



SOUTHWESTERN MICHIGAN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
TRANSFER GUIDE TO FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY
Bachelor of Science in Nursing
NURSING (RN to BSN) - 120 Credits

<u>COURSES TO TAKE AT SMCC</u> (FSU equivalencies in parenthesis)	
<u>Communication Requirement</u>	<u>SMCC Cr.</u>
SPEE 101 or 102 (COMM 121 or 221)	3 cr.
ENGL 103 (ENGL 150)	3 cr.
ENGL 104 (ENGL 250)	3 cr.
<u>Science/Math Requirements</u>	
Scientific Course with lab	4 cr.
Scientific Course	4 cr.
MATH 105 (MATH 115)	4 cr.
<u>Humanities/(Cultural Enrichment at FSU)</u>	
-one must be at a 200 level or higher – courses such as History, Humanities, Music, Theater, Foreign language, etc. (Upper level options: ENGL 228, 251, 278- if 1 of these is taken, you don't need the upper level cultural at Ferris- take 9 credits at SMCC)	
6 cr.	
<u>Social Sciences (Social Awareness at FSU)</u>	
-one must be at a 200 level or higher – courses such as Psychology, Sociology, Political Science, etc.	
- must come from 2 different departments.	
(Upper level options: SOCI 240 or PSYC 296- if 1 of these is taken, you don't need the upper level social at Ferris- take 9 credits at SMCC)	
6 cr.	
<u>Major Course Requirements</u>	
Basic Nursing Courses (ADN or diploma)	40 cr.
Elective	7 cr.
Total SMCC Credits: 80	

<u>COURSES TO TAKE AT FERRIS</u>	
ENGL 321	3 cr.
CCHS 315	3 cr.
NURS 324	3 cr.
NURS 320	3 cr.
NURS 310	3 cr.
NURS 340	3 cr.
NURS 350	3 cr.
NURS 440	3 cr.
Nursing Elective	3 cr.
Choose 1 from:	
NURS 300, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319 or	
CAHS 300	
NURS 450	3 cr.
NURS 495	4 cr.
Upper Level Cultural Enrichment Elective (300/400 level)	3 cr.
Upper Level Social Awareness Elective (300/400 level)	3 cr.
* Must earn 40 credits at Upper Level (300/400 level)	
Total FSU credits: 40	

Total SMCC credits: 80
Total FSU credits: 40
Total required degree credits: 120

If you have any questions regarding this transfer guide, or have questions regarding approvals needed, please contact the College of Allied Health Dean's Office at 231-591-2263.

- Notes:**
1. A 2.0 cumulative GPA is required for admission into the program.
 2. Students must have current, valid (current) RN license for admission into the program.
 3. Student MUST have "C" or better in ENGL 150, 250 & MATH 110 and have completed 7 credit hours in science to apply for this degree.
 4. A 2.00 cumulative GPA is required in the major and overall for graduation from the Nursing program.
 5. Required courses: Global consciousness and Race/Ethnicity/Gender requirements must be met through Cultural Enrichment, Social Awareness, General Education, or Major courses, unless the MACRAO stamp is identified.
 6. A minimum of 30 credits must be FSU credits and a minimum of 120 credits total.
 7. Students must meet FSU General Education requirements for a Bachelor of Science degree delineated on the FSU General Education website, if the student does NOT get the MACRAO stamp. Learn more about general education courses at: <http://www.ferris.edu/HTMLS/academics/advising/Section7/homepage.htm>
 8. A "C" or better grade must be earned to allow for course transfer to FSU.
 9. Students must earn 40 credit hours at the upper level, 300/400 level to graduate.
 10. To determine how courses will transfer into Ferris, check the transfer equivalency grid: <http://www.ferris.edu/admissions/Transfer/WebPages/homepage1.cfm>
 11. All science and math courses must be taken within 5 years of application to your professional sequence.