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This program plan outlines how students can transfer from the **Borough of Manhattan Community College A.A.S. nursing** program to the **Excelsior College B.S. in nursing** program. Upon completion of the **A.A.S.**, the following credits will apply for students enrolling in the **B.S. in nursing** program.

<b>Borough of Manhattan Community College Credits</b>	<b>Semester Hours</b>	<b>Excelsior College Requirements</b>	<b>Semester Hours</b>
BIO 425: Anatomy & Physiology I *	4	Anatomy & Physiology I Core/Natural Science Elective	4
ENG 101: English Composition I	3	Written English I	3
PSY 100: General Psychology	3	Psychology Core	3
BIO 420: Microbiology *	4	Microbiology Core/Natural Science Elective	4
BIO 426: Anatomy & Physiology II *	4	Anatomy & Physiology II Core/Natural Science Elective	4
PSY 240: Developmental Psychology OR SOC 100: Introduction to Sociology	3	Social Science/History OR Sociology Core	3
SPE 100: Fundamentals of Speech	3	Humanities Core	3
ENG 201: English Composition II	3	Humanities	3
Arts & Science Elective	2	Arts & Science	2
MAT 104: Mathematics for Health Sciences	N/A		0
<b>Total Credits Accepted From Associate's</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>Total Credits Accepted From Associate's</b>	<b>29</b>

\* Excess credits left after core requirements are fulfilled will be applied to the fulfillment of Science Supportive of Nursing and if any credits are remaining they will be applied to Arts & Sciences.

<b>Evaluation Summary For Above Credits</b>	<b>Semester Hours</b>
Credits Accepted from Associate's Degree	29
30 semester hours of lower level nursing credit granted for prior learning validated by nursing education and successful completion of the NCLEX-RN	30
<b>Total Credits Applied Towards Bachelor's Degree</b>	<b>59</b>

The following is a listing of requirements that a student interested in the Excelsior College B.S. in nursing must complete at Excelsior College to complete the B.S. degree.

<b>Excelsior College Requirements</b>	<b>Semester Hours</b>
INL 102: Information Literacy *	1
Advanced Expository Writing Core *	3
Upper Level Ethics Core *	3
Statistics Core (MAT 150 or MAT 209 at BMCC)	4
Sociology Core OR Additional Social Science/History Elective (SOC 100: Introduction to Sociology OR PSY 240: Developmental Psychology would apply)	3
Humanities Electives	6
Social Science/History Electives	6
Natural Science Electives	0
Arts & Science Electives	6
<b>Total Excelsior Credits Needed to Complete General Education Component</b>	<b>32</b>

<b>Baccalaureate Nursing Component</b>	
<b>PHASE I:</b>	
NUR 336: The Profession of Nursing: Becoming Influential	3
NUR 338: Introduction to Informatics for Nurses	2
NUR 342: Holistic Health Care Across the Life Span	4
Nursing Elective (Upper Level)	3
<b>PHASE II:</b>	
NUR 430: Research in Nursing	3
NUR 446: Teaching and Learning in a Diverse Society	3
NUR 456: Leadership and Management in Nursing	4
NUR 448: Community Health Nursing	4
<b>PHASE III:</b>	
NUR 462: Nursing Capstone	4
<b>Total Excelsior Credits Needed to Complete nursing Component</b>	<b>30</b>

\*Information Literacy, Advanced Expository Writing and Upper Level Ethics are **pre-requisites** for the nursing component.

<b>Evaluation Summary For Above Credits</b>	<b>Semester Hours</b>
General Education Credits Accepted from Associate's Degree	29
30 semester hours of lower level nursing credit granted for prior learning validated by nursing education and successful completion of the NCLEX-RN	30
Credits Needed to Complete General Education Component	32
Credits Needed to Complete Upper Level nursing Component	30
<b>Total Credits Required for Bachelor's Degree</b>	<b>121</b>

## Alternative B.S. in nursing Degree Completion Option

Students do have the option of completing additional credits required by their degrees through various credit sources. The following courses could be taken at Borough of Manhattan CC or the student may choose to take Excelsior College on-line courses. Financial aid is available through this option based upon a signed consortium agreement between the Borough of Manhattan CC and Excelsior College financial aid departments.

<b>Credits Beyond The Associate's That Can Be Transferred OR Taken At Excelsior</b>		
<b>Borough of Manhattan Community College Credits</b>	<b>Semester Hours</b>	<b>Excelsior College Requirements</b>
MAT 150: Introduction to Statistics OR MAT 209: Statistics	4	Statistics Core
Humanities Electives	6	Humanities
Sociology Core OR Additional Social Science/History Elective (SOC 100: Introduction to Sociology OR PSY 240: Developmental Psychology)	3	Sociology Core OR Social Science Elective
Social Sciences/History Electives	6	Social Sciences/History
Natural Science Electives	0	
Arts & Sciences Electives	6	Arts & Sciences
<b>Total Additional Credits</b>	<b>25</b>	

Credits To Be Taken At Excelsior College *	
Excelsior College Requirements	Semester Hours
INL 102: Information Literacy *	1
Advanced Expository Writing Core *	3
Upper Level Ethics Core *	3
<b>PHASE I:</b>	
NUR 336: The Profession of Nursing: Becoming Influential	3
NUR 338: Introduction to Informatics for Nurses	2
NUR 342: Holistic Health Care Across the Life Span	4
Nursing Elective (Upper Level)	3
<b>PHASE II:</b>	
NUR 430: Research in Nursing	3
NUR 446: Teaching and Learning in a Diverse Society	3
NUR 456: Leadership and Management in Nursing	4
NUR 448: Community Health Nursing	4
<b>PHASE III:</b>	
NUR 462: Nursing Capstone	4
<i>NOTE: The capstone course MUST be taken at Excelsior College and is the final stand alone course.</i>	
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>37</b>

\* Information Literacy, Advanced Expository Writing and Upper Level Ethics are pre-requisites for the nursing component.

\*\* The above credits (with the exception of the **Capstone** course) may also be transferred in or taken at another 4-year regionally accredited institution.

Evaluation Summary	Semester Hours
Total General Education Credits Accepted from Associate's Degree	29
30 semester hours of lower level nursing credit granted for prior learning validated by nursing education and successful completion of the NCLEX-RN	30
Total Additional General Education Credits Beyond the Associate's	25
Total Credits from Excelsior College (General Education: 7 credits; Nursing: 30 credits) *	37
<b>Total Credits Required for Bachelor's Degree</b>	<b>121</b>

\* Students are required to take a minimum of **12.00 credits** from Excelsior to qualify for partner pricing.

**NOTE: Excelsior College reviews every student individually and this guide is just a sample scenario. Actual requirements will be dependent on the courses a student transfers to Excelsior.**

## What are Arts and Sciences?

We offer the following definitions to help you make these determinations. Remember, however, that before you pay to take a course or examination you should always consult with your advisor to make sure that it will help meet your degree requirements.

### Humanities

Humanities subjects focus on developing knowledge and skills in critical reading, logical thought, and esthetic appreciation. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Humanities:

Art	Philosophy
Music	Foreign Language
Literature	Theater
Ethics	Speech
Religion	Communication

### Social Sciences and History

Social Sciences and History subjects focus on individuals and society and the processes individuals use to order their world. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Social Sciences and History

Psychology	Economics
Sociology	Geography
Political Science	History
Anthropology	

### Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Natural Sciences and Mathematics subjects focus on understanding the natural world and problem-solving processes. Here are some subject areas typically classified as Natural Sciences and Mathematics.

Anatomy and Physiology	College Algebra
Microbiology	Calculus
Chemistry	Genetics
Biology	Physics

The publication *Using Exams to Complete your Excelsior College Degree* shows the classification of Excelsior College and other examinations in chart form. Each exam is listed under the requirement it satisfies. You can find this publication at [www.excelsior.edu/469](http://www.excelsior.edu/469)