

George Fox University College of Nursing

Nursing Fall 2023 Application Cycle

For Student Information Only

General Admit Overview

Students who have completed the most recent four semesters at GFU with at least 12 credits per semester, have a cumulative 2.9 GPA in their nursing prerequisite science courses, a cumulative 2.9 GPA in their nursing prerequisite courses, and have repeated no more than one science and/or one nursing prerequisite (non-science) course are eligible. George Fox Students pursuing General Admission must complete the Intent to Pursue Nursing and Additional Experience forms, upload a resume, and an essay (pdf format) to the General Admit: Fall 2023 Canvas page.

Running Start students: Running Start students must complete at least two semesters (minimum of 12 credits per semester) at George Fox University before being considered for Direct Admission. Running start students with one semester (minimum of 12 credits per semester) at George Fox University and no additional college credits will be considered for General Admission. If a Running Start Student has additional college credit (earned after graduation from high school), they will be considered a transfer student and must apply via NursingCAS.

General Admit Requirements

GFU students who do *not* meet Direct Admit criteria may still be eligible for a general admission option if all of the following requirements are met.

- Complete the most recent four semesters at GFU with at least 12 credits per semester (a total of 48 credits in the past two years)
- Maintain a 2.9 cumulative nursing prerequisite science GPA
 - Only the first retake of a science course will be considered. For all other retakes, we will take the first grade received. (Withdrawals on a transcript count as an attempt)
 - All science courses must be completed in the past seven years
- Maintain a 2.9 cumulative nursing prerequisite GPA
 - Only the first retake of a science course and the first retake of one other nursing prerequisite (non-science) course will be considered. For all other retakes, we will take the first grade received. (Withdrawals on a transcript count as an attempt)
- Receive a letter grade of C or higher in all nursing prerequisite courses. A grade of “C- “or lower (including pass/fail) will not be accepted.
- Submit an [Intent to Pursue Nursing - General Admit](#) form
 - **The form will be available on March 7, 2023, and will close on May 7, 2023**
 - Failure to do so will result in the application not being evaluated for the current admission cycle.
- Complete the [Additional Experience Form](#)
- Submit a resume in pdf format to the **General Admit: Fall 2023 Canvas page**
 - If you do not have access to the General Admit Canvas page, confirm your major is listed as nursing in mygeorgefox and contact the nursing office at nursing@georgefox.edu to be added.
- Submit an essay 2000 character max (approximately 300 words) (pdf format) answering the essay questions listed on the *General Admit: Fall 2023 Canvas page*.

General Admit spaces are not guaranteed. Applicants will be offered admission based on a point system and space availability.

The requirements listed above pertain to this particular admission cycle. Please refer to the website <https://georgefox.edu/nursing> for the specific requirements for other admission cycles as requirements change frequently.