



CSUF
PRE-NURSING
2008-09

Name: _____

SSN: _____

Prerequisite Requirements For Nursing For Transfer To CSU Fresno	units	completed	in progress	planned
The following courses must be completed with a "C" or better grade:				
BIOL 20 – Human Anatomy	4			
BIOL 22 – Human Physiology	5			
*BIOL 31 – Microbiology	4			
**CHEM 3A – Introductory General Chemistry	4			
ENGL 1A – Reading and Composition or ENGL 1AH – Honors Reading and Composition	4			
Select one course from the following: ENGL 2 – Introduction to the Study of Literature ENGL 3 – Critical Reading and Writing ENGL 3H – Honors Critical Reading and Writing PHIL 2 – Critical Thinking and Writing PHIL 4 – Critical Reasoning PHIL 6 – Introduction to Logic SPEECH 25 – Argumentation	3			
MATH 11 – Elementary Statistics or MATH 11H – Honors Elementary Statistics or STAT 7 – Elementary Statistics	4			
SPEECH 1 – Introduction to Public Speaking or SPEECH 1H – Honors Public Speaking or SPEECH 2 – Interpersonal Communication or ***SPEECH 8 – Group Communication or SPEECH 25 – Argumentation	3			
****Additional Major Requirements For Transfer To CSU Fresno				
The following courses must be completed with a "C" or better grade:				
ANTHRO 2 – Cultural Anthropology or SOC 1A – Introduction to Sociology	3			
CHDEV 38 – Lifespan Development or PSY 38 – Lifespan Development	3			
FN 35 – Nutrition and Health or FN 40 – Nutrition	3			
PHIL 1C – Ethics or (PHIL 120 - an upper division course at CSUF)	3			
PSY 2 – General Psychology or PSY 2H – Honors General Psychology	3			

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Notes: CR/NC grading is not accepted for the prerequisite courses in the Nursing major.

*BIOL 31 will change from 4 units to 5 units effective Spring 2009.

**CHEM 3A is the preferred Chemistry course, however, the Nursing Department will use CHEM 1A as a substitute for the CHEM 3A requirement.

***SPEECH 8 is the preferred course.

****ANTHRO 2/SOC 1A, CHDEV 38/PSY 38, FN 35/FN 40, PHIL 1C, and PSY 2/2H may be completed at CSUF, but it is highly recommended to complete these courses at Reedley College prior to transfer.

All eight prerequisites must be completed prior to entry into the RN program. A minimum 3.0 ("B") cumulative grade point average is required in the eight Nursing prerequisite classes. A maximum of two prerequisites may be repeated only once for a better grade. For fall entry all prerequisites must be completed by June, and for spring entry all prerequisites must be completed by the preceding fall semester.

Online, web-based, or distance science, and laboratory courses must be approved by the Nursing Admissions Coordinator.

Entry into the RN program is competitive with more applicants than spaces available. Selection is based upon gpa in the eight prerequisite courses and preference is given to recent California residents. Fall and Spring admissions are available. A separate Nursing application must be submitted to the Nursing program.

Nursing Application Filing Period:

Fall admission is March 1-30; applications are available February 1 (subject to change).

Spring admission is August 1-31; applications are available July 1 (subject to change).

Additional information and applications can be obtained online at www.csufresno.edu/nursing or by calling the Department of Nursing at (559) 278-6579 (Coordinator).

This information has been obtained from the CSUF Nursing Program information in the catalog and www.assist.org and is subject to change.