

SHORELINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE – NURSING PROGRAM
Admission Point System Checklist– Beginning Winter 2027

I. NLN-NEX - National League of Nursing – Nursing Entrance Exam

Applicant Testing Requirement (REQUIRED TO APPLY – NO ADMISSION PTS GIVEN)

<input type="checkbox"/>	NLN-NEX	DATE TAKEN: _____	RN COMPOSITE SCORE: _____ <i>The test must be taken within one year of the application period and have a minimum RN Composite Score of at least 145.</i>
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II. Pre-Requisite Non-Nursing Courses Required (grade of 2.0 or higher required)

	Pre-Requisite Course	Course Name	# of Credits	Time Limits	Pre-Requisite for course	Your grade	Points (Your grade x 2.5=)
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENGL& 101 or ENGL& 102	English Composition I or II	5	Must be completed at the time of application	Prerequisite for 101: Completion of ENGL 99 or equivalent with a 2.0 or higher, or placement into ENGL& 101, or instructor permission. ENGL& 101 is a prerequisite for ENGL& 102.		
<input type="checkbox"/>	MATH& 146	Intro to Statistics	5	Must be completed at the time of application	Prerequisite: MATH and ENGL placement required. See Placement and Prerequisites Shoreline Community College Select: "Need a placement assessment?"		
<input type="checkbox"/>	PSYC& 200	Lifespan Psychology	5	None	Prerequisite: none		
<input type="checkbox"/>	NUTR& 101	Nutrition	3-5	None	Recommended completion of MATH& 107 with 2.0 or higher and ENGL 99 or equivalent.		

III. Pre-Requisite Science Courses (grade of 2.0 or higher required)

						Your grade	Points (Your grade x 3.0=)
<input type="checkbox"/>	CHEM& 121	Intro to Chemistry	5	In-person labs required (exception: Spring 2019-Fall 2022)	Prerequisite: ENGL&101 and MATH 99 placement; completion of MATH& 146 or MATH& 107 with 2.0 or higher may substitute for MATH 99.		
<input type="checkbox"/>	BIOL& 241	Human Anatomy & Physiology I	5	CHEM/BIOL prerequisites completed w/in 10 years of application*	Prerequisite: BIOL& 211 (grade of 2.0 or higher)		
<input type="checkbox"/>	BIOL& 242	Human Anatomy & Physiology II	5		Prerequisite: BIOL& 241 (grade of 2.0 or higher)		
<input type="checkbox"/>	BIOL& 260	Microbiology	5		Prerequisite: BIOL& 211 (grade of 2.0 or higher)		

***LPN-RN Advanced Placement students do not have a 10 year time limit associated with science courses and all pre-requisites must be completed at the time of application.**

IV. Practical Preparation

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Current active or reserve military or veteran			2 Points
<input type="checkbox"/>	20 credits of required pre-requisites completed at Shoreline Community College			1 Point
<input type="checkbox"/>	Previous Associate Degree or higher degree			2 Points
<input type="checkbox"/>	Nursing Assistant Certificate (NAC) at Shoreline Community College			1 Point
<input type="checkbox"/>	Volunteer or work experience hours in direct patient care (involving the patient or patient's family contact)**			
	192 hours = 6 Points			Use total experience hours to determine points. May use up to 2 work sites with minimum of 50 hours per site.
	240 hours = 9 Points			
	480 hours = 12 Points			
	960 hours = 15 Points max			

****LPN-RN Advanced Placement students must have completed 1 year of employment as an LPN at the time of application.**

V. Diversity in Additional Language(s):

<input type="checkbox"/>	Fluency in a language other than English (www.languagetesting.com or ALTA Language Services) 1 pt = tested intermediate low/mid; ASL 1 2 pts= tested intermediate high; ASL 2 3 pts=tested advanced; ASL 3; HS diploma/college degree showing education in a language other than English 1 pt is offered with a passing grade for SPAN 292 (Spanish for Healthcare), SPAN 105, or SPAN 106 taken at SCC.	0-3 Points max
Estimated Total - Possible 112 points (90 or more points are recommended for a more competitive application)		

NOTE: Applicants can estimate their possible points. The Nursing Program will make the official points calculation.

Questions? SCC Nursing Program Website: <https://www.shoreline.edu/programs/Nursing/> and email questions to: sccnursing@shoreline.edu