



Johnson County Community College  
**Transfer Program to Research College of Nursing**  
**Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)**  
**2023-2024 Catalog**

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The Associate of Arts degree (A.A.) at JCCC is a general transfer degree and partners well with the first two years of most bachelor degree programs. Students pursuing the A.A. may select courses that satisfy both the A.A. degree requirements and lower division requirements for a bachelor's degree at four-year institutions. The 30 hours of electives within the A.A. allows students to complete additional general education and lower division courses required for specific majors. The A.A. degree requires completion of 60 credit hours; please see [JCCC A.A. degree requirements](#). The maximum number of hours from a community college that will be applied toward a bachelor's degree is 64 hours. **Meeting with a JCCC counselor is strongly recommended for selection of appropriate courses.**

Research College of Nursing offers a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree. The BSN program is provided in two options, a Traditional BSN and an Accelerated BSN. The Traditional BSN is a 2 year junior/senior BSN. The Accelerated BSN is for students who have completed a baccalaureate degree in a field, other than nursing, at an accredited institution. It is designed to be completed in one calendar year on a full-time basis.

Applying to Research College of Nursing is your first step toward a rewarding career in healthcare. Our Admissions Office staff will assist you through the application process to help you understand program requirements, eligible transfer credits, etc. We make it easy to get started...

1. Gather copies of your transcripts; official not required for advising
2. Schedule an appointment with a member of the Admissions team

Our students are challenged to become heroic leaders who demonstrate a commitment to innovation and excellence. If you're ready to join us in transforming healthcare, begin your application or contact admissions today.

**BSN admission requirement:**

The following is an overview of admission requirements for the undergraduate program:

- Traditional BSN (TBSN)
- Accelerated BSN (ABSBN)

Complete admission criteria can be found within the [catalog](#).

**Transfer BSN:**

- Students must have a minimum college GPA of 3.00 with "C" or better in math/science, or a minimum college GPA of 2.80 with at least a "B-" in Anatomy & Physiology, to be considered.
- Transfer admission is very competitive, and the average admission GPA is higher than the required minimum. Students do not have to complete all the pre-requisites to apply. The nursing curriculum is 2 academic years (4 semesters) from the August you begin for the TBSN track, and 1 calendar year (3 academic terms) for the ABSBN track.
- Schedule a meeting with admissions for help evaluating your transcript and eligible transfer credits.

**Accelerated BSN:**

- The application process can begin 1-1 ½ years before the January you wish to begin. This time frame is recommended to allow students to complete remaining pre-requisites.
- To be considered for admission, students must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 with a "C" or better in all science courses, or a minimum GPA of 2.8 with a "B-" or better in Anatomy & Physiology. GPA may be based on the applicant's entire academic record or calculated using transcripts from the last three years of college attendance, whichever is highest.

**Applications accepted via [RCoN – Nursing CAS](#):** Select the appropriate 'Designation' for the program you are interested in applying to and follow the instructions on the NursingCAS site.

**Application deadlines:**

Transfer BSN: September 1, 2023-March 15, 2024 (for August 2024 start, class of 2026)

Accelerated BSN: September 1, 2023-April 1, 2024 (for January 2025 start, class of 2025)

### Transfer BSN Pre-Requisites (60 credit hours of pre-requisites required)

Research Requirements	Credit Hours	JCCC Equivalents	Credit Hours	Req. Met
Anatomy & Physiology w/lab	6	BIOL 140 Human Anatomy <b>AND</b> BIOL 225 Human Physiology*	4 4	Major
Microbiology w/lab	4	BIOL 230/231 Microbiology* w/lab*	3/2	Major
Nutrition	3	BIOL 235 The Science of Human Nutrition*	3	Major
Chemistry w/lab	4	CHEM 122 Principles of Chemistry*	5	Major
Communication elective	3	COMS 125 Personal Communication	3	Core
English Composition I	3	ENGL 121 Composition I*	3	Core
English Composition II	3	ENGL 122 Composition II*	3	Core
College Algebra	3	MATH 171 College Algebra*	3	Core
Statistics	3	MATH 181 Statistics*	3	Major
General Electives	10	Select 10 hours from any General Electives	10	Core
Humanities, Philosophy, or Theology ( <i>Ethics Recommended</i> )	9	Select two courses from: <a href="#">Humanities,</a> <a href="#">Philosophy, or Theology</a> PHIL 143 Ethics ( <i>Recommended</i> )	9	Core
Intro or General Psychology	3	PSYC 130 Introduction to Psychology	3	Major
Developmental Psychology	3	PSYC 218 Human Development*	3	Major
Social Science elective	3	<a href="#">Social Science elective</a>	3	Core

\*JCCC course has a pre-requisite or co-requisite.

### Accelerated BSN Pre-Requisites (23 credit hours of pre-requisites required)

Program pre-requisites must be completed prior to enrolling at RCoN.

Research Requirements	Credit Hours	JCCC Equivalents	Credit Hours	Req. Met
Anatomy & Physiology w/lab	6	BIOL 140 Human Anatomy <b>AND</b> BIOL 225 Human Physiology*	4 4	Major
Microbiology w/lab	4	BIOL 230/231 Microbiology* w/Lab*	3/2	Major
Nutrition	3	BIOL 235 The Science of Human Nutrition*	3	Major
Chemistry w/lab	4	CHEM 122 Principles of Chemistry*	5	Major
Statistics	3	MATH 181 Statistics*	3	Major
Developmental Psychology	3	PSYC 218 Human Development*	3	Major

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**It is the STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to check for updates to all transfer information. This transfer guide is provided as a service and is updated as needed. Degree requirements at the four year colleges are subject to change by those institutions. To ensure you have the most accurate up to date information about the program, it is imperative you meet with an advisor at the transfer institution.**