### CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS 2018-2019

#### UNIVERSITY CORE

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<td>CORE 102</td>
<td>Advanced Written &amp; Oral Communication</td>
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<td>* HNRS 103</td>
<td>Written &amp; Oral Communication-Honors (HNRS 103 will replace CORE 101 &amp; 102 for those students in the RU Honors Academy)</td>
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**NOTE:** Courses listed in multiple areas can only be used to fulfill a single area requirement. Students can use only one course with their major prefix to fulfill core requirements.

*Honors students with no transfer elective credit will need three (3) additional hours for the total of 123 credits for graduation.

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<td>A. National &amp; International Perspectives (6 SH)</td>
<td>Courses must be from different disciplines:</td>
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<td>B. Core Skills &amp; Knowledge (16 SH)</td>
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<td>MUSC 100, 121, 123 THEA 100, 180</td>
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#### NURSING MAJOR (62 SH)

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<td><strong>Note: NURS-321 is a prerequisite for upper division nursing and the grade counts in the nursing major GPA.</strong> GPA REQUIREMENTS to apply for upper division: 2.8</td>
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**Total hours required for Graduation:** 125

**GPA REQUIREMENTS**

For Graduation:

- Major GPA: 2.5
- Overall GPA: 2.5

**OFFICE USE ONLY:**

- Transfer Institution: ____________________________________
- Transfer GPA: ____________________________________

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School Of Nursing: Four-Year Academic Plan 2018-2019

It is recommended that you follow the plan of study outlined for the Freshman and Sophomore years. There is flexibility regarding the order in which you complete your core curriculum requirements, but changes to the schedule below should be done in consultation with an academic or faculty advisor. Your upper division course schedules will be made according to your assigned site (either Radford campus or Roanoke site).

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