



## PROGRAM FACTS

The RN-BSN program is delivered 100% on-line with an optional success workshop prior to starting the program. NUR 4009 and NUR 4010 require practicum hours.

Designed for practicing RN's and DUAL ENROLLMENT ADN students to work with your busy schedule.

Start dates three times a year in January, May & August.

Manageable 8-week courses.

Transferrable within the Colorado Community College System.

### **RN-BSN Degree 120 credits total**

**71.5** Credits awarded for ADN/AAS degree or Diploma and active RN license

**30.5** Credits for RN-BSN Courses

**18** General Education Credits

- English 1022 (3 credits)
- Math 1260 Statistics (3 credits)
- GT-HI1 History Course (3 credits)
- GT-AH1243 Arts & Humanities Courses (6 credits)
- GT-SS1,2 or 3 Social Sciences (3 credits)

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### **Watch the virtual information session:**

<https://www.pikespeak.edu/programs/nursing/rn-bsn/index.php>

### **Costs**

On-line in-state tuition with COF \$350/credit

On-line out of state tuition \$444/credit

On-line Gen Ed course fees at current tuition rates, which are approximately \$263/credit

## **Courses in the RN-BSN Curriculum**

NUR 3001

Integration into BSN Practice (3 credits)

NUR 3002

Trends in Nursing Practice (3 credits)

NUR 3003

Nursing Research & EBP (3 credits)

NUR 4008

Legal & Ethical Issues (3 credits)

NUR 4009

Leadership in the Nursing Profession (3.5 credits)

NUR 4010

Community Health Nursing & Practicum (6 credits) NUR 4011

Senior Seminar (3 credits)

### **Plus choose 2 of the following electives:**

NUR 3004

Informatics Healthcare Technology (3 credits)

NUR 3005

Emergency Preparedness (3 credits)

NUR 3006

Gerontology Nursing (3 credits)

NUR 3007

Behavioral Health (3 credits)

### **Admission Requirements for RN-BSN Completion Program:**

- Current RN License in good standing from CO or compact state
- Associate's Degree or Diploma from a regionally accredited college
- Recommended GPA of 2.5 in nursing courses
- Current BLS Certification, and Vaccinations/Titers for Flu, DTaP, MMR, Hepatitis B, Varicella & TB.
- Drug Screen & Background Check
- 1,000 hours of work experience in last 3 years unless graduation from RN program within 3 years.

### RN-BSN Dual Enrollment Option – Sample Curriculum FALL START

This plan will vary greatly for individual students, as some already hold a bachelor's degree in another field of study and have completed their general education requirements.

This chart starts from the time they are admitted to the Associate Degree Nursing Program at PPSC

Semester	Courses	Credits
Semester 1	NUR 1009 Fundamentals in Nursing NUR 1012 Basic Concepts of Pharmacology History General Education Course MAT 1260 Statistics Social Science General Education Elective (ADN students who have already completed Psychology 2440 cannot use this for the BSN requirement)	6 2 3 3 3
	During Semester 1 student will apply and be <u>admitted to the RN-BSN program</u> for Semester 2 start date.	
Semester 2	NUR 1006 Medical & Surgical Nursing Concepts NUR 1050 Maternal-Child Nursing NUR 3001 Integration Into BSN Practice NUR 3002 Trends in Nursing Practice	7 6 3 3
Summer	NUR 3003 Nursing Research and EBP (MAT 1260 Prerequisite) English 1022 General Education Course Arts or Humanities General Education Elective (1)	3 3 3
Semester 3	NUR 2011 Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing NUR 2006 Advanced Concepts of Medical-Surgical Nursing NUR 2012 Pharmacology II ONE of the following 4 BSN electives: NUR 3004, 3005, 3006 or 3007	4 6.5 2 3
Semester 4	NUR 2016 Advanced Concepts of Medical-Surgical Nursing II NUR 2030 Transition to Professional Practice Arts or Humanities General Education Elective (2) NUR 4008 Legal & Ethical Issues	5 4 3 3
NCLEX	After Semester 4, Student will have graduated from ADN program and be eligible to sit for the NCLEX-RN exam	
Summer	NUR 4009 Leadership in the Nursing Profession & Practicum * ONE of the following 4 BSN electives: NUR 3004, 3005, 3006 or 3007	3.5 3
Semester 5	NUR 4010 Community Health Nursing & Practicum * NUR 4011 Senior Seminar *	6 3

\*must have RN license to complete these courses.

This is a list of the Arts & Humanities (AH) and Social and Behavioral Sciences (SS) to choose from for the PPSC BSN general education requirements. You would need 2 AH and 1 SS. This is not a comprehensive list. So use your Degree Check through your myPikesPeak portal, the [Catalog](#), or communicate with your advisor about Language courses or any potential transfer courses that might apply. PSY 2440 is included in the AAS/Nursing degree, so is not included on this list.

[CLEP exams](#) are offered for a number of courses. Colorado Community College System (CCCS) approved exams are in bold below. For support email [testing.center@pikespeak.edu](mailto:testing.center@pikespeak.edu) or call 719-502-3370. The CCCS approved CLEP exams may or may not transfer to other institutions. Check with the transfer admissions team at the other institutions to obtain the most current and accurate information. CCCS approved exams are subject to change.

### GT-AH1:

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- ART 1110 - Art Appreciation AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- ART 1111 - Art History Ancient to Medieval AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- ART 1112 - Art History Renaissance to 1900 AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- ART 1113 - Art History–1900 to Present AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- DAN 1025 - History of Dance I AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- MUS 1020 - Music Appreciation AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- MUS 1021 - Music History Medieval thru Classical AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- MUS 1022 - Music History Early Romantic Period to the Present AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- MUS 1023 - Survey of World Music AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- MUS 1025 - History of Jazz AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- THE 1005 - Theatre Appreciation AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- THE 1008 - Theater Script Analysis AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- THE 2011 - Development of Theatre Greek-Renaissance AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- THE 2012 - Development of Theatre Restoration to Modern AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- THE 2015 - Playwriting AH1 3 Credit Hour(s)

### GT-AH2:

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- HUM 1003 - Introduction to Film Art AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- HUM 1015 - World Mythology AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- **HUM 1021 - Early Civilization AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)**
- HUM 1022 - Medieval to Modern AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- HUM 1023 - The Modern World AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- **LIT 1015 - Introduction to Literature I AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)**
- LIT 2001 - World Literature to 1600 AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- LIT 2002 - World Literature after 1600 AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- LIT 2005 - Ethnic Literature AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- **LIT 2011 - American Literature to the Civil War AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)**
- LIT 2012 - American Literature after the Civil War AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- **LIT 2021 - British Literature to 1770 AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)**
- LIT 2022 - British Literature since 1770 AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- LIT 2025 - Introduction to Shakespeare AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- LIT 2046 - Literature of Women AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- LIT 2068 - Celtic Literature AH2 3 Credit Hour(s)

### GT-AH3:

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- PHI 1011 - Introduction to Philosophy AH3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PHI 1012 - Ethics AH3 3 Credit Hour(s)

- PHI 1013 - Logic AH3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PHI 1014 - Comparative Religions AH3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PHI 1015 - World Religions – West AH3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PHI 1016 - World Religions – East AH3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PHI 2005 - Business Ethics AH3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PHI 2014 - Philosophy of Religion AH3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PHI 2018 - Environmental Ethics AH3 3 Credit Hour(s)

### GT-SS1:

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- **ECO 2001 - Principles of Macroeconomics SS1** 3 Credit Hour(s)
- **ECO 2002 - Principles of Microeconomics SS1** 3 Credit Hour(s)
- ECO 2045 - Environmental Economics SS1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSC 1005 - Introduction to Political Science SS1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- **PSC 1011 - American Government SS1** 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSC 1025 - American State & Local Government SS1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSC 2005 - International Relations SS1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSC 1050 - Current Political Issues SS1 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSC 2025 - Comparative Government SS1 3 Credit Hour(s)

### GT-SS2:

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- GEO 1005 - World Regional Geography SS2 3 Credit Hour(s)
- GEO 1006 - Human Geography SS2 3 Credit Hour(s)

### GT-SS3:

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- ANT 1001 - Cultural Anthropology SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- ANT 1003 - Introduction to Archaeology SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- ANT 2115 - Native Peoples of North America SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- ANT 2125 - Anthropology of Religion SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- ANT 2550 - Medical Anthropology SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- COM 2300 - Intercultural Communication SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- CRJ 1010 - Introduction to Criminal Justice SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- JOU 1005 - Introduction to Mass Media SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- **PSY 1002 - General Psychology II SS3** 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSY 2105 - Psychology of Gender SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSY 2107 - Human Sexuality SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSY 2221 - Social Psychology SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSY 2222 - The Psychology of Death & Dying SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSY 2441 - Child Development SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSY 2552 - Abnormal Psychology SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- PSY 2771 - Psychology of Personality SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- **SOC 1001 - Introduction to Sociology I SS3** 3 Credit Hour(s)

- SOC 1002 - Introduction to Sociology II SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- SOC 2005 - Sociology of Family Dynamics SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- SOC 2016 - Sociology of Gender SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- SOC 2018 - Sociology of Diversity SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- SOC 2020 - Sociology of Religion SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- SOC 2031 - The Sociology of Deviant Behavior SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- SOC 2037 - Sociology of Death & Dying SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- WST 2000 - Introduction to Women's Studies SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)
- WST 2100 - Women & Social Action SS3 3 Credit Hour(s)