

# UConn School of Nursing Petitioning Student FAQ

## – PETITION FOR SCHOOL CHANGE TO THE SCHOOL OF NURSING- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ's)

### 1. Where can I locate the application?

- a. To find the application [click here](#) print it, fill the form out, sign it and bring to Admissions and Enrollment Services
- b. Make sure to sign application before submitting and return to AES Room WW17

### 2. How competitive is the program?

- a. GPA has to be 3.5 – 3.6
- b. B's or better in the sciences and math

### 3. How and when do I apply?

- a. Applications begin on November 1<sup>st</sup> and end February 1<sup>st</sup>.
- b. Motivational statement to accompany the application – should be one page long, stating why you want to be a nurse and what will make you successful.

### 4. What are the prerequisites?

- a. **Physics** either in High School or a college level course in Physics  
Physics 1010 at UCONN is acceptable
- b. Chemistry in High School
- c. B's or better in science and math courses

### 5. How long does the program take?

- a. You can plan on an additional 3 years to complete the bachelor's program.

### 6. When does the program begin?

- a. The program begins in the Fall of your sophomore year.

### 7. What classes do I need to take?

- a. Core classes (chemistry, biology) for the **Freshman** year in the School of Nursing.
- b. To see the Curriculum for the Bachelor of Science [click here](#).

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### **8. Where do I send the application, motivational statement and official transcripts?**

- a. You may either drop them off at the Admissions and Enrollment Services (AES) department in Room 17 of the Widmer Wing or mail them to:

School of Nursing  
University of Connecticut  
Admissions and Enrollment Services  
231 Glenbrook Road, Suite 4026  
Storrs, CT 06269-4026

### **9. Can students applying take Nursing courses?**

- a. Non-nursing students may take NURS 1110 Introduction to Health/Discipline of Nursing or NURS 1130 Health Care Delivery System provided there is space available. For further information you can contact the AES office at 860-486-1968 and be put on a waitlist.

### **10. Information sessions.**

- a. Held in the Fall
- b. Check website [www.nursing.uconn.edu](http://www.nursing.uconn.edu) for the more current information or call (860) 486-1937.