

BSN Pre-Licensure Application Instructions

Fall 2024

Supplemental Application

❖ Are you a currently active UMKC student?

- YES - You will need to log in and complete the application for fall 2023 Nursing BSN.
- NO – see other options below.

❖ Are you NOT a current UMKC student, but seeking entrance into the Pre-Licensure BSN fall 2024 program?

- YES – You will need to log in and complete a new application for spring 2024 Health Sciences – BHS – with an emphasis area of “Plan to be RN”
- You must enroll and complete the UMKC specific pre-requisites by end of SP24 to be eligible for FS24 BSN.

Select your term:

Fall 2023 ▼

Please select your major:

Health Sciences BHS ▼

Health Sciences Emphasis Area:

▼

Accelerated BHS
General
Plan to be RN

been or are you currently enrolled as a degree s
ing student.

Continue

Login OR Create New Account

If you are already a UMKC student,
login using your account information,
OR create a new account~

Login OR Create New Account

- Visit UMKC Admissions
 - <https://futureroo.umkc.edu/apply/>

Define –

Returning Users:

If you have previously applied to UMKC. If you do not remember your sign-in, complete “forgot username/password” verification steps. If you do not have access to that email address any longer, complete First-time users.

First-time users:

If you have never applied to UMKC.

Please select appropriate application to submit:

Dual High School - You are a high school junior or senior and wish to begin earning college credit while still in high school.

Undergraduate:

- **First Time College**- You have or will soon receive a high school diploma or General Education Development diploma and have never attended college (unless as a dual high school enrolled student) and are interested in receiving a degree at UMKC.
- **Transfer** -You have attended another US college/university and are interested in receiving a degree at UMKC or you have attended UMKC in the past and are returning as an undergraduate student.

Graduate- You have previously received a bachelor's or master's degree and are interested in pursuing at UMKC graduate certificate or a master's or PhD degree.

Professional -You have received a bachelor's or master's degree and are interested in a professional degree at UMKC.

Visiting - You are a degree seeking student at another institution, wishing to take courses at UMKC and transfer them back to your home institution or you are a community member interested in taking a class for self fulfillment.

For all application types, select the year that matches the term. For example, if you are applying for Spring 2020, Summer 2020, or Fall 2020, please select the 2020 option for your application type.

Returning users:

[Log in](#) to continue an application

First-time users:

[Create an account](#) to start a new application.

Application Management

Click <Start a New Application>

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Your Applications			
Type	Status	Started	Submitted

[Start New Application](#)

If you applied to Pre-Nursing as First time college, apply to the BSN also as First time college.
If you applied to Pre-Nursing as transfer, apply to the BSN also as Transfer

Application Details Window

- On the Application Details Window - select the following:
 - “2024 Undergraduate”
 - “2024 Transfer” or “2024 First Time College”
 - Click <Create Application> or <Open Application> if returning to complete in progress BSN application
 - The next page will ask Personal Information, then continue.
 - The following page is Academic Information.
 - Important: Select “On Campus” and “Fall 2024”.
 - Important: Select “Nursing BSN” for major
 - Important: Select Pre-Licensure BSN
 - See next slide...

If you do not have the option to Start a New Application, Contact Admissions at admissions@umkc.edu Explain your current situation (what program you are currently in, when you started) and explain what you are trying to do (complete the supplemental application for the Pre-Licensure BSN)

Personal Information

Either confirm pre-filled information is correct, or fill in personal information and select <Continue>

Academic Information (Important)

Select Term – Fall 2024

Major – Nursing BSN

Emphasis – Pre-licensure BSN

Academic Information

If you do not have the option Fall 2024/Nursing BSN/Pre-Licensure BSN, Alert Admissions at admissions@umkc.edu

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Academic Information

Select your term:

Fall 2024

Please select your major:

Nursing BSN

Nursing Emphasis Area:

Pre-Licensure BSN

Have you previously been or are you currently enrolled as a degree seeking student at UMKC? This does not include attending UMKC as a dual high school, visiting, or non-degree seeking student.

Yes

Continue

Academic History

Answer any questions pertinent to
previous institutions

Pre-Licensure BSN Supplemental

Important: You must have all pre-requisites completed by the end of the spring 2024 term in order to apply

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If you will not have your pre-reqs completed by the end of the Spring 2024 semester, you are not eligible to apply for the Fall 2024 BSN cohort. Please reach out to your advisor for next steps:

- Lauren Newcomer – last names A-k
(lauren.newcomer@umkc.edu)
- Jennifer Lyles – last names L-Z
(jennifer.lyles@umkc.edu)

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Pre-Licensure BSN Supplemental

Are you a currently enrolled UMKC student?

- Yes
 No

We are delighted that you have decided to apply for admission to the UMKC School of Nursing and Health Studies Pre-Licensure BSN Program!

The following are required to complete the application:

- Prerequisites
- GPA Minimums
- Official TEAS Score Report
- Three Essays
- Resume
- Exploring the Nursing Professions Document

Ensure that you will have completed all of the following prerequisite courses by the end of the Spring semester. All prerequisites must be complete with a grade of B- or better.

If you are unsure of how your non-UMKC transfer coursework fulfills prerequisite requirements, please check transferology.com and/or the [UMKC Transfer Guide](#). If still unsure at that point, contact one of the [Pre-Licensure BSN academic advisors](#).

Will you have all of your prerequisites complete by the end of the Spring 2024 Semester?

- Yes
 No

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Prerequisites

We do not accept a grade below a B-, or science pre-requisites older than five years.

NURSE 101 Introduction to Nursing

Please indicate that you have completed/will complete this course by semester and grade, if applicable:

If transferring in an equivalent for NURSE 101, please list the name of the course and where it was completed.

NURSE 101 Term

NURSE 101 Year

NURSE 101 Grade

2003

NURSE 120 Anatomy and Physiology I + NURSE 160 Anatomy and Physiology II

Separate Anatomy w/lab + Physiology w/lab courses (worth at least 4 credit hours each) are

accepted to fulfill this requirement

A combined Anatomy and Physiology w/lab course (worth at least 5 credit hours) is also

accepted to fulfill this requirement

Anatomy and Physiology coursework must have been completed within five years of the

program start in Fall

Please indicate that you have completed/will complete this course by semester and grade, if

applicable:

2010

If transferring in an equivalent NURSE 120, please list the name of the course and where it was

completed.

2012

2013

NURSE 120 Term

Please note the science pre-reqs only go back 5-years, as it is a requirement they are not older than five-years from when the program begins. If your year is not present, contact your advisor for next steps:

- Lauren Newcomer – last names A-k (lauren.newcomer@umkc.edu)
- Jennifer Lyles – last names L-Z (jennifer.lyles@umkc.edu)

NURSE 120 Year

NURSE 120 Grade

2019

2020

If transferring in an equivalent

course, please list the name of the course and where it was

completed.

2021

2022

NURSE 120 Term



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GPA

Cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher

- Calculated based on all courses reflected on transcripts sent to UMKC Admissions

Nursing Prerequisite GPA of 2.75 or higher

- Calculated based on all combined prerequisite coursework completed at time of supplemental application deadline in January.
- Nursing Prerequisite GPA = N120/N160 + CHEM 115/CHEM 115L + LS-MCRB 112 + MATH 110 + N101
- If you have not completed all prerequisites at the time of application, your Nursing Prerequisite GPA will be calculated only using the course grades for those courses you have already completed.

To calculate your prerequisite GPA, use our [GPA Calculator](#).

Please indicate that you have met the GPA requirements:

- Cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher
- Prerequisite GPA of 2.75 or higher
- UM System Cumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher (if applicable)

*GPA calculator is a
easy-to-use tool to
help calculate your
GPAs!*

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Supplemental Materials

Official Test of Essential Academic Skills (TEAS) Score Report (for Pre-Licensure BSN only)

- Minimum overall score of 60% required
- TEAS may be retaken one time, for a total of 2 attempts per application cycle
- To find available testing locations, study materials, or assistance with uploading the TEAS Score Report, visit the [ATI website](#).
- If you haven't completed the TEAS yet, please ensure to have the report sent to UMKC and to yourself.

Upload your TEAS Score Report (for Pre-Licensure BSN only)

This widget will allow the upload of a PDF or Word document into a material on the person record.

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If you do not have your TEAS results, please visit the [ATI website](#) and submit a request for results to be sent to you personally, then upload here.

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Essay #1

Share your primary reason for becoming a nurse. Total essay approximately 200 words.

Essay #2

After reading UMKC School of Nursing and Health Studies Mission Statement, describe in approx. 200 words, how your life experiences support the UMKC School of Nursing and Health Studies (SoNHS) Mission Statement:

In support of the UMKC mission of leading in the life and health sciences, the UMKC School of Nursing and Health Studies mission is to prepare the nursing and other health professional workforce as leaders in improving health outcomes through interprofessional practice, research, and education; excel in the delivery and improvement of health care to diverse populations including urban, rural, and under-served areas; and create diverse and dynamic campus and virtual learning communities.

Essay #3

Review the [SoNHS Values](#). Please identify three values that are relevant to you by describing how the value is reflected in your life. Each value should be described in a separate paragraph of approximately 200 words. Total essay for question #3 should not exceed 800 words.

All essays are evaluated according to applicants' ability to (1) follow directions, (2) use appropriate grammar and punctuation, and (3) demonstrate critical thinking standards (clarity, accuracy, precision, relevance, depth, breadth, logic, significance, fairness, and completeness).

[Paul, R., & Elder, L. \(2006\). The miniature guide to critical thinking: Concepts and tools.](#)

Upload your Personal Statement Essays

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Upload your Resume

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Important: Follow instructions on each essay, use appropriate grammar & punctuation and demonstrate critical thinking standards.

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Exploring the Nursing Profession Documentation

Please use the following form to document and upload: [Exploring the Nursing Profession](#)

- Minimum 30 hours required of direct human patient interaction experiences completed in a healthcare setting.
- Hours must have been completed in the two years prior to the BSN application submission.
- Documentation can include paid work, volunteer, and/or educational training experiences.
- Examples: volunteer experiences in a skilled nursing or hospice facility, clinical hours completed for CNA/LPN/Paramedic certification, or a hospital volunteer program, etc.
- Shadowing experiences with a nurse that provides direct patient care are accepted.
- The following are **NOT** accepted: veterinary care, pharmacy technician experience, or hospital transporter as an example, as these do not include direct patient interaction.

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Important: This year the hours are **REQUIRED**. We encourage for those who do not have the hours or begun to reach out to nurses@umkc.edu for options within your community to obtain.

HOURS MUST BE DONE BY APPLICATION SUBMISSION.

Additional Information

Continued general application
questions

Signature/Review

Sign and review for accuracy

Submit!

We are so delighted you've
chosen to apply with us!

Timeline for Review

- ❖ 11/01/2023 Application became available
- ❖ 01/31/2024 Application deadline at midnight
- ❖ 04/2024 Initial round of decisions to students (prior to grades posting)
- ❖ 06/01/2024 Official decisions to students
- ❖ 08/2024 Success 4 Nursing (New BSN student orientation)

Questions?

Email Katherine at
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