

University Studies Program (USP) Planning Guide

UW Oshkosh's general education program requires a minimum of 38 credits.

Requirement	Course	
Quest 1 (Q1) - 1 st semester Theme: Connecting to Campus (XL) or (XC) or (XS)	_____	
Quest 2 (Q2) - 2 nd semester Theme: Planning your Future (XL) or (XC) or (XS)	_____	
Quest 3 (Q3) - 3 rd or 4 th semester Theme: Community Experience (XL) or (XC) or (XS)	_____	
These three signature questions below are woven throughout the University Studies Program.		
Civic Learning: How do people understand & engage in community life?	Intercultural Knowledge: How do people understand & bridge cultural differences?	Sustainability: How do people understand & create a more sustainable world?
Requirement	Course	Credits
Speaking Comm 111 or 112 (Honors)	_____	3 credits
Writing WRT 188 or 110 (Honors) *Developmental Writing may be needed (100/99)	_____	3 credits
Explore Math (XM) *Developmental Math may be needed (100/101/103/84)	_____	_____
Explore Lab Science (XL) 8 credits required	1) _____	_____
	2) _____	_____
Explore Culture (XC) 9 credits required from at least two different depts.	1) _____	_____
	2) _____	_____
	3) _____	_____
Explore Society (XS) 9 credits required from at least two different depts.	1) _____	_____
	2) _____	_____
	3) _____	_____
Ethnic Studies (ES) may overlap with (XC) or (XS)	_____	_____
Global Citizenship (GC) may overlap with (XC) or (XS)	_____	_____
Advanced Writing (XK) - Connect WRT 287 (Transfers), 288 , or 310 (Honors)	_____	3 credits

Pre-Nursing Major

Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree

THIS IS A GUIDE – Please use your Advisement Report in Titan Web as your official degree audit.

PREPARATION COURSES – <i>Top Priority</i> <i>*C or better required to progress*</i>	Cr	Grd
Math 100	2	
Math 101	2	
Math 103 – <i>eligible for Chem 101 after passing</i>	3	
WRT 100 – <i>eligible for WRT 188 after passing</i>	2	
WRT 99	1	
Academic Skills 100	2	

BEFORE APPLICATION – <i>High Priority</i> <i>*C or better required*</i>	Cr	Grd
WRT 188: First-Year College Writing, WRT 110 (Honors), or ENG 101	3	
Psych 101: Intro to Psychology (XS) or Psych 102Q1 (XS)(ES)	3	
Nurs 200: Growth & Development (XS) or Psych 391	3	
Bio 105: Biological Concepts (XL)	4	
Bio 211: Anatomy (XL) – <i>must pass Bio 105 first</i>	4	
Chem 101 or 105 (XL) – <i>math 104 level required</i>	4-5	
4th Science (XL) <i>Choose one from the SCIENCE LIST below</i>	4-5	
USP course (Quest, XC, XS, or XM)	3	
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***Projected Application:**

WHILE APPLYING – <i>Interview semester</i> <i>(or before) *C or better required*</i>	Cr	Grd
Communication 111 or 112 (Honors)	3	
Nursing 105: Intro to Professional Nursing	1	
Nursing 215 or 216 (Honors) (XC)(ES)	3	
5th Science (XL) <i>Choose one from the SCIENCE LIST below</i>	4-5	
6th Science (XL) <i>Choose one from the SCIENCE LIST below</i>	4-5	

SCIENCE LIST (XL)

- BIO 233:** Microbiology (*Pre-requisite Biology 105 with a C or better*)
- BIO 212:** Physiology (*Pre-requisite Biology 211 with a C or better*)
- CHEM 102 or 106** (*Pre-requisite Chemistry 101 or 105 with a C or better*)

AFTER APPLYING – <i>Low Priority</i> <i>(before final semester)</i>	Cr	Grd
Writing 288: Advanced Writing (XK) or WRT 310 (Honors) or WRT 287 (Transfer) <i>Must pass Quest III first</i>	3	
Math (XM) 104, 186, 187, 188, 189, or 2XX <i>*C or better required*</i>	3	

Pre-Nursing GPA

3.25+ Preferred, 3.00 Minimum

You must earn a C or better in all Pre-Nursing courses

Courses that factor into the Pre-Nursing GPA:

WRT 188, 110, 288, 287, 310 or ENG 101

Psych 101 or PSY 102Q1

Nursing 200 or PSY 391

4 out of 6 *required* science courses:

Bio 105, Bio 211, Bio 212, Bio 233, Chem 101/105, Chem 102/106

Best 6 credits of other University Studies courses: Quest, (XS), (XC), (XM), (XL) or Pre-Nursing elective(s)
(Excluding preparation courses)

Please visit the College of Nursing website to read about the repeat policy for Pre-Nursing coursework:

<https://uwosh.edu/con/undergraduate/traditional-bsn/application/>

University Studies Program (USP)	Cr	Grd
Culture (XC)	3	
	3	
Nursing 215/216	3	
Society (XS)	3	
	3	
Psychology 101/102	3	
Nursing 200	3	
Global Citizenship (GC)	3	
	3	
Ethnic Studies (ES)	3	
Nursing 215/216	3	
Elective Credits: <i>may be needed to reach 120-degree credits</i>	3	

Students must earn 120-degree credits to graduate.

- Wait lists, interim, and summer courses may be required to ensure timely graduation.