

VIRGINIA PENINSULA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

A.A.S. Degree – Registered Nursing Program Credits and Curriculum

Course #	Course Title	Credits
SDV 100	College Success Skills	1
BIO 141	Human Anatomy I	4
ENG 111	College Composition I	3
HLT 230 or MTH154 (Pending Curriculum Change) (Effective SP23/FA23 Application Periods)	Principles of Nutrition and Human Development or Algebra I	3
PSY 230	Developmental Psychology	3
TOTAL CREDITS		14
First Semester		
BIO 142 (Pre-Req. to NSG 152 and NSG 170)	Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4
NSG 100	Introduction to Nursing Concepts	4
NSG 106	Competencies for Nursing Practice	2
NSG 130	Professional Nursing Concepts	1
NSG 200	Health Promotion and Assessment	3
TOTAL CREDITS		14
Second Semester		
BIO 150 (Pre-Req. to NSG 210 and NSG 211)	Introductory Microbiology	4
NSG 152	Health Care Participant	3
NSG 170	Health/Illness Concepts	6
TOTAL CREDITS		13
Third Semester		
CST 100/CST 126 or ENG 112 (Pending Curriculum Change)	Principles of Public Speaking/Interpersonal Communications or College Composition II	3
NSG 210	Health Care Concepts I	5
NSG 211	Health Care Concepts II	5
TOTAL CREDITS		13
Fourth Semester		
PHI 220	Ethics	3
NSG 270	Nursing Capstone	4
NSG 230	Advanced Professional Nursing Groups	2
NSG 252	Complex Health Concepts	4
TOTAL CREDITS		13
	TOTAL PROGRAM CREDITS	67

Nursing program promotion policy requires that students complete all NSG courses, as well as all general education courses with a grade of "B" or higher. This includes BIO141, BIO142, BIO150, ENG111, HLT230/MTH154, PSY230, CST100/ENG112, and PHI220. Please note that all science and math courses expire after 5 years (BIO141, BIO142, BIO150, MTH154) and must be retaken.