



ATB ASSOCIATE TO BACHELOR'S NURSING DEGREE OPTION

A COOPERATIVE VENTURE BETWEEN
Community College of Baltimore County and Stevenson University

General Information for this Blended Option*

(*begins with face to face SU course, progressing to blended, then to fully online)

I. General Program Information

This dual enrollment option is available to eligible students once they are accepted to the CCBC Nursing Program. Admission is competitive and based on completed courses and grade point average (GPA). Students will be enrolled as degree students at CCBC and SU and begin to take SU courses during the Nursing Program at CCBC. Once the Associate of Science (A. S.) Degree is awarded at CCBC, students must take and pass the nursing licensure exam, the NCLEX-RN, and then continue coursework at SU to complete the Bachelor of Science (B. S.) Degree.

Program length is 10 terms, including winter and summer sessions, and it takes approximately 3 years to complete.

CCBC courses will be held at the CCBC Essex or Catonsville campuses; SU courses will be taken on the SU campus. SU nursing courses are offered initially in a face to face format and then progress to blended to completely online.

Two degrees will be awarded: A.S. from CCBC and B.S. from Stevenson University (where a minimum of 30 credits will be required from SU to graduate with the B.S.).

Advisors will be available from both CCBC and SU.

Financial aid will be arranged through Stevenson University Office of Financial Aid.

II. Program Admission Requirements

- A. Admission to CCBC Nursing Program (selective process based on courses completed, GPA, and TEAS score)
- B. GPA of 3.0 or higher in CCBC required admission courses
- C. Additional required courses (completed by the start of the first nursing course) with a C or better:
 - Chemistry (CHEM 107/108) 4 credits (must include a lab)
 - Statistics (MATH 153) 3-4 credits
 - Nutrition (BIOL 256) 3 credits
 - Sociology (SOCL 101) 3 credits
 - College Comp II (ENGL 102) 3 credits

III. ATB Program Progression

Students must be successful in all required courses to continue in the ATB option.

Students are expected to complete the sequence of study as outlined in the Stevenson University ATB curriculum plan.

Students must successfully pass the NCLEX-RN to complete the remaining Stevenson University courses.

IV. General Application Procedures

Note: Students applying to the SU ATB Option must first be accepted to the CCBC A.S. Degree Nursing Program. Admission to the SU ATB Option is contingent upon admission to CCBC's Nursing Program.

All applications, fees and transcripts must be received by SU by the deadline of January 31 for a fall start OR August 31 for a spring start.

1. Apply online at <http://www.stevenson.edu/graduate-professional-studies/admissions-aid/how-apply/>
2. There is no application fee for students applying to the SU ATB option.
3. Have official, sealed transcripts for all colleges/universities that you attended sent to:
ATTN: Nicholas Ramsel
Stevenson University
100 Campus Circle
Owings Mills, MD 21117
4. The CCBC SU Collaborative ATB Committee will review applications for admission.
5. Student will be notified by both email and mail with admission decision.

V. Tuition and Fees Important Note:

CCBC Nursing Students who are in the ATB Option are offered a 20% discount on SU's tuition. Discount does not apply to fees. Tuition and fees can change from one academic year to the next. For most up to date tuition/fee information go to: <http://www.stevenson.edu/graduate-professional-studies/admissions-aid/tuition-fees/>

VI. Non-Nursing Course Requirements

Requirements for the CCBC Associate Degree RN Program	Additional Requirements for Admission to the SU Associate to Bachelor's Option	Additional Non-Nursing Stevenson U Requirements to Award the Bachelor of Science in Nursing
ENGL 101 College Composition I 3 cr BIOL 110 Biology* 4 cr BIOL 220 A&P I 4 cr BIOL 221 A&P II 4 cr BIOL 230 Microbiology 4 cr MATH 125 Finite Math* * 3 cr PSYC 101 Intro to Psychology 3 cr PSYC 103 Hum Growth & Dev 3 cr CMNS 101 Fund of Communication 3 cr ELECTIVE Humanities/Arts 3 cr	CHEM 107/108 4 cr Fundamentals of Chemistry with Lab MATH 153 Statistics** 3-4 cr BIOL 256 Nutrition 3 cr SOCL 101 Intro to Sociology 3 cr ENGL 102 College Composition II 3 cr	Writing at 200+ Level 3 cr Fine Arts 3 cr Ethics (Term 2) 3 cr PLUS: Three humanities courses from <u>three different disciplines</u> from among: Philosophy, History, Literature, or Religion. 9 cr Note: two of the three humanities courses may be taken at CCBC; they can be completed <u>before beginning or during</u> the nursing program of study; the final humanities course must be completed at Stevenson as an upper level course.
*BIOL 110 is a pre-requisite for BIOL 220 and 230; for students transferring BIOL 220 and/or 230, a waiver may be possible	Note: Courses in this column can all be taken at CCBC.	
**the MATH requirement is changing to MATH 125 for new students; students may elect to take MATH 153 Statistics (which is needed for ATB and RN-BSN programs) in place of MATH 125		
Totals: 34 credits	16-17 credits	18 credits

VII. For more information:

For CCBC related questions/course advising, contact Karen Wons, ATB Coordinator at atbnursing@ccbcmd.edu or 443-840-2820. For SU related questions/course advising, contact Nicholas Ramsel, ATB Coordinator at nramsel@stevenson.edu or 443-352-4277.

CCBC - Stevenson University ATB Nursing Curriculum**

Spring Start Plan

(Note: Student may wish to take additional CCBC Core courses before beginning nursing sequence.)

Term 1 Spring 2016	Term 2 Summer 2016	Term 3 Fall 2016	Term 4 Winter 2017	Term 5 Spring 2017
<p><u>CCBC NURN 153</u> Fundamentals of Nursing Concepts 6 credits/ 14 weeks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 129</u> Professional Nursing Role 1 credit/14 weeks</p> <p><u>SU NATB 330</u> Physical Assessment 3 credits/16 wks</p>	<p><u>CCBC English Writing 200+ Level Elective*</u> 3credits</p> <p>AND</p> <p><u>SU NATB 313</u> Professional Seminar I 4 credits/8 wks</p>	<p><u>CCBC NURN 160</u> Nursing Concepts I 6 credits/8 weeks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 218</u> Maternal Newborn Concepts 3 credits/6weeks</p> <p><u>SU NATB 315</u> Information Technology in Nursing and Health Care 3 credits/8 wks</p>	<p><u>CCBC PHIL 240</u> Ethics 3 credits</p>	<p><u>CCBC NURN 217</u> Mental Health Concepts 3 credits/ 6 weeks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 234</u> Nursing Concepts II 5 credits/7 weeks</p> <p><u>CCBC Humanities Elective*</u> 3credits</p> <p><u>SU NATB 414</u> Nursing Leadership for RNs 3 credits/8 wks</p>
10 credits	6 credits	12 credits	3 credits	14 credits
Term 6 Summer 2017	Term 7 Fall 2017	Term 8 Winter 2018	Term 9 Spring 2018	Term 10 Summer 2018
<p><u>CCBC Fine Arts Elective*</u> 3 credits</p> <p>AND</p> <p><u>SU NATB 415</u> Professional Seminar II 3 Credits/8 wks</p>	<p><u>CCBC NURN 222</u> Pediatric Nursing Concepts 3 credits/6 weeks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 236</u> Nursing Concepts III 6 credits/8 weeks</p> <p><u>SU NATB 418</u> Nursing Research for RNs 3 credits/8 wks</p> <p>A.S. Degree Awarded</p>	<p><u>NCLEX – RN</u></p>	<p><u>SU NATB 424</u> Health in the Community 5 credits/16 wks</p> <p>AND</p> <p><u>CCBC Humanities Elective*</u> 3credits</p>	<p><u>SU NATB 434</u> Professional Seminar III 3 credits/8 wks</p> <p><u>SU Humanities*</u> 3 credits/8wks</p> <p>B.S. degree awarded upon completion of 30credit SU requirement</p>
6 credits	12 credits		8 credits	6 credits

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*See attached SU Transfer Guide for accepted courses. May be completed in a different term with permission of advisors.

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Fall Start Plan

(Note: Student may wish to take additional CCBC Core courses before beginning nursing sequence.)

Term 1 Fall 2016	Term 2 Winter 2017	Term 3 Spring 2017	Term 4 Summer 2017	Term 5 Fall 2017
<p><u>CCBC NURN 153</u> Fundamentals of Nursing Concepts 6 credits/ 14 wks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 129</u> Professional Nursing Role 1 credit/14 wks</p> <p>SU NATB 330 Physical Assessment 3 credits/16 wks</p>	<p><u>CCBC PHIL 240</u> Ethics 3 credits/4wks</p>	<p><u>CCBC NURN 160</u> Nursing Concepts I 6 credits/8 wks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 218</u> Maternal Newborn Concepts 3 credits/6weeks</p> <p>SU NATB 313 Professional Seminar I 4 credits/8 wks</p>	<p><u>CCBC English Writing 200+ Level Elective*</u> 3credits</p> <p><u>AND</u></p> <p>SU NATB 315 Information Technology in Nursing and Health Care 3 credits/ 8 wks</p>	<p><u>CCBC NURN 217</u> Mental Health Concepts 3 credits/ 6 weeks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 234</u> Nursing Concepts II 5 credits/7 weeks</p> <p><u>CCBC Humanities Elective*</u> 3credits</p> <p>SU NATB 414 Nursing Leadership for RNs 3 credits/8 wks</p>
10 credits	3 credits	13 credits	6 credits	14 credits
Term 6 Winter 2018	Term 7 Spring 2018	Term 8 Summer 2018	Term 9 Fall 2018	Term 10 Spring 2019
<p><u>CCBC Fine Arts Elective*</u> 3 credits</p>	<p><u>CCBC NURN 222</u> Pediatric Nursing Concepts 3 credits/6 weeks</p> <p><u>CCBC NURN 236</u> Nursing Concepts III 6 credits/8 weeks</p> <p>SU NATB 415 Professional Seminar II 3 Credits/8 wks</p> <p>A.S. Degree Awarded</p>	<p><u>NCLEX – RN Licensure Exam</u></p> <p>SU NATB 418 Nursing Research for RNs 3 credits /8 wks</p>	<p>SU NATB 424 Health in the Community 5 credits/16 wks</p> <p><u>AND</u></p> <p><u>CCBC Humanities Elective*</u> 3credits</p>	<p>SU NATB 434 Professional Seminar III 3 credits/8wks</p> <p>SU Humanities* 3 credits/8wks</p> <p>B.S. degree awarded upon completion of 30 credit SU requirement</p>
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