

Messiah College

Master of Science in Nursing

Admissions Requirements/Checklist

Requirement	Date Submitted/ Requested
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Bachelor's degree in nursing from an ACEN, CCNE, or CNEA accredited program (or equivalent) and an institution that is regionally accredited by one of the following: Middle States, New England, North Central, Northwest, Western and Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Completed application.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">\$30 application fee (waived for Messiah College graduates).	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">A minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale in undergraduate nursing courses and prerequisite courses leading to eligibility for registered nurse licensure and a baccalaureate degree in nursing. (Applications with a GPA below 3.00 will be considered on an individual basis.)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Satisfactory completion (grade of C or better) of the following undergraduate courses: statistics, research and health assessment (as a separate course or integrated concept).	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Official transcripts from all institutions of higher education attended.Graduate Admissions will secure Messiah College transcripts for all Messiah College graduates who sign the release included in the application.Applicants are responsible for securing non-Messiah transcripts.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Personal Statement of Purpose: Your 300 to 500 word statement should describe your preparations for graduate work, your reasons for applying for this particular graduate program at Messiah College and how this graduate program will help you meet your professional and educational goals.	
Three letters of recommendation (addressing your professional experience and/or academic performance , excluding relatives).	
Résumé or Curriculum Vitae (include a description of professional nursing or clinical experience).	
A minimum of one year of recent professional nursing practice.	
Unencumbered licensure as a registered nurse (United States & Territories).	

All materials should be submitted to

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Graduate Admissions

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