

Costs-Prices are approximate and subject to change

Nursing Textbooks-

NURS 120	\$500
NURS 150	\$575
NURS 210	\$50
NURS 250	\$50

Lab Kit

120-	\$ 129.99
150-	\$ 139.99
Lab Fees: NURS 120:	\$30
	NURS 150: \$60
	NURS 210: \$16
	NURS 250: \$16

Laptop Computer:

Laptops are required for each student beginning with the entering class (NURS 120). **A privacy screen/filter/shield is required for all computerized testing. Students will not be allowed to test without this.**

The Financial Aid Office can assist with applying funds to a new laptop, for information please contact finaid@morrisville.edu

Kaplan provides a total learning/testing package to the students and upon completion of the program and entitles the graduating student to a review prior to the graduate taking the NCLEX-RN examination for licensure. Kaplan fees: \$275.00 semester.

<u>Uniform</u>	\$100
<u>Shoes</u>	Variable
<u>Stethoscope</u>	Variable
<u>Wristwatch</u>	Variable

Progression Policies:

In order to progress to the next nursing course a student must:

1. Earn a grade of C+ in both BIOL 150 and 151
2. Earn a grade of "C+ in each nursing course
3. Earn a grade of C- in Bio 285
4. In addition to the grade of C+ in each nursing course a student must:
 - Pass the Med-Math test for each course with the required grade.
 - Earn a Satisfactory grade in clinical on the Clinical Evaluation Tool.
 - Complete identified Lab skill competencies by the identified deadline date.
 - Complete the examinations required for each nursing course.

Any student who does not meet the progression requirements either into nursing or from one course to the next sequential course will have nursing courses dropped from their schedule. At the time they complete the requirement(s) they should contact the School Office in Bailey Hall. At that time enrollment in a nursing course will be dependent on space availability. If the course is fully enrolled the student will have to wait until such time as a seat becomes available. The student is required to meet the progression requirements at that time.

PROGRESSION and RE-ADMISSION POLICY FOR NURSING

Progression refers to the sequential enrollment and continuation in required courses in the nursing program.

Re-admission refers to students who have withdrawn from the nursing program and/or college and are requesting to re-enroll in the nursing program.

Core Nursing courses include: NURS 120, NURS 150, NURS 152, NURS 210, NURS 212, NURS 250, NURS 251, and NURS 252.

Progression:

A final course grade of a C+ (74.45) is required to progress to the next sequential nursing course. If a student drops or receives an unsuccessful grade in a required course, the following will apply (in addition to campus admission policies):

- Students enrolled in the nursing program may repeat a required core nursing course once (1 time) only. A subsequent unsuccessful grade of a core nursing course will result in program dismissal and prevent future re-admission to the nursing program.
- If a student is unsuccessful in the same course twice, they are dismissed from the program.
- The most recent grade for nursing coursework will stand. For example, if the student is successful in NURS 120, has to re-take the course after a leave of absence and does not pass, they are considered to not have passed NURS 120.
- Students may attend the nursing program at either the Morrisville or Norwich campus, dependent upon course and space availability.

Re-Admission to the Nursing Program:

Repeating Students

If a student is unsuccessful in a core nursing course, they may attend the course when offered the following academic year providing there are seats available. If students do not attend at this time, they must re-enter the program from the beginning. Repeating NURS 120 students will be ranked with the admitting class. The previously unsuccessful nursing course grade will not be calculated into the GPA for ranking purposes.

Returning Students

Should a Morrisville nursing student be successful in a core nursing course and miss the following two consecutive semesters they must reapply to the program. If there are seats available and they are accepted, it will be on a conditional basis providing they demonstrate they are ready to progress to the next nursing course.

To demonstrate readiness to progress, there will be a readiness evaluation session scheduled in May (for fall registration) and September (for spring registration). Students seeking readmission after missing two consecutive semesters must attend the appropriate session for evaluation of nursing and clinical reasoning skills.

All transfer nursing students seeking admission to the Morrisville nursing program must also attend and be successful in the scheduled evaluation times. Transfer nursing students will not be accepted above the NURS 150 course level.

Students that have been out of the program for more than two semesters must re-enter the program from the beginning.

TEAS:

A student who is seeking re-admission and who has never taken the TEAS Pre-Admission test is required to earn a composite score of **62** to be considered for re-admission.

Time Management

This section is included on the advice of students based on their experiences:

- Time management-planning your daily/weekly schedule -while taking into account your work or home obligations is crucial to meeting your educational and career goals. Be advised that in addition to classes and scheduled laboratories and clinical experiences (including the time spent traveling to and from clinical sites) there is time you will need to devote to practice in the labs.
- In addition, you need to plan study time into your schedule-about three (3) hours for every credit hour on your schedule is the “general rule”.

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HEPATITIS B VACCINE POLICY STATEMENT

It is recommended that all nursing students entering the nursing program receive the Hepatitis B Vaccine.

Nurses are at risk for contracting Hepatitis B. Any member of the health care team who comes in contact with blood, body fluids or tissues has an increased chance of developing this type of viral hepatitis and should consider being immunized with Hepatitis B vaccine. The Hepatitis B Vaccine is a safe and effective method of preventing Hepatitis B infection.

There is no contraindication to the Hepatitis B vaccine EXCEPT a yeast allergy.

The vaccine is a series of three shots. The second dose is due 30 days after the first and the third dose is due 6 months after the 1st vaccine.

The student must have a physical form on file.

I have read the Hepatitis B Policy Statement and:

I refuse to receive the Hepatitis B vaccine and absolve this college from any liability as a result of this decision.

I am currently receiving the vaccine.

I have received the series of three injections. (dates must be included on physical form)

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Meningococcal Vaccine POLICY STATEMENT

It is recommended that all nursing students entering the nursing program receive the Meningococcal Vaccine.

Nurses and students in college are at risk for contracting Meningococcal. The Meningococcal Vaccine is a safe and effective method of preventing Meningococcal infection. For more information, please visit the CDC Website: <https://www.health.ny.gov/publications/2168/>

Students may obtain the Vaccine with their primary care provider.

I have read the Meningococcal Policy Statement and:

I refuse to receive the Meningococcal vaccine and absolve this college from any liability as a result of this decision.

I have received the Vaccine. (Dates must be included on physical form)

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DATE _____