

**RN Program Information**  
**Schools in the Minnesota State Colleges & Universities System ([Minnesota State](#))**  
**-Twin Cities Locations-**

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<a href="#"><u>Minnesota Alliance for Nursing Education (MANE) Programs</u></a>
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**MANE Schools Included in this Guide**

[Anoka-Ramsey Community College](#)

[Century College](#)

[Inver Hills Community College](#)

[Normandale Community College](#)

[North Hennepin Community College](#)

[Metropolitan State University \(BSN\)](#)

**General Information from MANE**

- Most schools offer MANE information sessions. Visit their websites for dates and times!
- Students accepted for admission to a MANE program at a partner community college are dually admitted to Metropolitan State University.
  - Current partners include: Anoka-Ramsey Community College, Century College, Inver Hills Community College, Normandale Community College, North Hennepin Community College, Ridgewater College, and Riverland Community College.
  - The final three semesters of the MANE BSN program will be provided on the community college campus in hybrid and online formats by Metropolitan State University.
  - If students plan to continue on for the BSN at Metropolitan State University they will need to complete statistics in order to meet graduation requirements for the bachelor's degree.
- **Each course of the MANE curriculum plan (including courses required to apply) must have been achieved with a letter grade of C or better.**
- Applicants must demonstrate English language proficiency via examination if (1) English is not their native language; and (2) the applicants have lived in the US fewer than 8 years at the time of application to the program. Applicants are exempt from taking an English proficiency exam if their native language is English or they have been in the US, as a non-native English speaker, for more than 8 years.
- Advanced standing applicants
  - Licensed Practical Nurses must maintain unencumbered licensure from any state in the United States.
- In addition to the courses below, schools may have other application requirements (such as the TEAS test). Students must gather this information from each individual school.
  
- Fall semester start: Application deadline is February 1
- Spring semester start: Application deadline is June 1

College specific requirements can be found on the following pages.

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## Anoka-Ramsey Community College

Applicants must have a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.75 based on the first semester of the MANE curriculum plan (see required courses below).

Courses required to apply- available at Saint Paul College:

- ENGL 1711 Composition 1
- PSYC 1710 General Psychology
- BIOL1740 General Biology 1: The Living Cell
- MnTC Course (not from the list below)

Courses required to apply available only at ARCC

- CHEM 1050\*\* (*CHEM1700 from SPC taken prior to fall 2015 will be accepted*)

Additional General Education courses available at Saint Paul College:

- BIOL 2721 Human Anatomy and Physiology 1
- BIOL 2722 Human Anatomy and Physiology 2
- BIOL 2750 General Microbiology
- PSYC 1720 Psychology throughout the Lifespan
- SOCI 1710 Introduction to Sociology
- SPCH 1720 or 1700
- PHIL1722 Healthcare Ethics

\*\*ARCC does not use developmental math courses from other colleges to determine placement. You must take the Accuplacer to place into CHEM 1050 or have completed college-level math.

Contact: Advisors- Stacy Brunsgaard, 763-433-1277; Kate Hosnick-Harper, 763-433-1255; or Maria Barlage, 763-433-1872

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## Century College

To apply, students must complete a minimum of 15 semester credits of general education (Minnesota Transfer Curriculum) courses with a grade point average (GPA) in those courses of 2.75 or higher.

Courses required to apply- available at Saint Paul College:

- PSYC 1710 General Psychology
- SPCH 1720, 1730, or 1750
- BIOL 2721 Human Anatomy and Physiology 1\*\*

*Note: BIOL1740 is the required prerequisite for BIOL2721*

General Education courses available at Saint Paul College:

- ENGL 1711 Composition 1
- BIOL 2722 Human Anatomy and Physiology 2
- PSYC 1720 Psychology throughout the Lifespan
- BIOL 2750 General Microbiology
- PHIL 1722 Health Care Ethics
- SOCI or ANTH (consult Century College for course recommendations)

\*\*Century's requirement is Biology Concepts (BIOL1020) and Chemistry Concepts (CHEM1020) as they are prerequisites for A&P I. However, as SPC does not require chemistry to take A&P I it is possible to take General Biology I (BIOL1740) and then A&P I (BIOL2721) at SPC.

Contact: Jennifer Eccles, Director of Nursing at Century College, [jennifer.eccles@century.edu](mailto:jennifer.eccles@century.edu) or 651-779-3987.

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### Inver Hills Community College

Applicants must have a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.75 based on the first semester of the MANE curriculum plan (see required courses below).

Courses required to apply- available at Saint Paul College:

- ENGL 1711 Composition 1
- PSYC 1710 General Psychology
- SPCH 1720, 1730, or 1750
- BIOL1740 General Biology 1: The Living Cell

General Education courses available at Saint Paul College:

- BIOL 2721 Human Anatomy and Physiology 1
- BIOL 2722 Human Anatomy and Physiology 2
- BIOL 2750 General Microbiology
- PSYC 1720 Psychology throughout the Lifespan
- PHIL 1720 Ethics or PHIL 1722 Healthcare Ethics
- ANTH 1710 Intro to Cultural Anthropology
- MnTC Goal 6 course (Contact IHCC for recommendations)

Though not required, students are encouraged to complete MATH 0920 (or higher placement level).

Contact: Director of Nursing, Susan Frosch-Erickson, 651-450-3470, [sfrosch@inverhills.edu](mailto:sfrosch@inverhills.edu)

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### North Hennepin Community College

Applicants must have a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.75 based on the first semester of the MANE curriculum plan (see first four required courses below). Applicants must also have a minimum 2.75 GPA based on all general education courses completed.

Courses required to apply- available at Saint Paul College:

- ENGL 1711 Composition 1
- PSYC 1710 General Psychology
- BIOL 1740 General Biology 1: The Living Cell
- MnTC Goal 6 course (**not** PHIL1720/1722)
- MATH 0910 (or higher placement level)

Courses highly recommended to apply- available at Saint Paul College:

- CHEM 1700 Chemistry Concepts
- MATH 0920 Intermediate Algebra (or higher placement level)

General Education courses available at Saint Paul College:

- BIOL 2721 Human Anatomy and Physiology 1
- BIOL 2722 Human Anatomy and Physiology 2
- BIOL 2750 General Microbiology
- SPCH 1720 Interpersonal Communication
- PHIL 1720 Ethics or PHIL1722 Health Care Ethics
- SOCI 1710 Intro to Sociology
- PSYC1720 Psychology throughout the Lifespan

Students are encouraged to attend an Information Session before meeting with an advisor. For more information visit: [www.nhcc.edu/nursing](http://www.nhcc.edu/nursing)

Contact: Nursing Advisor at North Hennepin Community College, [nursingadvisor@nhcc.edu](mailto:nursingadvisor@nhcc.edu)

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## Normandale Community College

Applicants must have a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.75 based on the first semester of the MANE curriculum plan (see required courses below).

Courses required to apply- available at Saint Paul College:

- ENGL 1711 Composition 1
- MnTC Course from Goal 4, 6, 7, 8, 9 or 10 (4 credits)
- BIOL 2721 Human Anatomy and Physiology 1\*
- CHEM1711 Principles of Chemistry I (other chemistry course options are available at NCC)

*Note: Chemistry is required because it is a prerequisite to Anatomy at NCC. If you have completed both BIOL2721 and 2722 you may petition to have those courses accepted in place of CHEM1711 on the application.*

Additional General Education courses available at Saint Paul College:

- BIOL 2722 Human Anatomy and Physiology 2
- BIOL 2750 General Microbiology\*\*
- PSYC 1710 General Psychology
- PSYC 1720 Psychology throughout the Lifespan
- SPCH 1720 Interpersonal Communication
- PHIL 1720 Ethics or PHIL1722 Health Care Ethics
- SOCI 1710 Intro to Sociology or ANTH 1710 Intro to Cultural Anthropology

\* If BIOL2721 is taken at SPC, BIOL2722 should be taken as well. BIOL2721 may not be accepted in transfer without BIOL2722.

\*\*If students plan to apply without CHEM1711 then BIOL2750 should be taken at SPC. (Chemistry is a prereq for Microbiology at NCC.)

Contact: Betty Blazer, Enrollment Manager, 952-358-8417, [elizabeth.blazer@normandale.edu](mailto:elizabeth.blazer@normandale.edu)

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## Metropolitan State University (BSN)

Applicants must have a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.75 based on the first semester of the MANE curriculum plan (see required courses below).

Courses required to apply- available at Saint Paul College:

- ENGL 1711 Composition 1 (4 credits)
- PSYC 1710 General Psychology (4 credits)
- MnTC Goal 3 Course; *BIOL1740 General Biology 1: The Living Cell is recommended (5 credits)*
- MnTC Course (3 credit min.)

Courses required before beginning the program (not required on the application)- available at Saint Paul College:

- BIOL 2721 Human Anatomy and Physiology 1
- BIOL 2750 General Microbiology
- SPCH 1720 or 1730
- PSYC 1720 Psychology throughout the Lifespan

General Education courses available at Saint Paul College:

- BIOL 2722 Human Anatomy and Physiology 2
- MATH 1740 Introduction to Statistics
- MnTC SOCI or ANTH
- PHIL 1720 Ethics or PHIL1722 Healthcare Ethics

There are no math requirements for admission; however students must take statistics by the 6<sup>th</sup> semester of the program.

Students must meet all 10 MnTC Goal Areas to graduate from the program. It is recommended that students speak with the advisor at Metropolitan State early on to discuss all BSN graduation requirements.

Contact: Will Ruckel, Academic Advisor, 651-793-1426 or [william.ruckel@metrostate.edu](mailto:william.ruckel@metrostate.edu)

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## Minneapolis Community & Technical College (MCTC)

### General Information

- Admission to the Nursing Program is highly competitive and MCTC may not be able to accept all applicants who meet the minimum admission requirements. *Though not required to apply, additional priority will be given to students who are currently certified nurse aides (CNA).*
- There are additional application requirements beyond the below listed coursework. Visit: [www.minneapolis.edu/nursing](http://www.minneapolis.edu/nursing)
- Students who are currently LPNs may apply for advanced standing. Visit the above website for more information.
- Students may not have more than one withdrawal (W), or grade of “D” or “F” in ENGL 1711 or transfer equivalents.
  
- Fall Admission: Application deadline is February 1
- Summer Admission for Advanced Standing Nursing for Current LPNs: Application deadline is February 1
- Spring Admission: Application deadline is August 1

### Selection Process

Students in **Priority Group 1** will receive first priority in admission. If the number of applicants in this priority group exceeds the number of seats available, awarding of seats will be filled by participants on the Minnesota Nursing Assistant Registry, and then highest TEAS V score. **Priority Group 2** will receive second priority for admission. **Priority Group 3** will receive third priority for admission.

#### **Priority Group 1**

Qualifying science GPA of 3.0 or higher

Complete the following courses at Saint Paul College or another Minnesota State institution:

- ENGL 1711, Composition 1 with a grade of “C” or better
- BIOL 2721, Anatomy & Physiology 1\* (within the past 5 years) with a grade of “B” or better
- BIOL 2722, Anatomy & Physiology 2\* (within the past 5 years) with a grade of “B” or better
- Completion of MATH 0910 & 0920 with a grade of “C” or better (or appropriate placement score)

#### **Priority Group 2**

For students completing prerequisites outside of the Minnesota State system. Contact MCTC for more information.

#### **Priority Group 3**

Qualifying science GPA of 3.0 or higher

Completion of the following courses at Saint Paul College:

- CHEM1700, Chemistry Concepts (within the past 5 years) with a grade of “B” or better
- BIOL1740, General Biology 1: The Living Cell (within the past 5 years) with a grade of “B” or better
- Completion of MATH 0910 & 0920 with grade of “C” or better (or appropriate placement score)

Additional General Education courses available at Saint Paul College:

- PSYC 1720 Psychology throughout the Lifespan
- MnTC Goal 6 course
- MnTC Goal 7, 8, or 10 (may use the Goal 6 course to also meet this requirement)
- *Other courses to meet 30 credit requirement of the MnTC*

### Contact

Students who have not yet applied to MCTC

[admissions.office@minneapolis.edu](mailto:admissions.office@minneapolis.edu)

612-659-6700

• Students who have already applied or attended MCTC

Academic Advisors: Sarah Dahl, LaJune Cain

612-659-6700

## Semester Planning

Fall 20____	Credits	Spring 20____	Credits	Summer 20____	Credits

Total Credits \_\_\_\_\_

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*Total Credits Year 1:* \_\_\_\_\_

Fall 20____	Credits	Spring 20____	Credits	Summer 20____	Credits

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*Total Credits Year 2:* \_\_\_\_\_

Fall 20____	Credits	Spring 20____	Credits	Summer 20____	Credits

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*Total Credits Year 3:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Total Credits Earned:* \_\_\_\_\_

### Next Steps