# DTA/MRP Nursing Prerequisite Planning Worksheet

## **Required Nursing Program Prerequisite Courses (45 credits)**

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| **Course** | **Course Prerequisite** | **Availability** |
| **CHEM& 121\***  | *MATH 97* | fall, winter, spring |
| **BIOL& 241\***  | *CHEM& 121 + BIOL& 160* | fall & winter only |
| **BIOL& 242\*** | *BIOL& 241* | winter & spring only |
| **BIOL& 260\*** | *CHEM& 121 + BIOL& 160* | fall, winter, spring |
| **ENGL& 101\*** | *ENGL 95 or Placement in ENGL & 101* | fall, winter, spring, summer |
| BIOL& 160 | *ENGL 95 + MATH 97* | fall, winter, spring |
| PSYC& 100 | *Placement in ENGL& 101 recommended* | fall, winter, spring, summer |
| MATH& 146 | *MATH 97 or Placement in Math 98* | fall, winter, spring, summer |
| PSYC& 200 | *PSYC& 100* | fall, winter, spring, summer |

\*Grade in this class will earn points towards nursing program selection. See reverse for details

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## **Co-Requisite Courses (15 credits) STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO COMPLETE ALL CLASSES BEFORE ENTERING THE NURSING PROGRAM IF POSSIBLE**

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| **Course** | **Course Prerequisite** | **Availability** |
| Communication course | *See A.A. DTA degree for course options* | fall, winter, spring, summer |
| **2** Humanities Courses\*\* | *Most require ENGL 95 (See A.A. DTA degree for course options)* | fall, winter, spring, summer |

*\*\*Humanities courses must be a minimum of 5 credits* ***EACH***

The Nursing Department manages a competitive selection process. Students apply to the nursing program and compete with other applicants for a slot in the program based on a point system (see below). No student is guaranteed admission into the program. Nursing program applications are available starting October 1st, and qualified applicants must apply by March 1st. Applications received after the deadline will not be accepted. [Applications are available online](http://www.ghc.edu/academics/programs/nursing) and in the Nursing Department.

Each of the prerequisite requirements must be completed with a minimum grade of “C” (2.0) prior to consideration for selection. All applicants who have successfully completed all prerequisite requirements by the conclusion of spring quarter will be considered. ATI TEAS exam results must be received no later than June 30th to be used in the selection process. Contact the testing center for testing information at 538-4049. Register at [www.atitesting.com](file:///C%3A%5CUsers%5Crwenke%5CAppData%5CLocal%5CMicrosoft%5CWindows%5CINetCache%5CContent.Outlook%5CKFYZ0TGY%5Cwww.atitesting.com) for the TEAS exam prior to testing dates.

## **Point Value Scale for Prerequisite Courses (each 5 credits) – Maximum Possible is 74 points**

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| **Grade** | Point Value |  | Course | Weight |
| **A**  | 8.0  |  | BIOL& 241  | 2x  |
| **A-**  | 7.4  |  | BIOL & 242 | 2x  |
| **B+**  | 6.6  |  | BIOL& 260 | 2x |
| **B**  | 6.0  |  | CHEM& 121 | 1x  |
| **B-**  | 5.4  |  | ENGL& 101 | 1x |
| **C+**  | 4.6  |  | BIOL& 160 | No Weight (must earn “C” or better) |
| **C**  | 4.0 |  | PSYC& 100 | No Weight (must earn “C” or better) |
|  |  |  | PSYC & 200 | No Weight (must earn “C” or better) |
|  |  |  | MATH & 146 | No Weight (must earn “C” or better) |

**EXAMPLE:** A student completes BIOL& 241 and ENGL & 101. The student receives an “A” in BIOL& 241 and a “B+” in ENGL& 101. For BIOL& 241, the student receives 8.0 points for obtaining an “A,” multiplied by 2 for the course, for a point value of 16. For ENGL& 101, the student receives 6.6 points for obtaining a “B+,” multiplied by 1 for the course, for a point value 6.6. The total point value for these 2 courses is 22.6 (16 plus 6.6).

### **Co-Requisites:** COMMUNICATIONS COURSE (from distribution list, and any 2 Humanities courses: Co-requisite – must be completed by end of program

**ATI TEAS Exam Results –** Must be 59% or greater

78% - 90.99% - 5pts

91% or greater - 10pts

(2 attempts allowed per year)

**WA State** [**NA-C**](http://www.whatcom.ctc.edu/academics/degrees-certificates/nursing-assistant) **or CNA certificate of completion required for admission to the program.** Students may take CNA 102 or equivalent to meet requirement. (Not considered in selection)