

Stages of the Initial Assessment for Literacy, Numeracy and Digital Skills

BSc (Hons) Nursing (Adult)

Application Stage

- Student submits written application with personal statement to UCAS – **Literacy and Digital Skills**
- Students scored on Personal Statement (PS) and evidence of English Literacy/Numeracy qualifications on application – **Literacy and Numeracy Skills**
- Digital uploads requested of certificates – **Digital Skills**

Invite to Interview Decision

Yes - Invited to Interview

Rejected. Feedback provided. (Inadequate PS or not meeting entry criteria English/Maths)

Provided information:

Access Programme

Options to obtain L2/GCSE qualifications and then reapply

Interview Stage

Literacy, Numeracy and Digital Skills Assessments

- Multiple Mini Interviews – Scoring criteria includes communication skills and patient assessment chart (numeracy)
- Digital Skills Exercise – watching video and answering questions on laptop, creating, typing skills, and saving a word document – digital skills
- Group Discussion – communication skills
- 1:1 interview – opportunity provided to identify strengths and weaknesses – including numeracy, literacy (academic skills) and digital skills

Accepted

Reject – provided summary of interview feedback on request

Induction Stage

- BKS B Diagnostic Assessment – English and Maths L2
- Digi Skills Assessment

Literacy, Numeracy and Technology Module

1st semester module to assess and develop:

- Healthcare numeracy skills
- Digital literacy skills
- Academic and communication skills

Diagnostic Assessment baseline scores determine personalised support options for students throughout their programme:

1. Access to L2 BKS B modules and assessments (practice / revision)
2. Academic skills support with CASE (Centre for Academic Skills and English)