

- There is no expiration date for prerequisite courses. It is acceptable to retake a course to improve the grade, or to refresh the course content.
- The required minimum **overall cumulative** GPA (all courses for all schools attended) for the ABSN program is 2.8. However, all prerequisite courses in this worksheet must be completed with a 3.0/"B" grade or higher to meet the requirement for the prerequisite.
- **REQUIRED TO APPLY:** You must have at least 3 Natural Science (NSc) courses completed with a 3.0/"B" grade or higher.
- **REQUIRED TO START UW ABSN PROGRAM:** You must complete all courses on this worksheet with a 3.0/"B" or higher before your start date.
  - View Spring and Autumn start dates for ABSN in the [UW Academic Calendars](#).
- Credit requirements are shown as quarter credits. You can multiply semester credits by 1.5 for an approximate conversion to quarter credits.
  - In many cases, 3 semester credits are comparable to 5 quarter credits.
- Read our tips for [evaluating your transcripts](#). Sample courses shown are only some of the courses we accept. Other courses can be input in your worksheet for review.
- WA State Community College Coursework: You can use the [Equivalency Guide](#) to determine CC course equivalency to UW courses.

**PREREQUISITE CATEGORY**

**MY COURSE**

**(INCLUDE: Course name/number, where/when taken, # of credits, final grade)**  
Example: Human Anatomy NURS301, UW, Spring 2019, 5 quarter credits, 3.7 grade

STATISTICS COURSE – One course/min. 3 quarter credit hours, 3.0 grade or higher required	
This should be a basic course in descriptive and inferential statistics. <i>Minimum required grade: 3.0/B</i> <b>Sample UW Courses:</b> <a href="#">STAT220</a> , <a href="#">EDPSYCH490</a> , <a href="#">QMETH201</a>	
NATURAL SCIENCES (NSc) - Minimum of 6 courses/28 quarter credit hours, 3.0 grade or higher required in each course.	
<b>1. GENERAL CHEMISTRY (5 quarter credits)</b> Single course <b>or</b> General Chemistry series. If you take courses in a series, make sure at least 5 quarter credits/3 semester credits are completed with a 3.0/N grade or higher. Courses/Series combining chemistry subjects do not meet this prerequisite, course must focus <i>only</i> on <a href="#">General Chemistry</a> . <i>Minimum required grade: 3.0/B</i> <b>Sample UW course:</b> <a href="#">CHEM120</a>	
<b>2. ORGANIC CHEMISTRY (5-10 quarter credits)</b> Single course <b>or</b> Organic Chemistry series. If you take courses in a series, make sure at least 5 quarter credits/3 semester credits are completed with a 3.0 or higher. <i>Minimum required grade: 3.0/B</i> <b>Sample UW Courses:</b> <a href="#">CHEM220</a> and <a href="#">221</a> . <i>Students who take CHEM220 at UW must also take CHEM221 to meet this prerequisite.</i>	
<b>3-4. HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY (10-15 quarter credits)</b> At least 2 courses, 5 quarter credits/3 semester credits <b>each</b> . Can be taken as a series (such as A&P I and II) <b>or</b> individual courses in each subject (course in Human Anatomy, course in Human Physiology). <i>Min. required grade: 3.0/B</i> <b>Sample UW courses:</b> <a href="#">BIOL118</a> and <a href="#">119</a> (Physiology), <a href="#">NURS 301</a> (Anatomy). <i>Students who take BIOL118 at UW must also take BIOL119 to meet this prerequisite.</i>	
<b>5. GENERAL MICROBIOLOGY (5 quarter credits)</b> Both lecture and lab component are required for Microbiology. At many schools, lab is integrated in lecture course. If not, you must also complete a separate lab course. <i>Minimum required grade: 3.0/B</i> <b>Sample UW Course:</b> <a href="#">MICROM301</a> (Lecture) and <a href="#">302</a> (Lab)	
<b>6. NUTRITION (4 quarter credits)</b> The course should cover special nutritional needs for different groups, food composition (some chemistry), and diseases caused by nutritional deficiencies. <i>Minimum required grade: 3.0/B</i> <b>Sample UW Course:</b> <a href="#">NUTR200</a>	
LIFESPAN GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT – One course/min. 5 quarter credit hours, 3.0 grade or higher required	
May also be called Developmental Psychology, Lifespan Psychology, or other similar title. <b>This course must cover the whole human lifespan, from birth to death.</b> <i>Minimum required grade: 3.0/B</i> <b>Sample UW Course:</b> <a href="#">NURS201</a>	