

JOHN WOOD COMMUNITY COLLEGE

# SMART START

Earn college credits in high school

## Career Academy

### Enroll today in **Pre-Nursing**



**Begin your career path before graduating high school!**

Interested in pursuing a degree in Nursing?

Complete JWCC's Nursing pre-req requirements while in high school in order to **earn your associate degree in Nursing (ADN) in two years after high school graduation.**

Nurses will always be in high demand! JWCC's (ADN) program prepares students for the NCLEX exam to become a Registered Nurse (RN). After earning an associate degree, nurses can choose to complete a bachelor's degree in nursing.



#### **IN-DEMAND OCCUPATION**

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#### **SAVE & START EARLY**

Save money and time while earning college credit while in high school!



#### **ONLINE or CLASSROOM LEARNING**

Start with the General Education courses, in person or online!



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# Pre-Nursing Academy

Courses offered fall, spring, and summer to align with your high school career track.

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## Get a head start on your future in Nursing!

Once general education courses are completed online or in the classroom, students are eligible to apply for JWCC's (ADN) program. Recommended path below:

### STEP ONE

#### PRE-REQ REQUIREMENTS

- BIO 101 General Biology (4)
- ENG 101 Rhet & Comp I (3)
- \*MAT 109 Elementary Statistics (3)
- \*PSY 101 Intro to Psychology (3)
- \*BIO 275 Human Anatomy & Phys I (4)
- \*BIO 276 Human Anatomy & Phys II (4)
- \*PSY 233 Dev. Psychology (3)
- CMN 101 Intro to Speech (3)
- \*BIO 293 Microbiology (4)
- \*2.7 GPA requirement

### STEP TWO

#### NURSING PROGRAM APPLICATION

- 1) Apply to JWCC Admission
  - 2) Apply to ADN program:
    - a) Must meet minimum 2.7 GPA
    - b) Must meet ACT or SAT, and/or HESI A2 Admissions Assessment Test scores
- Additional info at: [jwcc.edu/nursing](http://jwcc.edu/nursing)

### STEP THREE

#### ADN COMPLETION TRACK

- Option #1: COMPLETE YEAR ONE** of Nursing courses + NUR 190 to prepare for the NCLEX-PN to become a Practical Nurse (LPN).
- Option #2: COMPLETE YEAR TWO** of nursing courses to earn an Associate Degree in Nursing and prepare to take NCLEX-RN Exam to become a Registered Nurse (RN).
- Option #3: Continuing Education:** Transfer to a 4-year university to earn a Bachelor of Nursing Degree and beyond!



**LPN: \$48,070 yr \ \$23.11 hr**

**RN: \$77,600 yr \ \$37.31hr**

Licensed Practical Nurse or Registered Nurse  
Data from: [careeronestop.org](http://careeronestop.org)



**Potential Careers:** Ambulatory Care (Clinic), Acute Care (Inpatient), Emergency/Critical Care, Home Health, Hospice, Public Health, Travel Nurse

### HOW TO SIGN UP

Complete the Smart Start registration form with your high school counselor.

**Counselor or Principal approval is required.**

**Priority given to students who register by June 1.**

Contact Smart Start Concurrent Enrollment Team if interested or if you have additional questions!

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