Southeastern has an accelerated option leading to a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree, which allows the completion of nursing courses in approximately 18 months. Students completing the program are eligible to take the National Council of State Board Licensing Examination to become a Registered Nurse (NCLEX-RN). Approximately half of the course work will take place on the Hammond campus and the other half will be completed at the Baton Rouge Center which is located at 4849 Essen Lane in Baton Rouge. Clinical options vary from the Covington, Hammond to the Greater Baton Rouge area.

Students must first apply to the University, have all transcripts sent to Admissions for evaluation, and meet with the School of Nursing adviser prior to submitting an application to progress to Nursing coursework. All required non-nursing prerequisite courses listed on the curriculum sheet must be completed prior to entering nursing courses. Since you have a prior degree, we may be able to make some substitutions of required courses (i.e. Sociology, LS, etc.) based on course work you have completed. ALL substitutions requested must be completed and posted to your transcript prior to application.

Additionally, you must be enrolled at Southeastern in any remaining required prerequisite courses. A grade of “C” or better in each course is required, as well as a cumulative grade point average of 3.0. ALL required prerequisite courses must be posted on your transcript prior to the application deadline for consideration, or you must be enrolled at Southeastern in any remaining prerequisites at the time of application. ALL requests for substitutions must be made, approved, and posted to your transcript prior to the application deadline.

Applications to progress to the Nursing courses are accepted the semester in which a student is completing the required non-nursing courses. We accept cohorts – fall, spring, and summer (depending on the number of applicants). The application for progression can be found at the School of Nursing webpage / “Apply” link. Deadlines for submission are September 1st for spring admission and February 1st for summer (start date is mid-May) and/or fall admission.

The curriculum of the Accelerated Option for Students can be found below. To request advising, please apply to Southeastern and have all transcripts mailed to Office of Admissions for evaluation. Once your transcripts are evaluated, call the School of Nursing office at 985.549.2156 or email nursing@southeastern.edu for an advising appointment.

We look forward to seeing you at Southeastern!

Sincerely,

Eileen Creel DNS, RN
Department Head, School of Nursing
## Accelerated Option Course Requirements/Curriculum Plans

### Required Prerequisite Courses

**First Semester**
- English 101
- Math 161 or 151
- Gen. Biology 151
- Biology Lab 152
- Sociology 101
- Library Science 102

**Second Semester**
- English 102
- Psychology 101
- Chemistry 107
- Zoology 250
- Zoology Lab 252
- Math 241

**Third Semester**
- FCS 251
- English 230, or 231, 232
- Micro 223
- Micro Lab 224
- Zoology 251
- Zoology Lab 253
- Psychology 204

### Sample curriculum for students entering in a May Interim

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