Nursing Information

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Farmingdale State College has 3 different Nursing options:

Option 1

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (Fall Semester Only)

- Application deadline: January 15th
- Supporting documents are due by February 15th
- Intended for students coming directly out of high school
- Will take 4 years to complete program regardless of previous coursework
- Average 1000+ applications
- 24 available seats
- Highly competitive
- Must have the following prerequisites
Prerequisites for Bachelor of Science Nursing option

- High School Diploma or GED
- High School GPA of 85+
- Three Units of Mathematics
  - Must include Algebra 2 & Trigonometry with Regents
- Biology with Laboratory
  - Regents Score must be 75% or higher
- Chemistry with Laboratory
  - Regents Score must be 65% or higher
- SAT or ACT scores
- Pre-Admissions Exam
  - TEAS (Test of Essential Academic Skills)
  - More information about the exam can be found at: www.atitesting.com

Please note: Completion of minimum prerequisite courses does not guarantee admission. Applicants are ranked according to grades and TEAS V exam score.
Option 2

- Advanced Standing Bachelor of Science (Spring Semester Only)
  - Application & Supporting documents deadline: October 1st
  - Intended for students with college credits
  - Will take a minimum of 3 years to complete
  - Average 400+ applications
  - 50 seats available
  - Must have the following prerequisites
Prerequisites for Advanced Standing Bachelor of Science

- Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0
- MTH 110 – Statistics
- EGL 101 – English Composition: Rhetoric
- PSY 101 – Introduction to Psychology
- BIO 170 – Human Anatomy & Physiology I (within 5 years)
- BIO 171 – Human Anatomy & Physiology II (within 5 years)
- 3 Liberal Arts and Sciences curriculum requirements (refer to the program of study)

Please note: Applicants must achieve a grade of B or better the first time they take BIO 170 and BIO 171. Applicants that have repeated these classes will not be considered for the program.

This is not an accelerated program
Option 3

- RN to BS Completion (Fall Semester Only)
  - Application deadline: January 15th
  - Supporting Documents deadline: February 15th
  - Intended for students who already have an RN license and Associates Degree
  - Will take 2 years to complete
  - Consists of 62 credits beyond the Associates Degree
    - 32 credits in the major & 30-36 in Liberal Arts & Sciences
  - Approximately 40 seats available
  - Applicants must submit official transcripts and copy of RN license
Nursing Facts

- 90% NCLEX pass rate in 2013 and 2014
- Hospital affiliations: North Shore University Hospital, Long Island Jewish Hospital, Southside, Brookhaven, Stony Brook, St. Catherine's, Plainview, Syosset, South Nassau Communities Hospital, Winthrop, Good Samaritan, St. Francis, St. Joseph's, Huntington, Mather, Mercy Medical Center, Nassau University Medical Center...to name a few
- Clinical training occurs in each semester with a practicum as the last course. The practicum is 315 hours working 1:1 with a clinical preceptor. Every effort is made to accommodate the student's preference for hospital and specialty area of interest.
Admissions Information

Phone: 631-420-2200
Fax: 631-420-2633
Email: Admissions@farmingdale.edu
Hours: 8:30am – 4:30pm

Applicants can apply online at: www.suny.edu/applysuny or visit www.farmingdale.edu

Applicants must send official documents from all schools attended to the following address:
  Farmingdale State College
  Attention: Admissions Processing
  279 Broadway
  Albany, NY 12204

For further information regarding nursing programs, please visit:
www.bestnursingdegree.com