



Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN, RN)

Prerequisite Course Equivalency Grid for SDSU and Region 10 Community Colleges

2024-2026 (June 1, 2024)

THIS GRID IS AN ADVISEMENT TOOL TO BE USED WITH A COUNSELOR, NOT A GUARANTEE OF COURSE EQUIVALENCY FOR PRIOR COURSEWORK.

College	BIOL 260 Course Equivalency	BIOL 261 Course Equivalency	BIOL 265 Course Equivalency	COMM 103 or 174 or 176 + Course Equivalency	ENGL 115 OR 115H, ESL 115A Course Equivalency	CD 170 OR PSYC 230 Course Equivalency	PSYC 101 Course Equivalency	MATH 119 or PSYC/SOC 270 Course Equivalency
Southwestern	BIOL 260 [^]	BIOL 261 [^]	BIOL 265 [^]	COMM 103, COMM 174 or COMM 176 +	ENGL 115 or ENGL 115H or ESL 115A	CD 170 or PSYC 230	PSYC 101	MATH 119 or PSYC/SOC 270 or BIOL 215
National University	BIO 201 and 201A and BIO 202 and 202A (all 4 courses)	BIO 201 and 201A and BIO 202 and 202A (all 4 courses)	BIO 203 and BIO 203A	COM 103 or COM 120 or COM 300 or COM 305	ENG 102 or ENG 240	N/A	PSY 100	MTH 210
SDSU	BIOL 212	BIOL 261	BIOL 211 & BIOL 211L	COMM 103 or COMM 176 or COMM 245	ECL 100 or RWS 100	CFD 270 or PSY 230	PSY 101	SOC 201 or STAT 250 or PSY 280 or BIOL 215
*GCCCD	BIO 140	BIO 141 & BIO 141L	BIO 152	COMM 120 or COMM 122 or COMM 124	ENGL 120 or ESL 122	CD 125 or PSY 150	PSY 120	MATH 160 or BIO 215 or ANTH/PSY/SOC 215
Imperial Valley	BIOL 200 & BIOL 202 or BIOL 204	BIOL 200 & BIOL 202 or BIOL 206	BIOL 220	COMM 100 COMM 125 or COMM 150	ENGL 110 or ESL 108	CDEV/PSY 104 or PSY 204	PSY 101	MATH 119 or PSY 214
MiraCosta	BIO 210/210H	BIO 220	BIO 230	COMM 120 or COMM 207 or COMM 215	ENGL 100/100H	CHILD 113 or PSYC 121	PSYC 101/101H	MATH 103 or BUS 204 or 204H or PSYC 104 or 104H or BTEC 180
Palomar	BIOL 210	BIOL 211	BIOL 212	SPCH 115 or SPCH 120 or SPCH 131	ENG 100 or ENG 100E ESL 110	CHDV 100 or PSYC 110	PSYC 100	MATH 120 or PSYC/SOC 205 or BUS 204 or SOC 180
**SDCCD	BIOL 230	BIOL 235	BIOL 205	COMS 103 or COMS 135 or COMS 180	ENGL 101 or ENGL 105	CHIL 101 or PSYC 230	PSYC 101	MATH 119 or BUSE 115 or PSYC 258 or BIOL 200

Additional Math prerequisites accepted: College Algebra, Trigonometry, Pre-Calculus, Calculus, Biostatistics

***GCCCD:** Grossmont Cuyamaca Community College District includes Cuyamaca and Grossmont. Southwestern College will accept Grossmont College's BIO144 & 145 to satisfy the Anatomy and Physiology requirement and **both** courses must be completed to satisfy the requirement. GCCCD Math 120 or 125 not accepted.

****SDCCD:** San Diego Community College District includes City College, Mesa College, and Miramar College.

[^]All science courses used to substitute science pre-requisites must include a laboratory component. All science labs must be taken concurrently.

[^]All science courses need 2.5 GPA, minimum of 4 semester units each, "C" grade or better and 10-year recency for human anatomy; 7-year recency for physiology and microbiology.

⁺SWC COMM 104 Public Speaking (and equivalents) are accepted, however, the listed COMM courses are suggested and preferred.

Check the [SWC ADN/RN Program website](#) for External Exam limitations.