

R.N. to B.S. Nursing

The registered nurse with an Associate of Science degree or a diploma in nursing may complete a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing at Southwestern Adventist University in a minimum of five eight-week modules or spread out over a longer period of time. The RN to BS in Nursing program is completely online.

Required R.N. to B.S. Courses

Item #	Title	credits
NURS 302	RN-BS Professional Development	1
NURS 312	RN-BS Health Assessment	3
NURS 316	RN-BS Gerontological Nursing	2
NURS 331	RN-BS Evidence-Based Practice	3
NURS 332	RN-BS Pathophysiology/Pharmacology	4
NURS 406	RN-BS Leadership & Management in Nursing	3
NURS 436	RN-BS Health Care Policies and Economics	3
NURS 444	RN-BS Population Health	3
UNIV 311	Wellness for Life	2
	R.N. to B.S. GE Religion Options	6

Required R.N. to B.S. Nursing Cognate Courses

Item #	Title	credits
BIOL 101	Anatomy & Physiology I	4
BIOL 102	Anatomy & Physiology II	4
BIOL 220	Microbiology and Immunology	4
MATH 141	Introduction to Probability and Statistics	3
PSYC 220	Human Growth & Development	3
SOCI 111	Introduction to Sociology	3

Electives to Meet 120-Credit Hour Graduation Requirement

Total Upper Division credit requirements: 30

R.N. to B.S. Elective Credits:

These elective credits can be used if the student needs to reach the required 120 minimum credits for graduation.

Item #	Title	credits
NURS 460	R.N.-B.S. Baccalaureate Nurse Experience I	3
NURS 461	R.N.-B.S. Baccalaureate Nurse Experience II	3
	Total credits:	120

Category Descriptions

R.N. to B.S. GE Religion Options

Credits: 6

Courses in biblical studies will introduce the student to practical methods of Bible study, critical evaluation of scholarship and interpretation, and the richness and depth of the biblical text. Courses in theology will engage the student in a

systematic approach to biblical matters, will have students explore different perspectives and relevant issues, and guide students to formulate personal viewpoints and positions. Courses in historical studies trace the origin and development of the Bible, Christianity, Seventh-day Adventism, and other religions.

Select two courses: 6 credit hours

Upper Division Religion Courses

Item #	Title	credits
RELB 322	Daniel	3
RELB 323	Revelation	3
RELB 325	Pentateuch	3
RELB 328	Survey of the Old Testament	3
RELB 335	Introduction to the New Testament	3
RELH 314	Origin & Development of the Bible	3
RELH 320	Ellen White Writings	3
RELH 331	History of Christianity I	3
RELH 332	History of Christianity II	3
RELT 312	Christian Ethics	3
RELT 325	World Religions	3
RELT 327	Integrated Wellness Connections	3
RELT 410	Biblical Conflict Resolution	3