3301 North Mulford Road, Health Sciences Center ROCKFORD, IL 61114

Admissions 815-282-7900 Course Equivalencies for ROCK VALLEY COLLEGE

NURSING PREREQUISITES	Minimum Credits	COURSE NUMBER	Credits
Anatomy & Physiology <sup>1</sup>	5	BIO 281 and 282, 185	4-8
Chemistry	4	CHM 110 or higher	4
Microbiology <sup>1</sup>	4	BIO 274	4
Nutrition	3	FWS 237	3
Statistics	3	MTH 220, BUS 223	3
Developmental Psychology	3	PSY 270	3
Total for Nursing Prerequisites	22		22-25
GENERAL EDUCATION CORE <sup>2</sup>	Minimum Credits	COURSE NUMBER	Credits
English Composition—1st Sem	3	ENGLI 101	3
English Composition—2 <sup>nd</sup> Sem	3	ENGLI 103, 200	3
Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 190	3
Physical/Life Science Elective	3	any AST, ATS, BIO, CHM, GEL, PGE, PHY not otherwise required; NRS 104	3-4
General Psychology	3	PSY 170	3
Speech	3	SPH 131, 201	3
Philosophy or Humanities	3	any HUM, LIT, PHL (except PHL 153)	3
Cultural Diversity	3	any FRN, GRM, SPN; ANP 102, 103, ART 141, HST 144, 151, 152, 162, 163, 172, 173, 182, 183, 192, 193, HUM 125, 151, 210-212, LIT 140, 152, 154, 205, 206, MUS 106, PHL 151, 155, 156, 260, PSC 269, SOC 295, SPH 202	3
Fine Arts	3	any ART, MUS, THE; COM 251, 252, ENGLI 1154, LIT 141	3
Social/Behavioral Science	3	any ANP, ECO, HST, PSC, PSY, SOC; COM 130 not otherwise required	3
Biology Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	any transferable BIO course that completed at least 12 hours of Biology	3-4
Electives	9-10	Additional transferable (not vocational) courses or those used within the framework of completing an associate degree.	9-10
Total for General Education	42		42-48

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>A minimum of 12 credits in biology is required.

<sup>2</sup>General education core requirements may be met by:

- 1) Completion of each course as specified above
- 2) Completion of An Associate in Ats (AA), Associate in Science (AS), or Bachelor's degree from an approved, regionally accredited college or university
  - A minimum of 64 credits is required before beginning the nursing program.
  - All students must meet each of the Nursing Prerequisite requirements.
  - A student may apply for admission after completing: 32 prerequisite credits, at least one of the prerequisite nursing sciences (A & P, chemistry and microbiology *must be less than 10 years old*) GPA of at least 2.7 on a 4-point scale, with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5.