

## Entry Options for MSN Program

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### Vanderbilt Nursing Education Program

Previous Education	BSN Level Nursing Courses			MSN Courses			MSN
	Generalist Level			Specialty Level			
	Fall	Spring	Summer	Fall	Spring	Summer	
College graduate in another field or college student with 78 credits	█	█	█ †	█	█	█	Complete after 6 semesters
RN with an associate degree or hospital diploma and 78 transfer credits	█	█		█	█	█	Complete after 5 semesters
BSN degree				█	█	█	Complete after 3 semesters

### Conventional Nursing Education Program

Mostly Liberal Arts Courses		Mostly BSN Nursing Courses				MSN Courses							
Freshman		Sophomore		Junior		Senior		BSN	First Year		Second Year		MSN
Fall	Spring	Fall	Spring	Fall	Spring	Fall	Spring		Fall	Spring	Fall	Spring	
█	█	█	█	█	█	█	█		█	█	█	█*	

† NCLEX exam for licensure as RN

\* Some schools require this semester