

Practical Nursing Point System

| Practical Nursing Co-Requisite Courses | |
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| BIO 168* - Anatomy & Physiology I | ENG 111 – Writing & Inquiry |
| BIO 169* - Anatomy & Physiology II | PSY 150 – General Psychology |

**Biology courses must have been taken within 10 years OR proficient score of 58.7 on science portion of TEAS*

Co-Requisite Courses Completed (by end of fall semester)

1 course = 1 point | 2 courses = 2 points | 3 courses = 3 points | 4 courses = 4 points

Co-Requisite Courses Taken at Gaston College

1 – 2 courses = 1 point | 3 – 4 courses = 2 points

Grade Point Averages (GPAs)

For accurate GPA calculation use an online GPA calculator.

Cumulative Co-Requisite Course GPA

Only the 4 co-requisite courses listed above

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| 2.5 | 1 point |
| 2.6 – 3.0 | 2 points |
| 3.1 – 3.5 | 3 points |
| 3.6 – 3.8 | 4 points |
| 3.9 – 4.0 | 5 points |

Cumulative Biology GPA

BIO 168 and 169

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| 2.0 – 2.49 | 1 point |
| 2.5 – 2.99 | 2 points |
| 3.0 – 3.49 | 3 points |
| 3.5 – 3.99 | 4 points |
| 4.0 | 5 points |

In order to qualify for cumulative biology GPA points, an applicant must have both biology courses completed by end of fall semester.

Minimum Cumulative GPA of 2.5 is required to be eligible to apply to the program.

| ATI TEAS Composite Score | | ATI Math Score | | ATI Reading Score | |
|--------------------------|------------|----------------|------------|-------------------|------------|
| 60 | = 0 points | 60 | = 0 points | 60 | = 0 points |
| 61-63 | = 1 point | 61-63 | = 1 point | 61-63 | = 1 point |
| 64-66 | = 2 points | 64-66 | = 2 points | 64-66 | = 2 points |
| 67-69 | = 3 points | 67-69 | = 3 points | 67-69 | = 3 points |
| 70 and above | = 4 points | 70 and above | = 4 points | 70 and above | = 4 points |

Additional Points

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| Completion of Nurse Aide I or II course | 1 point |
| Completion of a Phlebotomy program | 1 point |
| Completion of MED 121 – Medical Terminology I | 0.5 point |
| Completion of MED 122 – Medical Terminology II | 0.5 point |

Holds baccalaureate or higher degree 2 points

Currently working in Healthcare position (documentation required) 1 point

Maximum Possible Points 34

All points will be calculated based on classes completed by the end of fall semester.

No point credit awarded for related courses taken in the spring or summer semester of the year applying for.