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

**Assignments
2025
3rd Year**



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Dear Student,

As explained in the Programme Guide, there are six assignments in total 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
31 st July, 2025*	BNS-209	1, 2	BNS-209/TMA-1
	BNS-210	1, 2	BNS-210/TMA-1
	BNS-211	1, 2	BNS-211/TMA-1
31 st August, 2025*	BNS-209	3, 4	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 copies 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 xerox 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 2 Block- 3, 4

Programme Code: B.SCN (PB)

Course Code: BNS 211

Assignment Code: BNS 211/TMA/2/2025

Maximum Marks – 100

Last date of Submission: August 31, 2025

Note: Support all questions with examples. All questions are compulsory

- 1) a) Describe the importance of nursing research.
b) Explain the meaning of variables and types of variables with examples. (4+6=10)
- 2) a) Explain the meaning of hypothesis.
b) Describe various types of hypotheses with example. (2+8=10)
- 3) Describe the stages of research process. (10)
- 4) a) Explain ethical considerations in nursing research.
b) Describe the ethical principles to be kept in mind. (8+7=15)
- 5) a) Describe the sources of literature review support with examples.
b) Explain the screening the literature review information and steps to be followed by a researcher. (5+10=15)
- 6) Explain the following with examples of research studies
 - a) Quantitative research approach
 - b) Qualitative research approach
 - c) Mixed method research approach (5+5+5=15)
- 7) a) Explain the steps of development of any research tool for collection of data with example.
b) Describe the various ways to administer a tool for collection of data. (10+5=15)
- 8) Explain the following: (5x2=10)
 - a. Operational definition
 - b. Conceptual framework
 - c. Content validity of research tool
 - d. Non-Probability sampling
 - e. Survey method