ANTELope VALley COLleGE
counseling center advising
AS-associate DEGREE

• Minimum of 12 units must be completed at AVC (credit earned by examination will not be included in these 12 units)
• All courses must be completed with a minimum grade of C in all categories.
• Refer to catalog or online website for course listings, descriptions, and suggested course sequence if available.

Prerequisites to apply to the RN program

1. Graduation from an accredited United States high school or an approved equivalent or an Associate Degree or higher with graduation date posted on official transcript.
2. Freedom from communicable disease as verified by a licensed physician or certified nurse practitioner. Other health conditions that could impair the student’s ability to perform the essential functions of a nursing student safely and competently will be examined on a case-by-case basis.
3. Students are required to have a background screening (no felonies allowed).
4. a. ENGL 101, MATH 115, BIOL 201, BIOL 202, & BIOL 204 must be completed and the grades posted on an official transcript at the time of application.
   b. 2.5 minimum GPA in all college classes taken for credit.
   c. 2.5 minimum GPA for BIOL 201, BIOL 202, and BIOL 204.
   d. 2.5 minimum GPA for MATH 115 and ENGL 101/ENGL101SL.
   e. No more than one repeated core science course (BIOL 201, 202, 204)
   f. Pre-requisite challenges will not be accepted after December 23, 2014 (No exceptions). Priority of admission from this group will be determined using the multiple screening criteria.

Pre-Requisite Courses

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<td>BIOL 201, General Human Anatomy</td>
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<td>Pre-Req: BIOL 100, or 101, or 110, or 120</td>
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<td>BIOL 202, General Human Physiology</td>
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<td>BIOL 204, General Microbiology</td>
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<td>ENGL 101, Academic Composition</td>
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<td>Pre-Req: ENGL 099 or eligibility</td>
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<td>MATH 115, Statistics</td>
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<td>Pre-Req: MATH 102</td>
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General Education Requirements

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<td>PHIL 110, Introduction to Logic</td>
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<td>COMM 101, Intro to Public Speaking</td>
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<td>PSY 236, Developmental Psychology</td>
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<td>Pre-req: PSY 101 (3 units)</td>
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<td>SOC 101, Intro to Sociology</td>
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<tr>
<td>HIST 107, U.S. History (1607-1877)</td>
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<td>or 108, U.S. History (From 1865-Present)</td>
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<td>Area F is exempted.</td>
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Area C Humanities
(min. 3 units)
ART 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 110, 113, 132, 135, 136, 137, 140, 145, 150
CHIN 101, 102, 201, 202
COMM 114, 214
DA 101
DFST 101, 102, 105, 201, 202
ENGL 102, 113, 221, 222, 225, 227, 230, 231, 235, 236, 240, 242, 246, 250, 253, 256, 257, 259, 265, 279
FREN 101, 102, 201, 202, 203
FTV 101, 103, 107, 108, 201, 251, 261
GER 101, 102, 201, 202, 203
HIST 115
LATN 101, 102, 201
MUS 101, 105, 111, 131, 201, 202
MUSC 102, 103, 107
PHIL 105, 106, 108, 109
PHOT 107
SPAN 101, 110SS, 102, 201, 202, 210SS
THA 101, 102, 103, 110, 130, 225

Note: General Education courses are mandatory as stated and cannot be substituted.

Note: Eligibility to enroll into Mathematics and English courses is established through AVC’s assessment or pre-requisites for such courses.

Diagnostic Assessment (TEAS®)
The student will receive permission from Career Technical Education Division (Nursing Department) office to take the Diagnostic Assessment at the Assessment Center (T100) one semester prior to enrollment.

Diagnostic Assessment: 3 hours & 30 minutes
Content: English Usage, Reading, Mathematics, Anatomy, Physiology, Microbiology.

Students who do not pass the test the first time must complete the recommended pre-entry courses and retest within one year of the first test date.

A study manual for the TEAS® is available from Assessment Technologies Institute, LLC (www.atesting.com), or the Marauder Bookstore.

Multiple Screening Criteria:

• Previous academic degrees.
• GPA in relevant science courses.
• GPA in remaining prerequisite courses (ENGL 101 and MATH 115 or equivalent courses).
• Life experiences and special circumstance.
• Proficiency or advanced coursework in languages other than English.
• Results on the assessment test (Test for Essential Academic Skills, TEAS®).
• More than 50% of the students will be enrolled from the top of the ranking.
• Remainder of the class will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis.
• Students not accepted will remain on a waiting list for the next enrollment period.

Major Courses starting Fall 2015

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Units Required for Major

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Licensure
The Associate Degree Nursing program prepares graduates and program completers for the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses. This exam is required by the California Board of Registered Nursing and the boards of nursing of other states and U.S. territories for licensure as a registered nurse.

Enrollment Procedure:
1. Please contact the Career Technical Education Division Office (Nursing Department) HS 198, first floor, Health and Sciences Building) at (661) 722-6402 to obtain an enrollment packet, including the “Verification of Prerequisites” form.

2. Submit an Educational Plan obtained at AVC’s Counseling Center. You will need one set of official transcripts from every institution, other than AVC, for the counselor’s evaluation. If your prior education comes from a foreign country, you will need to have those foreign transcripts evaluated by one of the international evaluation services that AVC recognizes before a counselor from AVC can complete an Educational Plan. A course description will also be required. Request a list of International Evaluation services at the Counseling Center. (661) 722-6338.

3. Submit one set of high school transcripts (or GED results) and college transcripts to the Career Technical Education Division (Nursing Department) office with the program enrollment form. (Transcripts/GED/AP results must be received in sealed, unopened envelopes.) It is the student’s responsibility to contact the high school and college(s) attended for official transcripts. The student should contact educational institutions early in the enrollment process. If the student has earned an Associate Degree or higher, then evidence of a high school diploma or equivalent is not necessary as long as the granted degree is posted in an official transcript as part of the enrollment packet.

4. Submit one extra set of official transcripts from every institution attended (including AVC) with the completed enrollment packet to the Career Technical Education Division (Nursing Department) office (HS 198, first floor, Health and Sciences Building).

5. Transfer students must submit a letter from their previous nursing program director indicating that they are eligible to return to their former program.

6. Consult with the Career Technical Education Division (Nursing Department) office in regards to the selection procedure and the appropriate time for the physical examination, drug screening, and background check.

7. Completed enrollment packets and satisfactory TEAS® results must be on file in the Career Technical Education Division (Nursing Department) by March 1 for consideration for fall admission, and by September 1 for consideration for spring admission.

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