

**Saint Francis Medical Center College of Nursing
Peoria, Illinois
BSN Summer 2026 Textbook List**

READ THIS FIRST!

The College of Nursing has no bookstore. Some textbooks can be purchased/rented online. Titles, prices, and quantity in stock are subject to change. Prices posted are provided by the publishers and represent the price they charge to the public. If substantive changes are made to this list after publication, your instructor will contact you. If you have questions, please call the College Library at 309-655-2180.

Textbooks Included in Tuition

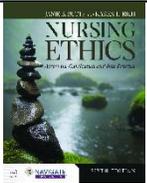
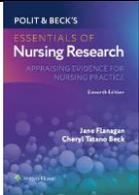
Some of your textbooks and electronic resources have been purchased by the College of Nursing. If it shows “**Institutional**” in the price column, the item has been purchased by the college, **DO NOT BUY AGAIN**. You will receive the textbook and access code on the first day of class. These fees are non-refundable.

Look at the textbook list to determine which additional books you need to buy separately.

Computer Requirements

Students are required to have a laptop. Laptops **MUST** meet the College of Nursing’s computer requirements. Please be aware Chromebooks **DO NOT** meet this requirement and are not compatible with required software.

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Course	Title	Author	Copyright	ISBN/Publisher	Price	Status	
304 Nursing & Healthcare Ethics Enrollment: 115	Nursing Ethics: Across the Curriculum and Into Practice	Butts & Rich	2023 6 th ed	9781284259247 Jones & Bartlett	\$103.95	Required	
304	Ethical and Religious Directives for Catholic Health Care Service	U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops	2025 7 th ed	https://www.usccb.org/resources/ERDs-7th-ed-Approved-2025-11-12.pdf U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops NEW EDITION!		Required	
318 Research for Nursing Practice Enrollment: 50	Essentials of Nursing Research: Appraising Evidence for Nursing Practice	Polit & Beck	2026 11th ed	9781975262907 Wolters Kluwer NEW EDITION!	\$113.99	Required	
318	Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association	APA	2020 7th ed	9781433832154 APA	\$31.99	Required	

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412 Trends & Issues for Professional Nursing Enrollment: 75	Nursing Today: Transition and Trends	Zerwekh	2023 11 th ed	9780323810159 Elsevier	Institutional	Required	
412	Nursing Today: Transition and Trends (online resource)	Zerwekh	2021 10 th ed	9780323763509 Elsevier	Institutional	Required	
436 Trends & Issues for Professional Nursing (RNs only)	Contemporary Nursing: Issues, Trends, and Management	Cherry & Jacob	2025 10th ed	9780443123566 Elsevier	\$88.99	Required	