

**NORTHWEST FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE  
ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE – NURSING  
APPLICATION CHECKLIST**

**TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR ADMISSION TO THE ASN PROGRAM, YOU MUST:**

- Apply to NWF State College if you are a new student or reapply if you have not taken classes within the last year. Select ASW Associates of Arts – General as your Academic Plan. (**NOTE: Do NOT select BSN!**) If you already have an AA or Bachelor’s degree, you can select Non-DegreeSeeking.
- Watch the online NWF Student College Nursing Program Information Session, located on the Selective Program Admissions Page. (**NOTE: You will not be eligible to apply if you do not complete the information session.**)
- Submit Nursing Program Application and Information Session Post-Test by the deadline. To do this. Please go to the link provided on the application instructions page. You will submit your proof of military or certification (optional), and answer the questions on the form provided by the link. All application materials will be submitted through this link. (**NOTE: Applications will be accepted February 1 – March 1 for the Fall Semester and June 1 – July 1 for the Spring Semester. Do NOT submit application materials before the application cycle opens.**)
- If you are applying for the LPN to RN transition track, you must have an active, unencumbered Florida PN license to be eligible. Applicants who are currently enrolled in a Practical Nursing Program may apply, and if accepted, be granted provisional admission provided they obtain their licensure no later than the first day of nursing classes.
- Have a cumulative college Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher on a 4.00 scale. \*the GPA is cumulative and includes ALL lower division (100/1000 and 200/2000) level college credit courses from NWFSC and any previously attended institution(s). For students who have not earned graded non-developmental college hours at a regionally accredited institution, the high school GPA at the time of graduation or GED scores will be considered.
- Score 70% or higher on the Nursing Entrance Examination by the application deadline. (**NOTE: You may take the Nursing Entrance Examination up to two times between March 2<sup>nd</sup> and July 1<sup>st</sup> for the Spring Application cycle or between July 2<sup>nd</sup> and March 1<sup>st</sup> for the Fall application cycle.**) Scores from exams taken prior to the application period will NOT be considered.
- Obtain PERT scores (or SAT/ACT scores) and complete all required college prep courses (if needed) by the application deadline. IF YOU HAVE NOT COMPLETED COLLEGE MATH AND ENGLISH COURSES, PERT SCORES ARE REQUIRED. (Unless you are exempt based on graduation from a Florida high school in 2007 or later). **Check with a Student Success Navigator if you are unsure (<https://www.nwfsc.edu/advising/>).**
- Submit official high school transcript or GED diploma or score report to NWFSC admissions office by the application deadline. If you are currently taking classes at NWFSC, your transcripts will already be on file. If you are currently in high school, you must be 18 years or older and have your diploma before the first day of nursing classes.
- Submit official transcripts from all other postsecondary institutions attended including CLEP, AP, IB transcripts to NWFSC admissions office by the application deadline. If you are currently taking classes at NWFSC, your transcripts will already be on file. Submit LPN program transcripts for later use.

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**See a Student Success Navigator for advising or  
guidance on the application process.  
Call 850-678-5111  
We strongly recommend that you do NOT self-advise!**