

# Thomas Jefferson University Traditional Prelicensure BSN Program Prerequisite Guide



You need not complete all prerequisites before you apply, but the majority of credits (including 3 of the 5 science courses) should be completed before an admission decision can be made. All prerequisites must be completed before entering the program. Applicants should have at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA and at least a 3.0 cumulative science GPA to be considered. Meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission.

Course Requirements	Credits	Completed	CIP	School/Institution Attended	Complete Date
Chemistry I	4				
Chemistry II /Biochemistry <sup>1</sup>	4				
Anatomy & Physiology I <sup>2</sup>	4				
Anatomy and Physiology II <sup>2</sup>	4				
Microbiology <sup>3</sup>	4				
Math <sup>4</sup>	3				
Statistics	3				
Nutrition	3				
English Composition <sup>5</sup>	3				
English Elective <sup>6</sup>	3				
General Psychology	3				
Introduction to Sociology	3				
Developmental/ ChildPsych	3				
Abnormal Psychology	3				
Ethics	3				
Logic, Philosophy, Ethics, Critical Thinking <sup>7</sup>	3				
Electives <sup>8</sup>	3				
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<b>Total</b>	<b>59</b>				

<sup>1</sup>4 credits of General Chemistry II or Biochemistry accepted.

<sup>2</sup>8 credits of A&P I and II **or** 4 credits of Human Anatomy and 4 credits of Human Physiology. Labs must be included.

<sup>3</sup>4 credits of Microbiology Lecture and Lab required.

<sup>4</sup>College Algebra or Higher accepted.

<sup>5</sup>Waived if exempt in lower division program. Replaced with equal number of English Elective credit.

<sup>6</sup>Composition II, Literature, or Speech Communications accepted.

<sup>7</sup>Includes Logic, Ethics, Critical Thinking, or Philosophy. Does **NOT** include Religion.

<sup>8</sup>May include Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences, and Sciences.

**Course Clarification:** All science and math courses must be completed within 10 years of enrollment to Jefferson. Courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or above to be eligible for transfer. A grade of "C-" or below will not be eligible for transfer.

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### Transfer Equivalency Guides:

If you are taking prerequisites at any of our partner institutions, please reference the transfer equivalency guides to ensure you are taking acceptable courses: <http://www.jefferson.edu/transfereguides>

**Technical Standards:** In addition to meeting all academic requirements, students must meet all performance requirements for the program. Please visit [www.jefferson.edu/admissions-schools/admissions/apply/technical\\_standards.html](http://www.jefferson.edu/admissions-schools/admissions/apply/technical_standards.html) for details.