BSN | Bachelor of Science in Nursing

**BSN ADMISSION PATHWAYS**

*NEW* Direct Entry

The Direct Entry Pathway is an opportunity for high-achieving students to secure a seat in King University’s Traditional Nursing (BSN) Program during their senior year of high school.

- Admission is competitive and by invitation only based on the following:
  - Minimum of 3.8 high school GPA
  - Review of transcripts and evaluation of individual courses completed
- Direct Entry students must satisfy the following requirements to hold their seat:
  - Maintain cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.0
  - Complete clinical pre-requisites with a C or better (A&P 1, A&P 2, Statistics, Microbiology, Lifespan Development)
  - Meet Kaplan Admission Exam score expectation within 2 attempts (67 overall, 55 science)

Pre-Nursing

The Pre-Nursing Pathway is the most common path to BSN admission. Students initially enroll as a Pre-Nursing major and can be offered a seat in King University’s Traditional Nursing (BSN) Program after successful completion of clinical prerequisites and requirements.

- Students are assigned a Nursing Faculty Advisor to aid in tracking progress in and eligibility for admission to the King University Traditional Nursing (BSN) Program
- King University Pre-Nursing students have the advantage of developing close relationships with nursing faculty prior to admission to the program
- Students will complete a Petition for Admission the semester before entering the BSN program

**PROGRAM FEATURES**

- Nursing advisor assigned to students interested in the program upon admission to King
- Individualized remediation for students who may need additional support during the program
- Membership in the National Student Nurses Association upon admission to the program
- Assigned NCLEX mentor to aid in preparation for testing for licensure after completion of the BSN program at no additional cost

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