GAVILAN COLLEGE  
Allied Health Programs

General Education Requirements for the Associate Degree – Nursing

Area A – Communication in the English Language

Complete each of the following:
1. Oral Communication – CMUN 1A
2. Written Communication – ENGL 1A
3. Reading – ENGL 260 with a grade of “C” or better, or demonstrate reading proficiency at the college level. Competency verified by an approved test.

Area B – Physical Universe and its Life Forms

Complete each of the following:
1. Physical Science – none required
2. Biological Science:
   - BIO 10 (if needed), BIO 15 or 7, BIO 8 and 9 (BIO 8 & 9 at RN Level)
3. Mathematics:
   - Minimum of MATH 205 (Elementary Algebra) or equivalent
   - Competency verified by an approved test.

Area C – Arts, Foreign Language, Literature and Philosophy

Minimum of three units from area 1 or area 2
1. Fine and Performing Arts:
   - Art, Theater Arts, Music (other than in area 2); CMUN 2; HUM 10; Journalism (other than JOUR 10).
2. Cultural History, Foreign Language, Philosophy:
   - ART 1A, 1B, 4A, 20, 21; ENGL 1B, 1C, 2A-E, 2H, 2I, 2J, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 9A, 9B, 9C;
   - HIST 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7A, 7B, 10, 14, 18, 19; HUM 3, 4, 5, 10; JOUR 10; MUS 1A, 1B;
   - PHIL 1, 2, 3, 3B, 4, 5, 6, 6B, 8, 15; SOC 10; THEA 1; any foreign language

Area D – Social, Political and Economic Institutions

One course from area 1 and two courses from area 2
1. U.S. History and Political Institutions:
   - HIST 1, 2, 5, 18, 19; POLS 1
2. Behavioral, Economic, and Social Science:
   - PSYC 1A
   - SOC 1A

Area E – Lifelong Understanding and Self-Development

One unit from area 1 and two courses from area 2
1. Physical education activity class or intercollegiate sport
2. AH 3
   - AH 11

Area F – Cultural Diversity

Two courses – may be double counted to satisfy GE requirements
- AH 3
- AH 11