



# Post Basic Bachelor of Sciences in Nursing [B.Sc. N. (PB)]

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**Assignments**

**2026**

**3rd Year**

**(Revised Courses BNS 209, 210 & 211)**



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Dear Student,

As explained in the Programme Guide, these are six assignments and all these assignments are compulsory. Please note that you are required to score 50% marks in each assignment separately. The assignments carry a weightage of 30% marks towards the final evaluation in theory component and **submission of related assignments is a prerequisite** for appearing in theory term-end examination for respective courses. The subject area of assignments and its last date of submission are mentioned below:

Last Date of Submission	Course Code	Blocks involved	Assignment Code
<b>31 July, 2026*</b>	BNS-209	1, 2	BNS-209/TMA-1
	BNS-210	1, 2	BNS-210/TMA-1
	BNS-211	1, 2	BNS-211/TMA-1
<b>31 August, 2026*</b>	BNS-209	3, 4,5	BNS-209/TMA-2
	BNS-210	3, 4	BNS-210/TMA-2
	BNS-211	3, 4	BNS-211/TMA-2

\*Subject to change by University

Please take note of the following points before writing your assignments:

- Use only foolscap size paper for writing your responses. **Only handwritten assignments** will be accepted. Typed or printed copy of assignments will not be accepted.
- Tie all the pages after numbering them carefully.
- Write the question number with each answer.
- **All the questions are compulsory.**
- Every assignment will be evaluated out of a full mark of 100. Weightage is indicated in parenthesis against each question.

**Suggestions for writing an assignment:**

Read the assignments carefully. Scan through the whole material of the course, answers may be linked within the blocks/units. Draw a rough outline of your answer in your own words. Support your answer from your clinical/community experience. Make a logical order. Then write your answer neatly and submit. Give illustrations and tables wherever necessary. **You may keep a zerox copy of the answer sheets for future reference. Do not copy from print material.**

Answer each assignment in separate sheets. On the first page of the assignment response sheet, write the course code, course title, assignment code, name of your **programme study centre (PSC)** and date of submission. Your Enrollment No., Name and Full address should be mentioned in the top right corner of the first page. The first page of your response sheet should look like the format given below:

Course Code _____	Enrollment No. _____
Course Title _____	Name _____
Assignment Code _____	Address _____
PSC _____	_____
Date of Submission _____	_____

**Please submit the assignments to the Programme In-charge of the Programme Study Centre allotted to you.**

**NURSING EDUCATION AND RESEARCH (BNS 211)**  
**ASSIGNMENT – TMA 1 Block- 1, 2**

**Programme Code: BSCN (PB)**  
**Course Code: BNS 211**  
**Assignment Code: BNS 211/TMA/1/2026**  
**Maximum Marks – 100**  
**Last date of Submission: July 31, 2026**

**Note: Support all questions with examples.**

- 1) a) Describe aim of nursing education  
b) Describe the philosophy of education.  
c) Explain the relationship between philosophy and education. **(5+5+5=15)**
  
- 2) a) Describe the general principles of teaching.  
b) Explain the maxims of teaching with examples. **(5+5=10)**
  
- 3) a) Explain meaning of learning.  
b) Analyse the elements of communication in teaching learning. **(2+8=10)**
  
- 4) Analyse the teacher centred teaching learning methods in light of covid and post covid period. **(10)**
  
- 5) a) Meaning of audio-visual aids used by a teacher for teaching learning.  
b) Describe advantages of audio-visual aids. **(2+8=10)**
  
- 6) a) Explain the types of curriculum.  
b) Analyse the factors that influence the development of the curriculum. **(5+5=10)**
  
- 7) a) Difference between goals and objectives.  
b) Types of educational objectives with examples. **(4+6=10)**
  
- 8) a) Principles of selection of learning experiences for students.  
b) Criteria to be kept in mind by a nursing teacher for selection of learning experiences for nursing students, support with examples. **(5+10=15)**
  
- 9) Explain the following: **(5x2=10)**
  - a. Course Planning
  - b. Unit Planning
  - c. Lesson Planning
  - d. Master Rotation Plan
  - e. Internal Rotation Plan

**NURSING EDUCATION AND RESEARCH (BNS 211)**  
**ASSIGNMENT – TMA 2 Block- 3, 4**

**Programme Code: BSCN (PB)**  
**Course Code: BNS 211**  
**Assignment Code: BNS 211/TMA/2/2026**  
**Maximum Marks – 100**  
**Last date of Submission: August 31, 2026**

**Note: Support all questions with examples.**

- 1) a) Describe the importance of research in nursing.  
b) Explain the research process and draw a flow chart highlighting the steps of research process **(3+7=10)**
  
- 2) Describe the ethical principles of research followed by a researcher. **(10)**
  
- 3) a) Analyse the purposes of literature review in research.  
b) Describe the sources of review of literature. **(5+5=10)**
  
- 4) a) Differentiate between qualitative, quantitative and mix research approach and support with examples.  
b) Describe the purposes of survey approach. **(9+6=15)**
  
- 5) a) Explain the purposes of sampling.  
b) Differentiate between following with examples
  - Probability and Non-Probability Sampling
  - Simple random and Stratified random Sampling
  - Cluster and Systematic Sampling**(6+9=15)**
  
- 6) a) Explain the following with examples
  - Nominal and Ordinal level of measurement
  - Interval and Ratio level of measurementb) Differentiate between mean, median, mode with examples. **(3+3+3+3+3=15)**
  
- 7) a) Explain meaning of term variability and normal distribution with examples.  
b) Differentiate between range and standard deviation with examples. **(3+6+3+3=15)**
  
8. Explain the following: **(5x2=10)**
  - a. Correlation
  - b. Co-efficient of Correlation
  - c. Sampling Error with example
  - d. Type I error with example
  - e. Type II error with example