

As a limited enrollment program, the Nursing program has a selective, competitive admission process and includes additional requirements over and above admission to Wake Tech Community College. Please make sure you have met all requirements below before submitting your Nursing clinical application.

- Complete Wake Tech application process at apply.waketech.edu
- Complete a mandatory Nursing information session.** Go to hsinfosession.waketech.edu for more information. *Students must complete information session and test of understanding before meeting with a health science advisor. Email hsadvising@waketech.edu when completed.*
- AP/CLEP scores:** Submit *official* AP or CLEP scores for credit, if applicable.
- Submit required educational transcripts.** Once received, your file will be reviewed for admissions and course placement. If you have college transcripts, verify transcripts are evaluated. Log in to WebAdvisor. Go to Current Curriculum Students → Plan and Register → My Progress. If your course is not there, please email tranevalreq@waketech.edu *It is the student's responsibility to follow up with Student Records for transfer credit.*
- Meet math proficiency with one of the following:** (*Must be within 10 years of Nursing clinical application date*)
 - Meet the NCCCS high school GPA waiver
 - Meet appropriate scores on placement test (ACT/SAT/TEAS/CPT/GED/HiSET)
 - Complete a college level math class with a "C" or better
 - Provide proof of completion of an associate's degree or higher
- Meet English/Reading proficiency with one of the following:**
 - Meet the NCCCS high school GPA waiver
 - Meet appropriate scores on placement test (ACT/SAT/TEAS/CPT/GED/HiSET)
 - Complete ENG 111 or equivalent with a "C" or better
 - Provide proof of completion of an associate's degree or higher
- Meet Science requirement with one of the following:**
 - Meet prerequisite to take BIO 168 (CHM 090, BIO 110, BIO 111, high school chemistry, CheMOOC)
 - Complete BIO 168 with a "C" or better within 5 years of first NUR class
- Take the TEAS test** and have a composite score of 59% or higher by application deadline.
 - Register to take the TEAS test at atitesting.com
 - Scores are good for three years. You can view retest policies at teas.waketech.edu.
 - Submit official scores through atitesting.com if TEAS taken at another location
- Meet NC Nurse Aide requirement.** *Not required if current, unencumbered LPN from any state. Verify with Health Sciences Admissions/Academic Advisor for most current requirements.*
- Complete English Language proficiency requirement.** Form attached to the Nursing clinical application.
 - If TOEFL is required, take the exam and submit official scores by application deadline.
- GPA requirement:** Wake Tech pre-Nursing program GPA must be a 2.0 or higher to submit application.
- Submit Nursing clinical application. All of the above requirements MUST BE COMPLETED by the application deadline:**
 - Application deadline January 31 for Fall NUR entry
 - Application deadline July 31 for Spring NUR entry
 - Application deadline January 31 for Summer NUR entry for LPN-to-RN transition students

Competitive Admissions Process

To select applicants for programs with limited clinical spaces, Wake Tech uses a competitive admission procedure with a point system – NOT a waiting list. Those applicants with the highest number of points will be selected. Applicants will be assigned points for non-clinical (non-NUR) courses that are part of the Associate Degree Nursing curriculum that have been completed by the application deadline.

- January 31 application deadline: points will be accrued for classes completed through the prior fall semester.
- July 31 application deadline: points will be accrued through the summer semester.

How to Calculate Your Points

ENG 111	ENG 112	HUM elect.	SOC 210	PSY 150	PSY 241	BIO 168	BIO 169	BIO 175
A – 12	A – 12	A – 12	A – 12	A - 12	A – 12	A – 32	A – 32	A – 24
B – 9	B – 9	B – 9	B – 9	B – 9	B – 9	B - 24	B – 24	B – 18
C - 6	C - 6	C - 6	C - 6	C - 6	C – 6	C - 16	C - 16	C - 12

Additional points will be awarded based on the TEAS composite scores as follows:

- 71-80 = 6pts;
- 81-90 = 12pts;
- 91+ = 20 pts

To receive points for BIO 168 (Anatomy & Physiology I), BIO 169 (Anatomy & Physiology II) and BIO 175 (Microbiology), the class must be completed within 5 years of the first NUR class. If you have completed BOTH BIO 168 and BIO 169, the 5 year requirement is based upon the completion date of BIO 169.

If students receive credit based on AP, CLEP, or DANTES exam scores, points will be award equivalent to a “B” – 9 points. AP, CLEP, or DANTES exams will not be accepted for BIO classes.

If grade of “B” or a “C” is earned in a class, the class can be retaken, but points are awarded based on the most recent grade, even if the grade is lower. If a grade of “D, F, or WF” is earned in a class, 0 (zero) points will be awarded, and the class must be repeated to earn a minimum “C” grade.

Please note that for Health Science programs, grades of “C” or better are required in all program-related curriculum classes.

Effective July 31, 2023, to receive points for BIO 168 and BIO 169, the labs must be seated. Online BIO 168 and BIO 169 classes will not earn points. Points will be awarded for a hybrid class as long as the lab section is seated.

HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS ELECTIVE: Students only need ONE humanities/fine arts elective. Choices can include any of the following but speak with an advisor for other choices:

- ART 111
 ART 114
 ART 115
 HUM 115
 MUS 110
 MUS 112
 PHI 215
 PHI 240

Wake Technical Community College is constantly evaluating the admissions procedures and reserves the right to make changes as the need arises.