

The mission of the BSN Program at Bowling Green State University is to prepare registered nurses to provide safe and quality care to diverse patient populations across the lifespan using evidence-based practice.

The RN to BSN program at Bowling Green State University is 100% online and assists the working Registered Nurse to complete the BSN degree in a flexible and convenient manner. The program can be completed in as little as three semesters or it can be completed at a slower pace. Registered nurses will build upon previous knowledge and skills to enhance their clinical judgment and leadership skills when caring for diverse patient populations across a variety of healthcare settings.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

- Graduation from an accredited school of nursing with either an Associate Degree in Nursing and an active, valid, unencumbered Registered Nurse license in the United States.
- If the applicant does not hold a current RN license, he or she must successfully pass the NCLEX examination prior to enrolling in Transition to Practice (NURS 3028).
- Official transcripts from all previously attended colleges sent to BGSU Admissions, 100 University Hall, Bowling Green, OH 43403
- A cumulative GPA of at least a 2.0 in all previous college work.

TUITION & FEES:

BGSU has competitive tuition for eCampus students in the RN-BSN program. Please refer to <https://www.bgsu.edu/bursar.html> for current tuition and fees. Not all fees in the tuition brochure apply.

REGISTRATION PROCEDURE:

To apply, go to www.bgsu.edu/rntobsn. After your application has been reviewed there is a two-step approval process. You must be accepted by the university and then by the nursing program. BGSU's eCampus office will help guide you through this process along with the RN-BSN program coordinator.

After you have been accepted to the RN-BSN program, you will be provided a completion plan outlining exactly what you need to graduate along with registration instructions.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR:

Courses are 7 weeks and we offer 6 admission start times per year.

DELIVERY MODE:

The program is offered 100 percent online. There is never a need to visit campus. Many students come to campus for the first time to attend graduation.

TEXTBOOK PURCHASE:

Information is available upon admission to BGSU.

PARALLEL LAKELAND PROGRAMS:

Associate of Applied Science in Nursing

TOTAL HOURS NEEDED:

The RN to BSN program comprises 30 credit hours. Students will be awarded transfer credit for previous college courses that match the BG Perspective Courses and Support Course Requirements. LPN to RN students receive 16 elective credits for passing the NCLEX-PN examination. A total of 122 credit hours are required to graduate from Bowling Green State University with a BSN.

FINANCIAL AID INFO:

Financial Aid is available to eligible students. BGSU eCampus has an assigned financial advisor to assist students with their questions.

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