

# TRANSFER ADVISING GUIDE

## “EXHIBIT A”

A.A. Liberal Arts & Sciences from Mercer County Community College to B.A. Journalism at Rider University			
<i>MERCER COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE COURSE</i>	<i>Cr</i>	<i>RIDER UNIVERSITY COURSE/AREA SATISFIED</i>	<i>Cr</i>
<i>A.A. Liberal Arts &amp; Sciences</i>		<i>B.A. Journalism (120 Credits) Signed 11-15-24</i>	
<b>First Semester</b>			
CSW 100 College Success & Personal Wellness	2	NOT TRANSFERRABLE	0
ENG 101 English Composition I	3	CMP 120 Seminar in Writing & Rhetoric	3
LAS 101 Introduction to Liberal Arts Studies	0/1	CAS Elective <sup>‡</sup>	0/1
MAT 125 Elementary Statistics I	3	MTH 120 Intro to Applied Statistics	3
HIS- Historical Perspective/General Ed.. Elective		Historical Perspectives <sup>‡</sup>	
HIS 101 History of Western Civil. To 1648 <b>OR</b> HIS 112 World History to 1500	3	HIS 150 Pre-Modern World: Evolution to Revolution	3
Social Science General Education Elective <b>Rider suggests for transfer credit</b>	3	Social Perspectives (Authorized as exception for Mercer agreements per Brooke Hunter for Social Perspective category)	3
PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology		PSY 100 Introduction to Psychology	
	<b>14/15</b>		<b>12/13</b>
<b>Second Semester</b>			
CMN 111 Speech: Human Communication <b>OR</b> <b>Rider suggests for transfer credit:</b> CMN 112 Public Speaking	3	COM 104 Speech Communications	3
ENG 102 English Composition II	3	CMP 125 Seminar in Writing & Research	3
HIS Historical Perspective General Ed. Elective <b>Rider suggests for transfer credit:</b> HIS 102 History of Western Civil. Since 1648 <b>OR</b> HIS 113 World History Since 1500	3	Historical Perspective <sup>‡</sup>  HIS 151 World in the Modern Era: Exploration to Globalization	3
MAT Mathematics Elective: MAT 120 Mathematics for the Liberal Arts <b>OR</b> MAT 126 Elementary Statistics II	3	<b>Mathematical Reasoning</b> <sup>‡</sup> MTH 102 Finite Mathematics <b>OR</b> MTH 1XX Math Elective <sup>‡</sup>	3
Social Science General Education Elective <b>Rider suggests for transfer credit:</b> SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology	3	Social Perspectives <sup>‡</sup>  SOC 101 Sociological Imagination	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Third Semester</b>			
ENG Literature Elective <b>Rider suggests for transfer credit:</b> ENG 131 Journalism I		Aesthetic Perspectives: Literature <sup>‡</sup>  COM 102 Introduction to News Writing	

ENG 201 Introduction to Literature Drama ENG 202 Introduction to Literature: Novel ENG 211 Shakespeare ENG 212 Introduction to Literature: Poetry ENG 213 African American Literature ENG 220 Science fiction Literature ENG 221 Women in Literature ENG 227 English Literature I ENG 238 American History & Literature	3	ENG 363 The Drama ENG 362 The Novel ENG 217 Introduction to Shakespeare ENG 270 Introduction to Poetry ENG 228 Black American Literature ENG 224 Science Fiction ENG 230 Women in Literature ENG 250 Literary History I ENG 210 Major American Authors	3
Lab Science Elective <b>Select one of the following courses:</b> BIO 113 Biological Science Concepts CHE 106 Chemical Science Concepts OHT 101 Plant Science PHY 111 Physical Science Concepts	3	Scientific Perspectives – 3 Credit Non Lab Courses  BIO 100 Life Science CHE 115 Chemistry & Society SCI 1XX Science Elective SCI 1XX Science Elective	3
Social Science Elective <b>Rider Social Sciences Courses met for transfer credit</b>	3	Social Perspectives <sup>⌚</sup> CAS Elective <sup>⌚</sup>	3
World Language Elective Take one language in progressive sequence	3	Foreign Language Perspective <sup>⌚</sup>	3
Diversity & Global Perspective Education Elective <b>Rider suggest for transfer credit:</b> POL 201 International Relations	3	Global Perspectives <sup>⌚</sup> POL 215 Global Politics	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Fourth Semester</b>			
Liberal Arts Special Topics	0/1	CAS Elective <sup>⌚</sup>	0/1
Philosophy Elective <b>Rider suggests for transfer credit:</b> PHI 102 Introduction to Philosophy <b>OR</b> PHI 113 Logic <b>OR</b> PHI 204 Ethics <b>OR</b> PHI 220 Philosophy of Politics:	3	Philosophical Perspectives <sup>⌚</sup> PHL 102 Philosophical Thinking <b>OR</b> PHL 110 Logic & Language <b>OR</b> PHL 115 Ethics <b>OR</b> PHL 130 Political Philosophy	3
Diversity & Global Perspective Elective Aesthetic Appreciation ART 121 History of Art I <b>OR</b> ART 122 History of Art II <b>OR</b> MUS 103 Introduction to Music <b>OR</b> THR 101 Introduction to Theatre	3	Aesthetic Perspectives: Fine Arts <sup>⌚</sup> ART 104 Survey of Art History I <b>OR</b> ART 106 Survey of Art History II <b>OR</b> MUS 120 Music & Society <b>OR</b> THE 120 Theatre Appreciation	3
World Language Elective <sup>⌚</sup> Mercer – Take one language in progressive sequence	3	Foreign Language Proficiently <sup>⌚</sup>	3
Program Elective <sup>8</sup> <b>Rider suggests for transfer credit:</b> CMN 101 Communication, Culture & Media	3	CAS Elective <sup>⌚</sup> COM 105 Communication, Culture & Media	3
Program Elective <sup>8</sup> <b>Rider suggests for transfer credit if not taken already:</b> ENG 131 Journalism I (Listed in 3 <sup>rd</sup> semester)	3	CAS Elective <sup>⌚</sup> <b>OR</b> COM 102 Introduction to News Writing	3
	<b>15/16</b>		<b>15/16</b>
	<b>60</b>		<b>60</b>

**Mercer County Community College Footnotes:****Rider University Footnotes:**

Ø – Students have a number of options to satisfy this requirement; courses will be evaluated on an individual basis.

Mercer students interested in the Continuing Education Program (CEP) at Rider should contact that division directly.

For transfer credit the Mercer student must have a grade of “C” or higher in all courses for transfer credit. No transfer credit will be accepted for any course with a grade of C- or below.)

**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 JOURNALISM AT RIDER UNIVERSITY\***

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

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT**

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