

Updated 9-4-18. Shasta College has identified the following programs for 1) quality 2) affordability 3) time to degree, 4) accessibility of coursework (primarily online), and, most importantly, 5) CCNE or ACEN accreditation (The Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education; The Accreditation Commission for Education in Nursing). *This is not a complete list of RN to BSN programs.* Refer to the following website for more information about Nursing program accreditation: <http://www.allnursingschools.com/nursing-careers/article/nursing-school-accreditation/>

"RN to BSN" programs are for students who have already completed their Associates Degree Nursing (ADN) and most require that you have passed your NCLEX (National Council Licensure Examination) prior to starting the BSN coursework. There are a few programs that allow you to start taking coursework concurrently (at the same time) as your ADN program (typically during semester breaks). Those programs are marked with an "\*". Some require that you are currently employed, at least part-time, in a licensed RN position.

The information in this guide is subject to change. The universities may require additional coursework to graduate beyond those listed or articulated. Each university has specific admission criteria, so it is essential to review a current catalog or nursing department website for each campus you are considering AND consult directly with advising staff at the university program.

The document shows you the specific BSN program pre-requisites; to earn your Bachelors degree, you are also required to take General Education coursework (the required courses for Shasta College's ADN program fulfill many of your university GE requirements). There is additional information about each program (length of program, when you can start, space availability and more) on our website at: <http://www.shastacollege.edu/BOLD> (click on "BOLD Majors" then "Nursing")

Program requirements; Shasta College classes	Anatomy with lab	Physio with lab	Microbiology with lab	Chemistry with lab	Written Communication	Oral Communication	Critical Thinking	Anthro/Sociology	Psychology	Math	Other	Average total tuition	Average length of program
<b>Brandman University</b>	ANAT 1	PHY 1	MICR 1	CHEM 2A	ENGL 1A	CMST 54 or 60	ENGL 1C	SOC 1 OR 2 OR ANTH 2	PSYC 1A	MATH 14	ECE 1; ASL/foreign language preferred, not req'd	\$18,000	12 months
<b>*CSU Chico</b> (can take upper division GE/BSN coursework during summer concurrently with RN/ADN program)	ANAT 1	PHY 1	MICR 1	CHEM 2A or 1A or 26	ENGL 1A	CMST 54 or 60	ENGL 1C or 1B, or CMST 40 or 40H	SOC 1 OR ANTH 2	PSYC 1A	MATH 14	FSS 25 or ECE 1 or ECE 9; AND HIST 17A or 17B; AND POLS 2	\$12,450	15 months
<b>*CSU Dominguez Hills</b> (can take some BSN coursework concurrently with RN/ADN program)	ANAT 1	PHY 1	MICR 1	CHEM 2A or 26	ENGL 1A	CMST 54 or 60	ENGL 1B, 1C or PHIL 8	n/a	n/a	MATH 14	n/a	\$13,874	15 months
<b>Columbia College</b>	ANAT 1	PHY 1	MICR 1	CHEM 2A	ENGL 1A	CMST 54 OR 60	ENGL 1B, 1C or PHIL 8	SOC 1 OR ANTH 2	PSYC 1A	MATH 14	Ethics (PHIL 7 ok for 2018-19)	\$15,750	14 months
<b>National University</b>	National University requires completion of the ADN degree, and passage of the NCLEX. The general education classes required for Shasta College's ADN degree, which include writing, math, and computer literacy, will satisfy the general education expected for NU's RN to BSN program.										\$17,760	11 months	
<b>*Ohio University</b> (can take some BSN coursework concurrently with RN/ADN program through Early Start)	Ohio University is currently reviewing Shasta College courses to determine appropriate pre-requisites. Until that information is posted, please contact the online RN to BSN program advisor, Renee Morris at <a href="mailto:rmorris1@ohio.edu">rmorris1@ohio.edu</a> for more information.										\$7,533	12 to 24 months	
<b>Simpson University (ASPIRE program)</b>	ANAT 1	PHY 1	MICR 1	CHEM 2A	ENGL 1A	CMST 60	ENGL 1C	ANTH 2	PSYC 1A	MATH 14	FSS 25; ECE 1; HIS 2 OR HIS 3	\$18,684	12 months
<b>UT Arlington</b>	ANAT 1	PHY 1	MICR 1	not required (Micro has a Chem pre-req; talk to counselor)	ENGL 1A	CMST 54 or 60 (substitute for UTA Technical Writing)	ENGL 1C	SOC 1 or ANTH 2 (for UTA Intro to Soc class)	PSYC 1A	MATH 13 & 14	See below**	\$8,995 (just for nursing courses; GE classes add to cost)	9 months
<b>Western Governors University</b>	ANAT 1	PHY 1	MICR 1	Biochem through WGU	ENGL 1A	CMST 60	n/a	SOC 1 OR ANTH 2	PSYC 1A	MATH 14	POLS 2; ECE 1; Art/Hum GE	\$7,020 to \$10,530	12-18 months

\*\* UT Arlington "General Courses": Fine Art class (any fine/performing arts class); Literature (any literature) Technical Writing (can substitute CMST 54 or 60); TWO US History classes (HIST 17A and 17B); POLS 2; ECE 1; Intro to Soc (can substitute SOC 1 or ANTH 2); Texas State Govt (must take through UTA)