

Vocational Nurse (VN) Program Prerequisites/Requirements

All students are advised to meet with an Academic Counselor regarding Certificate and/or Degree requirements

Program Prerequisites	Course #	Units	Complete PRIOR to Program Prerequisites
Human Anatomy/ Physiology (or) Anatomy Physiology	*Bio 190 (or) Bio 260 & Bio 261	4 w/ lab (or) 4 w/lab 4 w/lab	<u>For Bio 190</u> : None <u>For Bio 260</u> : Bio 100 & 101 or equivalent <u>For Bio 261</u> : Chem. 100, 102 or 170 or equivalent; Bio 260 or equivalent *Bio 190 will no longer be accepted for VN Program. Bio 260 & 261 will be required when applying for Fall 2021 and future cohorts.
Principles of Child Dev.	CD 170	3	None
Fundamentals of Nutrition	Hlth 204	3	None
Intermediate Algebra	**Math 60	4	**Math 60 will be required effective Fall 2019 SWC Catalog and must be completed to apply for Spring 2020 Cohort
College Composition	Engl 115	4	<u>Recommended</u> (before taking ENGL115): RDG158 <u>Prerequisite</u> (before taking ENGL 115): English 99 or 114; or equivalent
Certified Nursing Assistant	CNA Certification	8.5	None. Current Active California CNA Certification (CNA cannot be expired when applying for the VN Program)

G.P.A. for prerequisites and TEAS test score will be considered for program admission

♦ **TEAS Version 6: Passing score is 58** TEAS test can be taken a second time **ONLY** if you fail the first attempt. Remediation **MUST BE COMPLETED** within one year after the first TEAS test date and prior to retesting. To be successful, allow ample time to study.

Check [nursing website](http://www.swccd.edu/nursing) (www.swccd.edu/nursing) for TEAS test information and TEAS Remediation Plan

♦ 30 students accepted every 18 months

♦ 39.5 units

♦ Estimate total cost: \$6284

Application period for Fall 2021: April 27, 2021 through June 3, 2021