

## TRANSFER ADVISING GUIDE

### Associate of Arts (A.A.) Liberal Arts from Raritan Valley Community College to a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) History at Rider University

<i>RARITAN VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE COURSE</i>	<b>Cr</b>	<i>RIDER UNIVERSITY COURSE/AREA SATISFIED</i>	<b>Cr</b>
<i>A.A., Liberal Arts</i>		<i>B.A., History (120 Credits)</i>	
<b>First Semester</b>			
ENGL 111 English Composition I	3	CMP 120 Seminar in Writing & Rhetoric	3
Social Science <sup>2</sup> <b>For transfer credit Rider suggests:</b> SOC 101 Intro to Sociology	3	SOC 101 Sociological Imagination	3
Mathematics <sup>1,2</sup> <b>For transfer Rider suggests:</b> MATH 100 Finite Mathematics (3) <b>OR</b> MATH 101 Number Systems (3) <b>OR</b> MATH 102 Problem Solving Strategies (3)	3	MTH 102 Finite Mathematics (3)	3
Studio Arts <sup>7</sup>	3	Fine Arts <sup>⓪</sup>	3
Foreign Language <sup>3</sup> A two-semester sequence of the same language is required.	3	Foreign Language Proficiency <sup>⓪</sup> (FRE, ITA, SPA CHI) A two-semester sequence of the same language is required.	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Second Semester</b>			
ENGL 112 English Composition II	3	CMP 125 Seminar in Writing & Research	3
Social Science <sup>1</sup> <b>For transfer credit Rider suggests:</b> POL 121 American National Government <b>OR</b> POL 101 American Government & Politics	3	Social Perspectives <sup>⓪</sup>  POL 100 Intro to American Politics <b>OR</b> POL 102 Understanding Politics	3
Communication <sup>2</sup> <b>For transfer credit Rider suggests:</b> COMM 101 Speech Communication	3	Oral Communication <sup>⓪</sup>  COM 104 Speech Communication	3
Foreign Language <sup>3</sup> A two-semester sequence of the same language is required.	3	Foreign Language Proficiency <sup>⓪</sup> (FRE, ITA, SPA CHI) A two-semester sequence of the same language is required.	3
Free Elective <sup>5</sup>	3	CLAS Elective <sup>⓪</sup>	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Third Semester</b>			

Lab Science Sequence <sup>2,8</sup> BIOL 111 Principles of Biology (4) <u><b>OR</b></u> BIOL 120 Human Biology (4) <u><b>OR</b></u> BIOL 150 Plants, Human & the Environment (4) <u><b>OR</b></u> CHEM 102 Intro to Chemistry (4) <u><b>OR</b></u> GEOL 157 Intro to Geology (4) <u><b>OR</b></u> PHYS 112 Concepts of Physics (4) <u><b>OR</b></u> PHYS 130 Astronomy (4)	4	Transfer Credit <u><b>OR</b></u> BIO 100 Life Science: Human Emphasis (3) <u><b>OR</b></u> Transfer Credit (4) <u><b>OR</b></u> CHE 100 Introduction to College Chemistry (3) <u><b>OR</b></u> GEO 100 Earth Systems Science (3) <u><b>OR</b></u> Transfer Credit <u><b>OR</b></u> PHY 180 Astronomy (4)	4
History <sup>2</sup> <b>For transfer Rider suggests:</b> HIST 101 World Civilization I	3	Historical Perspectives HIS 150 World History to 1500	3
English Literature <sup>2</sup> <b>For transfer Rider suggests the following courses:</b> ENGL-201, ENGL-214, ENGL-215, ENGL-221, ENGL-221, ENGL-222, ENGL-223, ENGL-224, ENGL-226, ENGL-227, ENGL-231, ENGL-233, ENGL-235, ENGL-236, ENGL-290 and ENGL-228.	3	Literature <sup>υ</sup> ENG-205, ENG-229, ENG-220, ENG-210, ENG-210, ENG-229, ENG-290, ENG-270, ENG-224, ENG-228, ENG-217, ENG-250, ENG-251, ENG-230 and ENG-221.	3
Free Elective <sup>5</sup> <b>For transfer credit Rider suggests:</b> PHIL 210 Feminist Philosophy	3	Philosophical Perspectives <sup>υ</sup> PHL 230 Philosophy of the Sexes	3
Technological Competency <sup>6</sup> <b>For transfer credit Rider suggests:</b> COMP 102 Computer Literacy <u><b>OR</b></u> CSIT 103 Computer Concepts & Programming <u><b>OR</b></u> CSIT 105 Foundations of Computer Science	2	CIS 185 Information Systems Essentials <u><b>OR</b></u> Free Elective <sup>υ</sup> <u><b>OR</b></u> CIS 185 Information Systems Essentials	2
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Fourth Semester</b>			
Mathematics or Science <sup>2</sup> <b>For transfer Rider suggests Science (Math requirement met)</b> GEOL 157 Introduction to Geology (3)	3	Scientific Perspectives <sup>υ</sup> GEO 100 Earth Systems Science (3)	3
History <sup>2</sup> HIST 102 World Civilization II	3	Historical Perspectives HIS 151 World History Since 1500	3
English Literature or Appreciation of the Arts <sup>2</sup>	3	LAS Elective <sup>υ</sup>	3
Humanities <sup>2</sup>	3	LAS Elective <sup>υ</sup>	
Global & Cultural Awareness <sup>4</sup>	3	LAS Elective <sup>υ</sup>	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>
	<b>60</b>		<b>60</b>

**Raritan Valley Community College Footnotes:**

- 1 Mathematics by official placement. Students may not take courses below placement level, except by permission of department chairperson.
- 2 Select a course from the appropriate category of the [General Education](#) list.
- 3 A two-semester sequence is required. Placement by examination is required for students who wish to continue studying a language previously studied. Students may not take courses below their placement level. For more information, see [Foreign Language Placement Testing and Degree Requirements](#).
- 4 Any General Education course that is listed as a Global and Cultural Awareness (GCA) course. If a course satisfies both the Global and Cultural Awareness Requirement and another General Education requirement in Social Science or Humanities, the student may select any course from the General Education list. However, students planning to transfer to Rutgers University should choose a Global & Cultural Awareness General Education course, or an additional Social Sciences or Humanities General Education course with the GCA designation.
- 5 Any college-level course.
- 6 Select a course from the appropriate category of the [General Education](#) list. Students who pass the Technological Competency test (no credit) should select a Mathematics or Science course from the General Education list. A minimum of 12 credits of Math, Science, or Technological Competency are required.
- 7 Students may fulfill this 3-credit requirement with any ARTS, MUSC,DANC, THEA, GDEV, or IDMX course EXCLUDING the following: [MUSC 102 Music Appreciation](#) , [MUSC 103 Rock N' Roll History and Culture](#) , [MUSC 105 Survey of Jazz Music](#) , [MUSC 107 Introduction to World Music](#) , [DANC 110 Dance Appreciation](#) , [DANC 121 World Dance History](#) , [THEA 103 Introduction to Theatre](#) , [THEA 107 History of Theatre: Classical](#) , [THEA 108 History of Theatre: Modern](#) .
- 8 Students are advised to select from the following one-semester Science Courses: [BIOL 111 Principles of Biology](#) , [BIOL 120 Human Biology](#) , [BIOL 150 Plants, Humans & the Environment](#) , [CHEM 102 Introduction to Chemistry](#) , [GEOL 157 Introduction to Geology](#) [PHYS 112 Concepts of Physics](#) , [PHYS 130 Astronomy](#) .

**Rider University Footnotes:**

- ∩ Students have a number of options to fulfill this requirement; courses will be evaluated on an individual basis.
- For transfer credit RVCC students must have a grade of “C” or better. (No transfer credit will be accepted for any course with a grade of “C-“ or below.)

<p><b>FREE Rider Course Option:</b></p> <p><b><u>Select one of the following courses:</u></b></p> <p><b>HIS-200-Native American History (3)</b>  <b><u>OR</u></b>  <b>HIS-249-Women in Europe from Antiquity to French Revolution (3)</b>  <b><u>OR</u></b>  <b>HIS-273-Inmperial Russia (3)</b>  <b><u>OR</u></b>  <b>HIS-274-Modern Russia (3)</b>  <b><u>OR</u></b>  <b>HIS-280-Vietnam in Peace &amp; War (3)</b>  <b><u>OR</u></b>  <b>HIS-286-Modern East Asia (3)</b>  <b><u>OR</u></b>  <b>HIS-289-History of Modern Japan (3)</b></p>	<p><b>Rider Course Option:</b></p> <p>Following completion of 30 credits and the Rider Intent to Enroll Form and while a student at RVCC; students have the option to take a free course at Rider that counts toward the Rider degree. This course allows the RVCC student to experience first-hand the academic environment at Rider.</p> <p>See RVCC or Rider Transfer Representatives for additional information.</p> <p>Contact information listed below.</p>	<p><b>3</b></p>
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**Requirements are subject to change. This Advising Guide is best used in consultation with an advisor.**

**COURSES REMAINING FOR A BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE IN HISTORY AT RIDER UNIVERSITY\***

Course Number	Rider University Course Name or Core Area	Credits	Notes* (if course can be taken at RVCC, indicate course number)

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:**

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