BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING PROGRAM
INFORMATION PACKET & APPLICATION
Traditional BSN Program

School of Nursing

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Read all instructions carefully as procedures may change between application cycles
- Complete all applicable information and sign in the appropriate places

APPLICATION DEADLINES

To begin Nursing coursework in Fall, Deadline to submit application:

March 15th
(All prerequisites must be completed by the end of the Summer Semester)

To begin Nursing classes in Spring, Deadline to submit application:

October 1st
(All prerequisites must be completed by the end of the Fall Semester)

NOTICE OF ADMISSION

Students will be notified by mail of their admission status approximately 4-6 weeks after the deadline date

*The Professional Program is a five-semester sequence of courses building on prerequisite course requirements leading to a Bachelors of Science in Nursing*
LETTER OF GREETINGS FROM SCHOOL OF NURSING CHAIR

Dear Nursing Program Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in the Baccalaureate Program at the School of Nursing at Northern Arizona University. We are pleased that you have chosen to apply for our program and wish you the best of luck during the application process.

Our five-semester program of study in nursing is comprehensive and will prepare you for a rewarding career as a professional member of a contemporary health care team. You will enjoy the lifelong friendships that you will cultivate as a member of the School of Nursing. Our skilled and knowledgeable faculty are prepared to help you be successful in all facets of your nursing education.

Once again thank you for your choice of the nursing program here at Northern Arizona University.

Sincerely,

Debora Thomas

Debora Thomas, PhD, RN
Dean, School of Nursing
College of Health and Human Services
Northern Arizona University

NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF NURSING
AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

Northern Arizona University and the School of Nursing do not discriminate on the basis of age, race, color, religion, sex, gender, national origin, disability, or veteran status in admissions, employment, or educational programs and activities, as required by Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended; the Civil Rights Act of 1990, and the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967.

Northern Arizona University’s policy on nondiscrimination is augmented by the voluntary affirmative action policies of Executive Order 11246, Section 503, of the Rehabilitation Act and the Vietnam Era Veteran’s Readjustment Assistance Act of 1973 as amended.

Inquiries regarding the application of these regulations may be made to:

Office of Affirmative Action
P.O. Box 4083
Flagstaff, AZ  86011
928-523-3312

Coordinator of Section 504
Americans with Disabilities
P.O. Box 6045
Flagstaff, AZ  86011
928-523-2261

NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF NURSING
DISABILITY SUPPORT SERVICES (DSS)

Undergraduate Admissions:

All programs at Northern Arizona University are open to qualified students. Special services for students with disabilities are available by contacting a Disability Support Service Coordinator in the office of Disability Support Services. Students are advised to provide documentation to DSS at least eight (8) weeks prior to attending NAU so that arrangements can be made to meet individual needs. Questions may be directed to Disability Support Services, P.O. Box 5633, Flagstaff, AZ  86011, or call 928-523-8773; TTY 928-523-6906; FAX 928-523-8747.
APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS
Traditional BSN Program

*ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY THE APPLICATION DEADLINE*
*LATE OR INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED*

BY THE APPLICATION DEADLINE, APPLICANTS MUST:

1. Apply to Northern Arizona University at:
   Northern Arizona University
   Undergraduate Admissions
   P.O. Box 4084
   Flagstaff, AZ 86011
   http://home.nau.edu/admissions/undergrad.asp

2. Submit a Complete School of Nursing Application:
   Application for the Bachelor of Science in Nursing – Traditional BSN Program
   Be sure to include:
   1. Unofficial Transcripts from each college or university attended
      (NAU transcripts do not need to be submitted with your application)
   2. Course descriptions for prerequisites taken outside the state of Arizona
   3. Description of Community Volunteer & Health Care Experience
   4. Two Reference Forms mailed directly to the School of Nursing
   5. KAPLAN Admission exam proctored (refer to page 8 for directions)

*Incomplete applications will not be considered for admission*

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SELECTING CAMPUS:
Students applying for multiple campuses only need to submit one complete application packet.

Students are allowed to apply for two campuses using one application form. Designate your preference(s) under Program Information on page 9 of this application packet. If you wish to be considered for two campuses rank them in order of preference using 1st, 2nd.

If the Flagstaff, Yuma, or American Indian Program (AIP) Campus is your #1 choice, application must be submitted to:
   Northern Arizona University
   School of Nursing
   ATTN: Student Services
   PO Box 15035
   Flagstaff, AZ 86011
   Phone: 928-523-2671

If the Tucson Campus is your #1 choice, application must be submitted to:
   Northern Arizona University
   Tucson Campus
   ATTN: Joanne Cox
   3895 N. Business Center Dr. Ste#120
   Tucson, AZ 85705
   Phone: 520-879-7959

If you are among those selected for more than one campus, you will be offered admission to your highest preferred campus. Once you are admitted to a specific campus there will be NO transferring between campuses. DO NOT apply for a campus that if you are not willing to relocate.
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS & CRITERIA FOR SELECTION
Traditional BSN Program

1. A minimum grade point average of 2.75 (on a 4.0 scale) in prerequisite courses. Please note, the minimum GPA of 2.75 does not guarantee admission to the program. Most successful applicants have a GPA well above 3.0.

2. Grades in biology courses are particularly emphasized, and grades of B or better are preferred. Research indicates that success in science courses is strongly related to passing the licensure exam.

3. Two reference forms from professional individuals (forms are included in this packet).

4. Proctored KAPLAN Admission Exam results. The exam results will be used for the screening and ranking of applicants.

5. Evidence of Volunteer and Health Care Work experience. Minimum 8 hours each.

6. Completion of all prerequisite courses with a grade of C or better.

Prerequisite courses are:

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All prerequisite courses must be completed by the end of the Summer semester for those applying for Fall. All prerequisite courses must be completed by the end of the Fall semester for those applying for Spring.

* If STA 270 is taken, it will satisfy both the MAT foundation requirement and the Statistics requirement

** ALL other NAU Liberal Study requirements must be completed or In-Progress in order to apply. See the Course Catalog for specific details http://www4.nau.edu/aio/AcademicCatalog/academiccatalogs.htm

NOTE: BIO 320, Jr. Level Writing requirement and the US Ethnic and Global Diversity requirement can be completed after admission to the Nursing Program. SEE APPROVED 8-Semester Plan.
# Bachelor of Science in Nursing
## 2011-2012 Undergraduate Catalog
### 8-Term Plan

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*Apply to the program during 3rd term*

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Bachelor of Science in Nursing
2011-2012
Admission to the Nursing program is highly competitive.

Admission to the School of Nursing is done via an application process. For a list of pre-requisite requirements, application material and school information visit the Nursing webpage at: www.nau.edu/nursing

We admit two cohorts of students per academic year. Currently application deadlines are OCT 1st and MARCH 15.

All students are required to complete at least 120 units and the required 35 units of liberal studies and 6 units of diversity courses to graduate from NAU. Also, to obtain this degree, the student must earn a “C” or better in 67 units of NURSING course work.

GENERAL INFORMATION

• This degree progression plan is to be used in conjunction with the academic catalog and degree progress report.

• Students are encouraged see an academic advisor regularly to confirm their academic progress.

• Many courses have pre-requisites. Please check the academic catalog for pre-requisite and placement information.

• Some courses are only offered once a year (Fall term only or Spring term only). Some of these courses may be pre-requisites for future courses. Please check with your department for current course rotations.

• Honors students complete different requirements to meet NAU's liberal studies program. Students should consult an Honors Program advisor for complete information on fulfilling Honors Liberal Studies requirements.

• All students are required to complete a minimum of 120 total units which includes:
  • 35 units of liberal studies courses: http://www4.nau.edu/aio/LScourselist.htm
  • 6 units of diversity courses: (3 units in Global & 3 units in Ethnic): http://www4.nau.edu/aio/DiversityCourseList.htm
  • 30 units of upper division courses (300-400 level), 18 of these units must be taken at NAU

• Enrollment in the English foundations course for liberal studies is based off of student SAT/ACT scores or incoming transfer/test credit, otherwise the student must take the English Placement Exam: http://testing.nau.edu/exams/placement.html

• Enrollment in the Math foundations course for liberal studies requires students to take the ALEKS Math Placement Exam: http://www.cefns.nau.edu/Academic/Math/studentInformation/Placement/Placement.shtml

CONTACT INFORMATION
STUDENT SERVICE OFFICE
Nursing Building (Bldg. 72) Room 206
PHONE: 928-523-0201 or 928-523-6846 or 928-523-2621
EMAIL: Nursing@nau.edu
# Suggested Application Checklist

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| Semester prior to application | SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT WITH NURSING ADVISOR  
- This is recommended to ensure that you have met all requirements for application and understand application process thoroughly. Phone appointments are encouraged for out of state students. Additional meetings can be set up throughout the application process to answer any questions.
If Flagstaff, Yuma, or American Indian Program (AIP) is your preferred campus contact:  
- Gregg Schneider  Phone: (928)523-6846  or  Email: Gregg.Schnedier@nau.edu  
- Christopher.Jensen@nau.edu  (928)523-2621  OR  
- Tina.Johnson@nau.edu  (928)523-0201  
If Tucson is your preferred campus contact:  
Joanne Cox  Phone: (520)879-7959  or  Email: Joanne.Cox@nau.edu |
| At least 30 days prior to application deadline | CALL WITH QUESTIONS  
- As the deadline gets closer we get extremely busy and are not able to respond to every last minute inquiry. So contact us early if you have questions. |
| Complete by:  
1 Mar for Fall  
1 Dec for Spring | APPLY TO NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY  
- Order Official transcript to be sent to undergraduate admissions. Applications can be completed online at: [http://www4.nau.edu/uadmissions/profiles/apply.htm](http://www4.nau.edu/uadmissions/profiles/apply.htm) |
| Make request to Student Service at least 14 days prior to application deadline | SCHEDULE THE KAPLAN ADMISSION EXAM  
Students may take the exam only once per application cycle.
  
  The test consists of 91 questions for a total of 165 minutes. The breakdown is as follows:
  
  Reading – 22 questions; 45 minutes
  
  Math – 28 questions; 45 minutes
  
  Writing – 21 questions; 45 minutes
  
  Science – 20 questions, 30 minutes
  
For information on how to schedule the exam see page 8. It is important to schedule the exam in advance to ensure a seat is available. For study guide information go to: [http://www.kaptest.com/bookstore/Medical/Show-All/9781419550348](http://www.kaptest.com/bookstore/Medical/Show-All/9781419550348) |
| Send out at least 1 week prior to application deadline | COMPLETE SCHOOL OF NURSING APPLICATION  
- Fill out the application legibly and completely.
- Print application and sign the pages that require a signature.
- Mail completed applications (pages 9 thru 13) to the appropriate office:
  
  If #1 choice is Flagstaff, Yuma, AIP send to:  
  Northern Arizona University  
  School of Nursing  
  ATTN: Student Services  
  PO Box 15035  
  Flagstaff, AZ 86011
  
  If #1 choice is Tucson, send to:  
  Northern Arizona University  
  Tucson Campus  
  ATTN: Joanne Cox  
  3895 N. Business Center Dr. Ste 120  
  Tucson, AZ 85705 |
| *All application material must be postmarked BY THE APPLICATION DEADLINE in order to be considered for that application cycle.*  
*Late or incomplete applications will not be reviewed.*  
*This is only a suggested timeline for application. It is the responsibility of the student to ensure that all required material for application are postmarked or received at Student Services by 5:00 pm on the application deadline date*
INSTRUCTIONS FOR KAPLAN ADMISSION EXAM
Traditional BSN Program

NOTE: The KAPLAN Admission Exam score is used for screening and ranking of applicants. You may only take the Kaplan exam once per application cycle.

For Students in the Flagstaff Area
1. Contact the NAU Counseling and Testing Center( http://testing.nau.edu/or (928)523-2358) to schedule the Kaplan Admissions exam. There is a proctor fee that is due at the time of scheduling.
2. Send an email to Nursing@nau.edu with ADMISSION EXAM in SUBJECT line. Please indicate your name, the date you are scheduled to take the exam, and that you are taking it at the NAU Testing Center.
3. You will receive a confirmation email from Nursing@nau.edu; print and keep a copy of this confirmation to take with you to the testing center.

Testing sessions are by appointment only. Proctor fee/testing fee is required at the time the appointment is made. You must bring two forms of ID, including at least one photo ID, in order to take the exam.

For Students in the Tucson Area:
1. Call 520-879-7959 to schedule your exam for one of the following dates. You must reserve a seat prior to the test date as there is limited space available. There is a proctoring fee of $25 dollars due on the test day. Applicants can pay with Check, Money Order or Visa, MasterCard, American Express or Discover. Make checks/money orders payable to Pima Community College Scheduled exams will take place at Pima Community College West Campus in the Assessment Testing Center Pima Community College West Campus 2202 W. Anklam Rd. Santa Catalina Building, Assessment Testing Center Room C-141
2. Send an email to Nursing@nau.edu with ADMISSION EXAM in SUBJECT line. Please indicate your name, the date you are scheduled to take the exam, and that you are taking it at the Pima Community College Testing Center.
3. You will receive a confirmation email from Nursing@nau.edu; print and keep a copy of this confirmation to take with you to the testing center.

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NOTE: The test proctor WILL NOT administer the exam unless you show up 15 minutes early and provide 2 forms of photo ID.

For Students not in the Flagstaff or Tucson Area
1. Find a testing center in your local area that is willing to proctor the exam. Most community colleges and universities have a testing center. Be sure to get a valid email address and contact information.
2. Schedule a testing appoint. Make sure that the testing center has internet access.
3. Send an email to Nursing@nau.edu with ADMISSION EXAM in the subject line. Please indicate your name, the date you are scheduled to take the exam, the name of the Testing Center along with an email contact so we can ensure the exam is delivered. We need this information one week prior to your exam date.
4. You will receive a confirmation email from Nursing@nau.edu; print and keep a copy of this confirmation to take with you to the testing center.

NOTE: The test proctor WILL NOT administer the exam unless they have received an email from the School of Nursing confirming your test date and time. Testing sessions will be by appointment only. Check with your test proctor so see if there is a testing fee. Photo ID required.
# NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY
## SCHOOL OF NURSING
### APPLICATION – Traditional BSN Program

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If Yes only eligible for the Flagstaff Campus

## PROGRAM INFORMATION

Select your planned semester of enrollment and preferred campus from the list below. If you want to be considered for more than one campus, rank the campuses in order of preference. Please use 1st, 2nd designation to identify preference. You can choose 2 sites.

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Please Note: DO NOT select a campus that you are not willing to relocate to. Students must attend courses at the campus they are admitted to.

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COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER AND HEALTH RELATED EXPERIENCES

EXPECTATIONS

1. Applicants are expected to provide evidence and verification of their participation in experiences that benefit their community and their experience in some aspect of the health care profession.

2. Please list below how you have fulfilled these two expectations.

3. If contact person is not provided please provide written explanation of tasks performed on separate sheet of paper.

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Please be accurate in listing names and telephone numbers of contact personnel. The School of Nursing will verify your participation in the above activities.
EDUCATIONAL RECORD

Beginning with the most recent, list all colleges and universities attended, regardless of length of attendance. Include any educational institution you are currently attending.

INSTITUTIONS ATTENDED

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<th>College or University</th>
<th>Location: City and State</th>
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PREREQUISITE COURSES

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*For more information on NAU Liberal Study requirements, please visit [http://www4.nau.edu/aio/LScourselist.htm](http://www4.nau.edu/aio/LScourselist.htm)

* BIO 181 is recommended for the nursing program as it is the prerequisite to BIO 201 and BIO 205*

* Courses taken outside of the state of Arizona must be reviewed by the curriculum committee*

Send course descriptions and unofficial transcripts to the Student Services office for review.
BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The Arizona State Board of Nursing uses a fingerprint background checks to investigate previous felonies, misdemeanors, and arrests. If a felony is less than five years since absolute discharge, the applicant is ineligible to apply for licensure. Although having a misdemeanor or arrest is not cause to deny licensure, the behavior that caused the event may indicate unprofessional conduct and may be grounds to deny or restrict nursing licensure. The following two questions provide necessary information related to future licensure.

1. Are you currently under investigation or is disciplinary action pending against a nursing license, CNA certificate, or any other license or certification you hold in any state, or territory of the United States?

   YES           NO

2. Have you ever been convicted, entered a plea of guilty, nolo contendre or no contest, or have you ever been sentenced, served time in jail or prison, or had probation or sentence deferred in any felony or undesignated offense?

   YES           NO

The undersigned declares that he/she is the person referred to in the foregoing application; that the statements are true in every respect; that he/she has not suppressed any information that would affect this application; that he/she will conform to ethical standards of conduct in the profession of nursing; that he/she understands that failure to disclose the requested information or disclosure of false or misleading information may constitute fraud and may result in denial of admission or disciplinary action.

Previous RN Program Information:

Have you ever been enrolled in a Registered Nursing program in this state or any other state?  YES  NO
If YES, please provide the following information:

<table>
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<th>School Name</th>
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ADMISSION DISCLAIMER – 4 - Year Option

Your admission to the Northern Arizona University School of Nursing is no guarantee that you will graduate with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing. Further, graduation with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing is not the sole criteria for obtaining a license to practice Nursing in Arizona. Licensing requirements are the exclusive responsibility of the State Board of Nursing (Nursing Practice Act A.R.S. Section 32-1632, et seq.), and you must satisfy those requirements independently of your completion of any requirements for graduation from the Bachelor of Science in Nursing program.

I have read and understand the Admissions Application Disclaimer.

Signature: ___________________________________________ Date: ____________________________
REFERENCES

1. Two references are required for the application (included below).

2. The references should be from individuals who are well acquainted with your work experience, academic preparation, and performance, and who are able to judge your qualifications for professional nursing.
   
   A. Professors, employers, and other professional are appropriate persons to complete the form.
   
   B. Relatives, neighbors, personal friends, or those known in a social capacity will not be accepted as references.

3. The reference forms must be mailed directly to the School of Nursing, to the campus that you are sending all other application material by the individual writing the reference.
   
   If your preferred campus is Flagstaff or Yuma, forms need to be mailed directly to:
   
   Northern Arizona University
   School of Nursing
   ATTN: Student Services
   PO BOX 15035
   Flagstaff, AZ  86011

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4. List the individuals who will be completing the reference forms in the space below

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PROSPECTIVE BACCALAUREATE STUDENT REFERENCE FORM
TRADITIONAL BSN PROGRAM

APPLICANT: ______________________________________________________________

PREFERRED CAMPUS: __________________________________________________________

APPLICANT INSTRUCTIONS

This form is to be given to the person recommending you. Under the Federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, students are entitled to review their record, including letters of recommendation. However, those writing recommendations and those assessing recommendations may attach more significance to them if it is known that the recommendations will remain confidential. It is your option to waive your right to review these records or to decline to do so. Please mark the appropriate statement below, indicating your choice of option, and sign your name. Please check only one option.

I elect to keep this recommendation confidential. I waive all rights of access to this recommendation, whether □ visual, oral, or written, as provided in the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 and its amendments. I understand that this recommendation will not be available for my inspection now or in the future.

OR

I elect to keep this recommendation non-confidential, and the recommendation may be shown at my request.

Signature of Applicant: ____________________________ Date: ____________________

RECOMMENDER INSTRUCTIONS

The above student is applying to the Nursing Program at Northern Arizona University and has selected you as a reference. Please complete the attached reference form to evaluate the applicant. Please DO NOT complete this form if the above name candidate has failed to designate a confidentiality option about or has failed to sign the confidentiality option above. Your prompt response is appreciated.

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