Student must have SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED ALL REQUIREMENTS listed below PRIOR TO APPLYING to the Nursing - LPN program option.

1. **Application Form:** For admission to the college, apply online at [STLCC.edu](http://STLCC.edu).
   Admission to the College does not guarantee admission to the Nursing program.

2. **Degree Seeking Status**
   **a. Official College Transcripts** — An official transcript from each college attended must be sent directly from the college attended to STLCC-Registrar’s Office, 5600 Oakland Avenue, St. Louis, 63110 or email: csr@stlcc.edu. Hand carried or faxed transcripts will **NOT** be accepted. Transcripts may be sent electronically to: csr@stlcc.edu. For more information on transferring credit to STLCC, please see the following link: [https://stlcc.edu/admissions/transfer-planning/transferring-credit-to-stlcc.aspx](https://stlcc.edu/admissions/transfer-planning/transferring-credit-to-stlcc.aspx).
   **b. High School Transcript or GED** — required only for students with fewer than 15 hours of college level work or those who have satisfied the science requirements in high school. Current high school students must submit a final high school transcript before applying to the Nursing Program.

3. **Minimum Cumulative GPA:** Students must have and maintain a GPA of 2.5 in order to be placed and remain on the wait list. A 2.5 in high school or for 15 hours (minimum) of college work. Students with fewer than 15 hours of college credit must have both a 2.5 GPA in high school and 2.5 GPA in college.
   - **GED Applicants:** must have 15 hours of (100 level) college credits with a 2.5 GPA.
   - **STLCC students with at least 15 college level credits with a 2.5 GPA:** will have met this requirement, regardless of the GPA at other colleges.
   - **College transfer students with fewer than 15 STLCC credits:** must have a cumulative 2.5 GPA in college level credits earned at all colleges attended.
   **NOTE:** Developmental courses (numbered below 100) will **NOT** be counted toward the 15 hours of college work and will **NOT** be included in the GPA for admission to the program.

4. **READING:** Complete ONE of the following to meet the reading prerequisite
   - ACT reading subscore of 18 or higher OR SAT verbal score of 500 or higher (within the last 3 years)
   - Accuplacer (Classic) score of 77 or higher OR Accuplacer (Next Gen) score of 250 or higher OR Compass score of 82 or higher on the Reading Portion (within the last 3 years)
   - Completion of RDG 030 OR ENG 070 with a “C” or higher
   **NOTE:** Students who have met the college’s reading proficiency have also met the reading requirement for nursing.

5. **ENGLISH:** Complete the following to meet the English prerequisite
   - Completion of ENG 101 or higher with a grade of “C” or higher

6. **MATH:** Complete one of the following to meet the math prerequisite
   - Math ACT score of 22 or higher OR SAT math score of 580 or higher (within the last 3 years)
   - Place into MTH 160 or higher on the Accuplacer (Next Gen or Classic) OR Compass (within the last 3 years)
   - Math Index score of 800 or higher
   - Completion of MTH 140 or higher level math with a grade of “C” or higher. MTH 165 and MTH 166 will not meet the requirement of the Nursing program.

7. **CHEMISTRY:** Students are required to have completed two semesters of high school chemistry with lab, or one semester of college chemistry with lab (STLCC CHM 101 or higher) with a grade of “C” or higher within 5 years of applying to the nursing program.

8. **ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I:** Completion of BIO 207 with a grade of “C” or higher. *Completion of BIO 203, BIO 207, or BIO 208 with a grade of “C” or higher within five years of applying to the nursing program.

9. **ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY II:** Completion of BIO 208 with a grade of “C” or higher. *Completion of BIO 203, BIO 207, or BIO 208 with a grade of “C” or higher within five years of applying to the nursing program.

10. **GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY:** Completion of PSY 200 with a grade of “C” or higher.

*See page 2 for Nursing Requirements*
11 HUMAN GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT: Completion of PSY 205 with a grade of “C” or higher.

12 Communication Between Cultures COM 200 (3 crs) OR Introduction to Sociology SOC 101 (MOTR SOCI 101) with a grade of “C” or higher required. Nursing admission requirement.

13 Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) (By appointment ONLY – contact the Testing Center.)
• The TEAS test has a minimum composite score of 58.7%, taken within two years of being placed on the waiting list.
• Minimum of two months between attempts of taking the TEAS, and a maximum of three attempts in a 12-month period.
• Additional information about the TEAS test can be found at www.atitesting.com.

14 Critical Thinking Assessment (CTA) (By appointment ONLY – contact the Testing Center). Effective 01/01/2019

15 Self-Assessment Inventory (SAI) Additional information about the SAI can be found at www.atitesting.com. Effective 01/01/2019

16 Standardized Testing Interview: TEAS, CTA, SAI (Testing Fees are approximately $120.00 combined total.) After the standardized testing is completed, you will be required to make an appointment and meet with a nursing retention coach to discuss your results.

17 LPN License: Current undisciplined LPN License.

18 LPN Work Experience: One year of LPN work experience within 5 years of enrolling in NUR160. For LPNs who have graduated within the past 12 months, the one year of LPN work experience will be waived.

19 Letter of Reference from a recent OR current employer if the applicant is not an LPN who has graduated within the past 12 months (one year).

When the above criteria have been met, students must submit a Nursing Program application signed by an advisor, in person or electronically, to the Office of Enrollment Services at the campus of their choice.

Mailed or faxed applications will NOT be accepted. See an Advisor to obtain Nursing Program Application.

NOTE: Admission and degree requirements are subject to change without advance notice.

Selective Admissions to Nursing Program Prerequisites
(Rationale for Selective Admissions to Health Professions Programs)
Students who wish to declare a major in some health professions programs must meet minimum criteria in order to apply. Admission to the nursing programs is selective due to availability of practicum sites and limitations in the number of students who can be accommodated in clinical groups. All students interested in this program should consult a Nursing Advisor on the campus of their choice.

The Nursing Program requires clinical or field experience as part of the curriculum. A criminal background check, drug screen, and documentation of current immunizations are required (at the student’s expense) for participation in clinical or other field experiences. Specific criteria for admission are listed in this document. For further information visit our website at https://stlcc.edu/programs-academics/pathways/health-sciences/nursing/.

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