

The following table is the list of Articulated Associate Degrees between Northland Pioneer College and Grand Canyon University (GCU). Students who complete a transfer-oriented associate degree (Associate of Arts or Associate of Science) may fulfill Grand Canyon University’s General Education requirements. Students without a transfer-oriented degree (Associate of Applied Science) must fulfill the General Education requirements and have a course-by-course evaluation completed. Additional programmatic admission requirements and transfer policy information can be found within the [University Policy Handbook](#).

Northland Pioneer College Degree	Grand Canyon University Degree
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Associate of Applied Science in Nursing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN-BSN)

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The following table is the assessment of the courses between Northland Pioneer College and Grand Canyon University (GCU). The following will be used in evaluating official transcripts.

These courses fulfill the competency requirements; however, the courses may not fulfill the credit requirements. To obtain an undergraduate degree at GCU, students are required to meet a minimum of 120 semester credit hours.

Northland Pioneer College			Grand Canyon University	
Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Course Equivalency	Applied Semester Credits
ANT-102	Cultural Anthropology	3	SOC-315: Cultural Anthropology	3
BIO-181	General Biology	4	BIO-181&BIO-181L: General Biology I Lecture and Lab	4
BIO-201	Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4	BIO-201&BIO-201L: Human Anatomy and Physiology I Lecture and Lab	4
BIO-202	Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4	BIO-202&BIO-202L: Human Anatomy and Physiology II Lecture and Lab	4
BIO-205	Microbiology	4	BIO-205&BIO-205L: Microbiology Lecture and Lab	4
CHM-130	Fundamental Chemistry	4	CHM-101: Introduction to Chemistry	4
ENL-101	College Composition I	3	ENG-105: English Composition I	3
ENL-102	College Composition II	3	ENG-106: English Composition II	3
HES-120	Law and Ethics of the Health Care Professional	3	NRS-437V: Ethical Decision-Making in Health Care	3
MAT-121	Intermediate Algebra	3	MAT-134: Applications of Algebra	3
MAT-125	Introduction to Statistics	3	HLT-362V: Statistics	3
MAT-152	Advanced Algebra	3	General Education: Critical Thinking	3
NUR-117	Pharmacology I	2	General Elective	2
NUR-118	Pharmacology II	2	General Elective	2
NUR-121	Nursing I	8	General Elective	8
NUR-122	Nursing II	8	General Elective	8
NUR-125	Practical Nurse Completion	2	General Elective	2
NUR-221	Nursing III	8	General Elective	8
NUR-222	Nursing IV	8	General Elective	8
NUR-219	NCLEX Review Seminar	2	General Elective	2
PSY-201	Introduction to Research and Statistics	4	HLT-362V: Statistics	4
PSY-240	Developmental Psychology	3	PSY-357: Lifespan Development	3
SOC-120	General Sociology	3	SOC-102: Principles of Sociology	3

Associate of Applied Science in Nursing – Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)

The following table outlines the requirements needed to receive an Associate of Applied Science in Nursing from Northland Pioneer College. Within the table we have identified preferred courses from Northland Pioneer College that will be applicable towards Grand Canyon University's Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN). The following will be used in evaluating official transcripts.

Northland Pioneer College– Associate of Applied Science in Nursing	Credits	Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)	GCU Applied Semester Credits
Communication- 6			
ENL-101: College Composition I	3	ENG-105: English Composition I	3
ENL-102: College Composition II	3	ENG-106: English Composition II	3
Math-3			
MAT-121: Intermediate Algebra	3	MAT-134: Applications of Algebra	3
Physical and Biological Science- 20			
CHM-130: Fundamental Chemistry	4	CHM-101: Introduction to Chemistry	4
BIO-181: General Biology	4	BIO-181&Bio-181L: General Biology I Lecture and Lab	4
BIO-201: Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4	BIO-201&BIO-201L: Human Anatomy and Physiology I Lecture and Lab	4
BIO- 202: Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4	BIO-202&202L: Human Anatomy and Physiology II Lecture and Lab	4
BIO-205: Microbiology Lecture and Lab	4	BIO-205&BIO-205L: Microbiology Lecture and Lab	4
Social and Behavioral Sciences- 6			
PSY-240: Developmental Psychology	3	PSY-357: Lifespan Development	3
ANT-102: Cultural Anthropology OR	3	SOC-315: Cultural Anthropology	3
SOC-120: General Sociology	3	SOC-102: Principles of Sociology	3
Core Requirements- 40			
NUR-117: Pharmacology I	2	General Elective	2
NUR-118: Pharmacology II	2	General Elective	2
NUR-121: Nursing I	8	General Elective	8
NUR-122: Nursing II	8	General Elective	8
NUR-125: Practical Nurse Completion	2	General Elective	2
NUR-221: Nursing III	8	General Elective	8
NUR-222: Nursing IV	8	General Elective	8
NUR-219: NCLEX Review Seminar	2	General Elective	2
Any approved Social Science or Humanities course	9	General Education: Global Awareness	9
Minimum Number of Credits Required for Associate of Applied Science in Nursing at Northland Pioneer College			84
Total Credits Applied Towards Grand Canyon University's Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)			84

The following table outlines the requirements needed to receive a Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN) from Grand Canyon University.

Course #	Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)	Semester Credits
NRS-430V	Professional Dynamics	3
NRS-429V	Family Centered Health Promotion	3
NRS-434V	Health Assessment	3
NRS-427V	Concepts in Community and Public Health	3
HLT-362V	Statistics	3
NRS-433V	Introduction to Nursing Research	3
NRS-437V	Ethical Decision-Making in Health Care	3
HLT-310V	Spirituality in Health Care	3
NRS-451V	Nursing Leadership and Management	3
NRS-410V	Pathophysiology and Nursing Management of Client Health	3
NRS-440V	Trends and Issues in Health Care	3
NRS-441V	Professional Capstone Project	3
Total Credits Completed at Grand Canyon University		36

Transfer Credits Applied From Associate of Applied Science in Nursing	84 semester credits
Program Major Requirement - Grand Canyon University	36 semester credits
Total Credit Hours Needed to Complete Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)	120 credits

*Traditional campus students who have transferred in a minimum of 24 college level credits and have a 3.0 GPA or higher can waive the University Foundations course, UNV-303. For additional graduation requirements, please see the [University Policy Handbook](#).

To obtain a baccalaureate degree at Grand Canyon University (GCU), a student must earn a minimum of 36 semester credits in upper division (300 or above) courses.

A minimum of 120 credits are required for completion of this program of study. If taking one course at a time, this program will take on average 48 months at GCU. Students with transfer credit that applies to this program will shorten the time to completion from that stated on this transfer guide. Please contact your Academic Advisor for more information.

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