

Veterinary Nursing Checklist

2023-24 ✓



Degree	Length	Start Dates	Cost*	Class Days	Class Times
Associates of Applied Science	2 years	August	\$13,904	Three days a week 50% online and 50% in person	Daytime 8am-4pm 3 days a week

*Costs listed are approximate and subject to change. Approximate costs include tuition and fees. Does not include books/materials.

YOUR NEXT STEPS:

- 1 Complete and submit WSU Tech application.**
The application is available at all WSU Tech locations and online at www.wsutech.edu/apply
- 2 Request official transcripts (High School and College)**
 - High School or GED transcripts: Official transcripts must be mailed or transferred electronically directly from the issuing institution and received by the Registrar prior to registration. Official transcripts must be in a sealed envelope upon receipt and may not be stamped "student copy."
 - College transcripts: Request official transcripts be sent from each institution from which coursework is to be transferred. Transfer credits must have been earned at an accredited institution. Equivalent coursework for which students have earned a letter grade of a 'C' or better is considered for transfer. Official transcripts must be mailed or transferred electronically directly from the issuing institution and received by the Registrar prior to registration. Official transcripts must be in a sealed envelope upon receipt.

Transcripts must be mailed or delivered directly to:

Wichita State University Campus of Applied Sciences & Technology
Attention: Registrar's Office
4004 N Webb Rd Bldg 100

- 3 Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).**
File the 2023-2024 FAFSA at studentaid.gov
WSU Tech School Code: [005498](http://www.wsutech.edu).
WSU Tech Financial Aid department should receive students' information within 3-5 business days.
- 4 Complete Placement Exams.**
 - Minimum Required Scores: Next Generation Accuplacer Reading – 237, Next Generation Accuplacer Writing – 237, and EdReady General Math – 56 Placement tests are free the first time you take each one.
 - A photo ID is required to take the assessments. Results are valid for three years
 - ACT scores taken within the last three years can be substituted for the ACCUPLACER Next Generation and EdReady tests. Must have minimum scores of: English - 18, Reading - 15, Math - 19
 - College transcripts with credit for English Composition I and Intermediate Algebra with a minimum grade of 'C' can be accepted in place of entrance exams.
- 5 Meet with an Academic Advisor.** Alex Harmon - 316-677-1931 or aharmon1@wsutech.edu
Advising is available by appointment only (The Academic Advisor for the Veterinary Nursing program is located at the WSU South location on 3821 E Harry St). Office Hours are from 8:00am – 5:00pm Mon – Thu and 9:00am - 12:00pm on Fri.

You can schedule an appointment by calling 316-677-9680 or <https://wsutechadvising.as.me/Alex>

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STEPS CONTINUED:

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Classes required before program entry:

- Principles of Biology*
- General Chemistry*
- English Composition I
- Intermediate Algebra
- Computer Applications

*Principles of Biology and General Chemistry must be no older than 5 years at the time of acceptance.

*Blueprint for Personal Success and a Communications Elective are required to graduate, but are not pre-requisites for the program.

ACCEPTANCE

Applying to Program

- Complete 20 hours of observation in a Veterinary Clinic. Hours must be signed off by Veterinarian (request form from Alex Harmon or Amanda Hackerott)
- Attend one information session the semester before your cohort starts. Check with advisor about dates and times.
- Submit a 5 minute application video answering the following question:
 - What are 3 things you noticed about veterinary medicine while shadowing?
 - What are 2 things you learned about yourself during this process, or while shadowing?
 - What is 1 thing you would changed in the profession?
- Video and observation hours can be turned in to Amanda Hackerott, Program Director of Veterinary Nursing, ahackerott@wsutech.edu or 316-677-1610 or Alex Harmon, Academic Advisor at aharmon1@wsutech.edu.
- All students accepted into the Veterinary Nursing program must receive the pre-exposure prophylaxis/rabies vaccine. This is a mandate by the AVMA Committee on Veterinary Technician Education and Activities. https://www.cdc.gov/rabies/prevention/pre-exposure_vaccinations.html
- Minimum age of 18 to be accepted into the program.

Fall 2024 Cohort Application Deadline is May 31st, 2024

Fall 2025 Cohort Application Deadline is May 31st, 2025

WSU TECH CAMPUS LOCATIONS



**NATIONAL CENTER FOR
AVIATION TRAINING (NCAT)**
4004 N. Webb Rd
Wichita, KS 67226

WSU SOUTH
3821 E. Harry
Wichita, KS
67218

CITY CENTER
301 S. Grove
Wichita, KS 67218
(Appointment only)