

**Nursing, RN-BSN
 2015-16 Catalog**

- Ottawa University (OU) will accept up to 80 hours of JCCC credit toward a bachelor’s degree as outlined in the Transfer Advantage agreement.
- This degree qualifies for the Transfer Advantage program. This program reduces the cost per credit hour to \$290 for Associate degree graduates.
- In order to graduate from OU, a student must have 124 semester credits, 44 of which must be upper-division, and a minimum of 30 credits must be taken at OU.
- In order to graduate from OU, each student is required to complete at least 28 credits in the major, of which 12 credits must be upper-division courses from OU. Additionally, to graduate, students must complete eight credits in the Liberal Arts Core; six credits in each of the four breadth areas (see II below); and UNV 11000 Seminar for Significance.
- Credits taken as Activity and/or Skill building courses (i.e. typing, tennis, band, HVAC, etc.) will transfer as electives with a limit of four credit hours being accepted per activity.

Students must meet the following requirements for admission to the Ottawa University Online Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) Completion Program:

1. Complete an Ottawa University Application
2. Minimum Cumulative GPA of 2.5/4.0
3. Licensure as a Registered Nurse in the U.S. (as a new associate degree in nursing graduate, a student may be provisionally admitted to this program pending passage of their NCLEX and receiving RN licensure. *However*, receipt of licensure **must** be obtained by the end of the student’s second term in the OU RN-BSN program)
4. Successful completion of a criminal background check
5. Two professional or academic references
6. Brief career statement of professional experience and goals in nursing

Ottawa University Requirements	JCCC Substitutions
I. Liberal Arts Sequence (8 credit hours)	
LAS 30012 Writing and Critical Thinking in the Liberal Arts	No substitutions – must be completed at OU
LAS 45012 Global Issues in the Liberal Arts	
UNV 11000 Seminar for Significance	
II. Breadth Area Courses (6 credit hours in each area)	
Art/Expression (6 credit hours) Examples: Performance Art, Foreign Language, Composition/Creative Writing, Speech, Communication, Music or Dance	
Social/Civic (6 credit hours) Examples: Anthropology, Psychology, Sociology, Political Science, Economics or History	

Science/Description (6 credit hours) Examples: Accounting, Math, Statistics, Natural Science, or Health and Nutrition	
Value/Meaning (6 credit hours) Examples: Literature, Theory of Art, Theory of Music, Ethics, Religion, Philosophy, or Critical Thinking	
III. Required Foundation Courses	
BIO 20342 Human Anatomy & Physiology Lab	BIOL 144 Human Anatomy and Physiology OR BIOL 140 Human Anatomy OR BIOL 225 Human Physiology
BIO 20343 Human Anatomy & Physiology	As Above
BIO 30242 Microbiology Lab	BIOL 231 Microbiology Lab
BIO 30243 Microbiology	BIOL 230 Microbiology
CHE 10044 Concepts of Chemistry	CHEM 122 Principles of Chemistry
HUS 36000 Statistics for Social Sciences	MATH 181 Statistics
IV. Required Major Courses	
NRSG 30000 Professional Nursing Theory, Roles, and Practice	No substitution
NRSG 30003 Nursing and Cultural Diversity in Health Care	No substitution
NRSG 30006 Health Care Communication	No substitution
NRSG 32000 Clinical Informatics and Technology	No substitution
NRSG 32003 Health Promotion and Teaching Across Life Cycle	No substitution
NRSG 46000 Health Care Policy and Regulations	No substitution
NRSG 32006 Human Pathophysiology	No substitution
NRSG 32009 Health Assessment	NURS 125 Health Assessment in Nursing
NRSG 46003 Nursing Research and Evidence Based Practice	No substitution
NRSG 46006 Community Based Nursing	No substitution
NRSG 46009 Nursing Leadership and Management	No substitution
NRSG 49003 Professional Nursing: Integration of Concepts	No substitution

This transfer guide is applicable to Ottawa University Adult Professional and Online programs only and is invalid if the requirements for this major and/or Bachelor's degree are revised.

It is the STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to check for updates to all transfer information. This transfer program is provided as a service and is updated at least annually. Degree requirements at the four-year colleges are subject to change by those institutions.