

Directions for your RN to BSN Major Worksheet

The RN to BSN major worksheet is intended for supplemental use for a student to track their academic progress. For additional questions, please contact your [academic advisor](#).

1. Review your *RN to BSN evaluation worksheet*. This was sent to you via email prior to your offer of admissions. This evaluation will show you the courses you previously complete that will meet the graduation requirements.
2. Using your evaluation worksheet mark-off the Pre-Nursing Core courses (page 1 on evaluation) and General Education courses (page 2 on evaluation) that have been identified as “**Met**”.

Note: Pre-nursing Core and General Education requirements stating “**Need**” (with the exception of statistics) must be completed at another institution outside of CSUSM.

3. As you complete graduation required courses *outside* of the nursing program, mark them off as “**Met**”. You will be required to submit your official transcripts from other universities with your course completion date and final grade.
4. As you complete your program RN to BSN courses (nursing and upper division general education courses), mark them off as “**Met**” on your major worksheet. Nursing courses colored in Gray are those that must be completed concurrently in the same term.
5. As you decide to add/drop your courses, make sure to update your RN to BSN major worksheet and compare it to the [course timeline](#) to plan when you will re-take your course that you have dropped.
6. ***This is an important step!*** Go to your MyCSUSM student portal and *periodically* review your Academic Requirements Report (ARR). The ARR is the official report that identifies that a student has met all requirements to successfully graduate from their program. If you identify an error on your ARR, please contact your academic advisor to make changes. Find a how to guide [here](#).
7. As you approach completion of all your courses on you RN to BSN major worksheet and on your ARR, your final step would be to apply for graduation. Please be aware of the directions and deadlines to apply for graduation by visiting our website: <http://www.csusm.edu/enroll/graduation/>

COURSE REQUIREMENTS RN TO BSN ONLINE PROGRAM

This worksheet is intended for supplemental use only. The University will use your Academic Requirements Report (ARR) to track all of your graduation requirements. Please continue to check your ARR for accuracy. If your ARR requires a correction, please contact your academic advisor. For all graduation requirements, please refer to the CSUSM University Catalog.

[CSUSM 2016-2018 University Catalog](#)

PRE NURSING CORE REQUIREMENTS (Only Statistics offered through RN to BSN online program)

Area	Attribute	Course Requirement	Planned	In Progress	Met
Basic Skills	A1	Oral Communication			
	A2 (EPT)	Written Communication			
	A3	Critical Thinking			
Mathematics and Sciences	B4 (ELM)	Statistics			
	BIOL 175 (B2, B3)	Anatomy (with Lab)			
	BIOL 176 (B2, B3)	Physiology (with Lab)			
	BIOL 160 (B2, B3)	Microbiology (with Lab)			
	CHEM 105 (B1)	Chemistry			
	CHEM 105L (B3)	Chemistry lab			

GENERAL EDUCATION (Courses not offered through RN to BSN Online Program)

Area	Topic	Planned	In Progress	Met
Arts and Humanities	C1	Arts		
	C2	Humanities		
	C3	Additional Arts or Humanities		
Social Sciences	D7	Interdisciplinary Social Science		
	D	Additional Social Science		
	US HIS	US History		
	DG	US Constitution		
	DC	California Government		
Lifelong Learning	E	Lifelong Learning and Information Literacy		
LOTER		Language Other Than English Requirement		

UPPER DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (Courses offered through the RN to BSN Online Program)

Area	Attribute	Course	Title	Planned	In Progress	Met
Mathematics or Science	BB	BIOL 316	The Biology of Cancer			
Arts or Humanities	CC	PHIL 345	Bioethics and Medical Ethics			
Social Science	DD	ANTH 301	Culture and Medicine -Healers and Healing Process			

NURSING MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (Courses offered through RN to BSN Online Program)

Course	Title	Planned	In Progress	Met
BSN MAJOR REQUIREMENTS Shaded courses are corequisite courses and must be taken together.	NURS 350 (2 units) NURS 351 (1 unit)	Role Transition for the RN (corequisite: NURS 351) Role Transition Seminar for the RN (corequisite: NURS 350)		
	NURS 312 (4 units)	Pathophysiology and Pharmacology		
	NURS 310 (2 units) NURS 311 (1 unit)	Nursing Assessment for the RN (corequisite: NURS 311) Nursing Assessment for the RN Laboratory (corequisite: NURS 310)		
	NURS 352 (3 units)	Nursing Research (pre-requisite of Math 200 - Statistics)		
	NURS 370 (2 units)	Health Promotion and Patient Ed Strategies		
	NURS 442 (2 units)	Nursing Case Management of Vulnerable Populations		
	NURS 440 (3 units) *NURS 447 (2 units)	Community Health Nursing (corequisite: NURS 447) Practicum: Community Health and Nursing Case Mangement (corequisite: NURS 440) *90 practice experience hours		
	NURS 450 (3 units) *NURS 451 (2 units)	Nursing Leadership and Professional Issues (corequisite:NURS 451) Nursing Leadership and Management Laboratory (corequisite: NURS 450) *90 practice experience hours		
	NURS 480 (2 units)	Family Nursing: Theory and Practice		