



# ENC aRIBN

The aRIBN program provides a three-year nursing option that concurrently enrolls students in a Community College and a University – where they complete both their Associate Degree in Nursing and Bachelor's Degree in Nursing.

The Eastern North Carolina aRIBN program dually admits students to East Carolina University\* and one of our local community colleges that partner with the ECU College of Nursing. See the most up to date list of partners here: <https://nursing.ecu.edu/bsn/aribn/>

## Students in the ENC aRIBN Track:

- Complete all first year general education and prerequisite courses satisfactorily with a "C" or better according to the aRIBN curriculum plan for their Community College of choice.
- Are accepted into the Associate Degree Nursing program at one of the Community College partners.
- Complete at least 1 online course per semester at ECU.
- Receive their Associate Degree in Nursing at the end of their second year.
- After passing the state licensure exam, progress to the third year of the program.
- Complete third-year course work online at East Carolina University in the RN to BSN program.

## ADVANTAGES OF aRIBN

- Completion of BSN degree within three years.
- Less expensive than attending a four-year university-based pre-licensure program.
- Added support with aRIBN student success advocates available to assist program participants.
- Option to work as a registered nurse during the third year.

## aRIBN APPLICATION

Please visit our website to fill out our online aRIBN application.  
<https://nursing.ecu.edu/bsn/aribn/apply/>

The application period is from December 14 - April 15 each year. The semester students are applying to the Community College Nursing program is the same semester students apply to aRIBN.

## QUESTIONS? CONTACT US!

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