

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville  
School of Nursing  
Undergraduate Curriculum Guide  
Option 2

Deadline to Apply is March 1

<u>Freshman Level – Fall</u>		<b>(Take HESI A2 Test)# (Application Available 9/15)</b>
▶ ENG 101	English Composition I	3
▶ SPC 103	Interpersonal Communication	3
▶ CHEM 120a	Gen., Organic, & Biol. Chemistry ⇨	3
▶ CHEM 124a	Lab	1
▶ PSYC 111	Foundations of Psychology	3
BIOL 140	Human Biology	<u>3</u>
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<u>Sophomore Level – Fall</u>		<b>(Enter Nursing Program)</b>
NURS 230	Terminology, Inquiry & Writing in Nursing	2
NURS 233	Professionalism in Nursing	3
NURS 234	Human Development-Life Span	3
BIO 240b	Anatomy and Physiology II	4
STAT 107	Concepts of Statistics	3
PHIL 106	Critical Thinking (Logic)	<u>3</u>
or FL 106	Word Analysis	
or MATH 106	Deductive Reasoning & Problem Solving	18
<u>Junior Level – Fall</u>		
NURS 352	Care of Young & Middle Age Adults	5
NURS 353	Care of Older Age Adults	5
Social Science	Distribution Course +	3
IS 3XX	Any Interdisciplinary Course (Jr. status) +	<u>3</u>
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<u>Senior Level – Fall</u>		
NURS 472	Nursing Research	3
NURS 474	Care of Person w/ Mental Health Needs	5
NURS 475	Care of Populations	5
NURS 479	Senior Assignment	1
Intro Fine Arts & Humanities +		<u>3</u>
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<u>Freshman Level – Spring</u>		<b>(Take HESI A2 Test)# (Application Deadline 3/1)</b>
▶ ENG 102	English Composition II	3
▶ CHEM 120b	Gen., Organic, & Biol. Chemistry	3
▶ CHEM 124b	Lab	1
▶ Intro to Social Science	▷	3
▶ BIOL 250	Bacteriology	3
▶ BIOL 240a	Anatomy and Physiology I	<u>4</u>
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<u>Sophomore Level – Spring</u>		
NURS 240	Pathophysiology	4
NURS 241	Pharmacology/Nutrition	4
NURS 242	Pharmacology/Nutrition Lab	1
NURS 243	Foundations of Professional Practice	3
NURS 244	Health Assessment	3
NURS 245	Foundations & Physical Assessment Lab	<u>2</u>
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<u>Junior Level – Spring</u>		
NURS 354	Care of Women & Childbearing Families	5
NURS 355	Care of Children & Adolescents	5
PHIL 320 or 321	Ethics or Medical Ethics	<u>3</u>
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<u>Senior Level – Spring</u>		
NURS 481	Nursing Leadership & Management	3
NURS 482	Transition to Professional Practice Role	4
NURS 476	Care of Person w/ Complex Health Needs	5
NURS 489	Senior Assignment	<u>2</u>
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▶ Prerequisite courses must be completed by the end of the spring semester of the freshman year. Prerequisite GPA must meet or exceed 2.7 on a 4.0 scale with a C or better in each course. Cumulative GPA (including all college courses) must meet or exceed 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.

⇨ CHEM 120 Gen., Organic, & Biol. Chemistry requires a high school Chemistry course as a prerequisite

▷ Intro to Social Science Requirement – choose from ANTH 111, ECON 111, GEOG 111, HIS 111, POLS 111 or SOC 111.

+ Courses that meet the University's Intro Fine Arts & Humanities, Social Science Distribution, Interdisciplinary Studies (IS) and International (II or IC) requirements can be viewed at [www.siu.edu/registrar/genedguides.shtml](http://www.siu.edu/registrar/genedguides.shtml) (required for graduation).

**#HESI A2 test information is available at [www.siu.edu/IS/TEST/Nursing](http://www.siu.edu/IS/TEST/Nursing). Deadline to take test is March 1.**