The following core guide is meant to display the list of possible/required courses for students pursuing a BSN at the University of West Georgia. Students using this guide should also refer to the UWG Undergraduate Catalog regarding core policies.

**Area A**

**Essential Skills - 9 credit hours**

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<td>ENGL 1101 English Composition I (eCore)</td>
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Nursing majors take either MATH 1001 or MATH 1111.

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<td>MATH 1001 Quant Skills and Reasoning (1101 eCore)</td>
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<td>MATH 1111 College Algebra (eCore)</td>
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Note: Math 1113 Precalculus and Math 1634 Calculus are acceptable. Grades of C or better are required in both English courses.

**Area B**

**Institutional Priorities 4-5 hours.** (Students may take any combination of courses as long as one is from category 1 & the total is 4hrs for science majors).

**Category 1: Oral Communication:** Choose one of the following:

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<td>ART 2000 Oral Communication &amp; the Visual Arts</td>
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<td>COMM 1110 Public Speaking</td>
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<td>COMM 1100 Human Communication (eCore/transfer)</td>
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<td>ENGL 2000 American Speech</td>
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<td>ENGL 2050 Self-Staging: Oral Comm. in Daily Life</td>
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<td>PHIL 2020 Critical Thinking</td>
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<td>THEA 2050 Self-Staging: Oral Comm. in Daily Life</td>
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<td>XIDS 1004 Oral and Technological Communication</td>
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<td>FOR LANG 1001 or 1002 (French, German, Spanish)</td>
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**Area C – Humanities and Fine Arts – 6 credit hours**

**Category 1: Fine Arts (Choose one)**

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<td>XIDS 2100 Arts &amp; Ideas (various topics)</td>
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<td>ART 1201 Introduction to Art</td>
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<td>ART 2201 History of Western Art I (offered online)</td>
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<td>ENGL 2060 Intro to Creative Writing</td>
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<td>FILM 2080 Intro to the Art of Film</td>
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<td>MUSC 1100 Music Appreciation</td>
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<td>MUSC 1120 Survey of Jazz, Rock, &amp; Popular Music</td>
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**Category 2: Humanities (Choose one)**

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<td>COMM 1154 Introduction to Mass Communications</td>
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<td>ENGL 2110 World Literature (2111 eCore)</td>
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<td>ENGL 2120 British Literature</td>
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<td>ENGL 2130 American Literature (2132 eCore)</td>
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<td>ENGL 2160 Philosophy and Literature</td>
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<td>ENGL 2180 Studies in African-American Literature</td>
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<td>ENGL 2190 Studies in Literature by Women</td>
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<td>FOR LANG 1001, 1002, 2001, 2002 (eCore-SPAN 2001/2)</td>
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*Category 2. Other Institutional Priorities: RNs can take one of the following or buy XIDS 2001/2 via CBE*

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FORL 2200  Survey of National Literatures  3
FORL 2300  Topics in National Literatures  3
PHIL 2010  Introduction to Philosophy (1001 eCore)  3
PHIL 2120  Introduction to Ethics  3

Area D
Option III for Nursing Majors

Category 1: Laboratory science sequence (Choose one Sequence)
- BIOL 1107/L  Principles of Biology I w/Lab  4
- BIOL 1108/L  Principles of Biology II w/Lab  4
  -OR-
- CHEM 1151K  Survey of Chemistry I w/Lab  4
- CHEM 1152K  Survey of Chemistry II w/Lab  4
  -OR-
- CHEM 1211K*  Principles of Chemistry I w/Lab (eCore)  4
- CHEM 1212K*  Principles of Chemistry II w/Lab (eCore)  4
  -OR-
- PHYS 1111/L  Introductory Physics I w/Lab  4
- PHYS 1112/L  Introductory Physics II w/Lab  4

Note: BIOLOGY CLEP, BIOL 1010 or 1014 may be considered on case-by-case basis. Student should discuss with advisor.

Category 2: MATH 2063  Applied Statistics (1401 eCore)  3

Area E
Social Sciences 12 hours
1. One required from the following two: World History
   - HIST* 1111  Survey of World History/Civ I (eCore)  3
   - HIST* 1112  Survey of World History/Civ II  3
2. One required from the following two: American/GA History
   - HIST* 2111  United States History I (to 1865; eCore)  3
   - HIST* 2112  United States History II (since 1865)  3

Area F
Nursing Requirements 18 hours: All required.
- *BIOL 2021/L  Anatomy & Physiology I w/Lab  4
- *BIOL 2022/L  Anatomy & Physiology II w/Lab  4
- *BIOL 2030/L  Medical Microbiology w/Lab  4
6 credit hours of social science electives or lower division NURS  6

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