philosophy	3					
BIO 114 - Fund. of Anatomy & Physiology II	3					
BIO 115 - Fund. of Anatomy & Physiology II Lab	1					
BIO 155 - Basic Microbiology	3					
BIO 156 - Basic Microbiology Lab	1					
NUR 220 - Nutrition in Nursing	3					
PSY 256 - Developmental Psychology	3					
TOTAL						/ 140

NOTE: Cumulative GPA must be 3.0 or higher. TEAS test (cumulative score) of 58% or higher is required.



Nursing Program Quick Facts:

Admissions Process:

Admission to RCBC's Nursing program is competitive and based primarily on an admission rubric. The grades of each pre-requisite course is factored into the chart and averaged for a total score, based off of each attempt if a student failed the first attempt. If a student passed a course with a C or better and retakes it, the highest score is utilized.

For example; if a student receives a C+ in PSY 101, retakes it, and then earns an A, the A is used on the rubric. If a student receives a D and repeats for a C+, the two scores are averaged.

- Achievement of a cumulative grade point average (CGPA) of 3.0 or greater in all college coursework.
- Students with non-repeated *failures* in prerequisite (non-nursing) courses are not admissible until the failure is repeated. Science courses can be no more than 8 years old.
- Students with more than 2 failures and more than 2 repeats of the required courses are not being admitted at this time. Failures 8 years old or more are not considered in the rubric.
- LPN students must meet the same admissions criteria.
- To apply for the Nursing program, complete an online application-See the website for dates.

Students whom are seeking to apply are required to attend a Nursing Information Session. For upcoming dates please visit the RCBC Nursing website at: **rcbc.edu/nursing/info-session**

• Please be sure to check the Nursing webpage at **rcbc.edu/nursing** and to schedule an appointment with Ruby Murrani at nursing@rcbc.edu or healthsciences@rcbc.edu if you have questions.

Additional application requirements include:

- Completion of the admissions application for RCBC via: rcbc.edu/apply
- Submission of a completed Nursing admissions application online via: rcbc.edu/nursing/admissions
- Submission of proof of high school completion via:
 - High school transcript
 - GED
 - Translation of foreign credential
- Official Transcripts from previously attended colleges and/or universities transcripts to:

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