

Rowan College of South Jersey (RCSJ), Gloucester Campus & La Salle University
Transfer Guide for Arts and Sciences Philosophy Option (A.A.) at RCSJ
To Philosophy (B.A.) at La Salle University

RCSJ Courses	cr.	La Salle University Courses Satisfied	cr.
ENG 101 English Composition I	3	ENG 110 College Composition I: Persuasion	3
Math Elective: recommend MAT 101 or 102	3	MTH 150 Myths and Realities	3
PHI 101 Introduction to Philosophy	3	PHL 151 The Examined Life	3
ART 101 Art Appreciation or MUS 101 Music Appreciation	3	ART 150 Intro to Art or MUS 150 The Art of Listening	3
HIS 101 History of Western Civilization I	3	HIS 359 Europe to 1400	3
ENG 102 English Composition II	3	ENG 210 College Composition II: Research	3
Math Elective: MAT 101 or higher (note: MAT 109, 110 and 115 are not transferable)	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
PSY 101 General Psychology	3	PSY 155 Intro to Psychology	3
HIS 102 History of Western Civilization II	3	HIS 360 Europe from 1400 to the present	3
HPE Health and Physical Education Elective	1-3	Not transferable	0
PHI Program Option Elective: recommend PHI 150 Critical Thinking	3	PHL 264 Critical Thinking	3
Lab Science Elective: any except any except FSC 106, PHY 107 and PHY 121	4	Science Credit	4
English Literature Elective	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Global and Cultural Awareness Elective	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
General Ed Elective	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
PHI Program Option Elective: see recommendations	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
SPE 101 Oral Communication	3	COM 150 Presentation Skills	3
Lab Science Elective: any except FSC 106, PHY 107 and PHY 121	4	Science Credit	4
SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 150 Principles of Sociology	3
PHI Program Option Elective: see recommendations	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Total Minimum Credits	60		

***Please NOTE: Students may complete the requirements for the bachelor’s degree program within two years, although certain majors may require more than 20 courses, which could result in extended time at La Salle.**

RCSJ-La Salle Dual Admission Students: Please refer to the Dual Admission application for eligibility requirements. Students interested in applying to La Salle through the Dual Admission program must sign the Dual Admission Application before completing 45 college-level credits. The Dual Admission Agreement includes a Core-to-Core component. Under the Dual Admission agreement, La Salle University’s Core will essentially be fulfilled by the Core at Rowan College of South Jersey. In order to meet the requirements of La Salle’s Core, students must take one CORE “qualifier” at La Salle, REL 100: Religion Matters. This course must be taken at La Salle because there is no equivalent course offered at the community college.

Non-Dual Admission students who transfer to La Salle University will be required to complete the entire La Salle Core, which includes courses in a number of disciplines. Coursework can be taken at La Salle or prior to transfer. Seek advisement for course options and visit the La Salle website, www.lasalle.edu, to view the current course catalog.

** When equivalent courses are worth different credit amounts, the course will be satisfied and the amount of credit earned will transfer.*

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Notes for Dual Admission Applicants:

- 1) Dual Admission applications must be completed on La Salle University's website, www.lasalle.edu, before 45 college credits are earned. It is free to apply online.
- 2) Additional courses beyond the associate degree can be taken at RCSJ to meet program requirements at La Salle.
- 3) RCSJ transcript must be sent one semester prior to graduating to the Office of Transfer Admission, La Salle University, 1900 W Olney Ave, Philadelphia, PA 19141.
- 4) Final official transcripts must be sent by the student as soon as the final semester is completed and associate's degree conferred.
- 5) Students must uphold a grade point average of 2.5 or higher to qualify for Dual Admission.
- 6) All Dual Admission applicants for full-time day programs will be eligible for the Dual Admission Achievement Scholarship.

Additional Notes for all applicants (Dual Admission and regular transfer):

- 1) For the Philosophy Program Electives: At La Salle, it is required to take either PHL 151 or PHL 152 for this major. Since students at RCSJ are required to take PHI 101, which satisfies PHL 151, taking PHI 104 would not fulfill a graduation requirement (as this satisfies PHL 152). It is recommended to take PHI 150 Critical Thinking, equivalent to PHL 264 at La Salle, satisfying a major requirement. PHI 110 Religions of the World transfers as Religion Credit, not Philosophy, and doesn't fulfill a graduation requirement.
- 2) The maximum amount of transfer credits awarded cannot exceed 70.
- 3) At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle.
- 4) For admission review, official transcripts must be sent from all previous colleges attended.
- 5) All full-time day applicants will be eligible for the merit-based Founder's Scholarship. The award amount will depend on grade point average and quality of curriculum.
- 6) The Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship is offered to all full-time day transfer applicants who are members of PTK with a 3.5 cumulative GPA or above. Proof of membership is required to qualify for this scholarship.
- 7) Non-Dual Admission students should seek advisement on General Education Elective courses that will satisfy the La Salle Core.
- 7) Students are strongly advised to use this guide with the assistance of transfer services at RCSJ. The information in this transfer guide is subject to change. Therefore, students are advised to check periodically with transfer services for up-to-date information and to contact La Salle for advisement on major requirements that can be taken at RCSJ. Following this guide does not guarantee the transfer of credit or admission to La Salle University.

Contact Information

La Salle University

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Rowan College of South Jersey

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Requirements for Completion of B.A., Philosophy major, at La Salle University

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12
 Total number of courses required for graduation: 38-40
 Number of major credits required for graduation: 36
 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

Per the Dual Admission Agreement, the CORE is satisfied by the associate's degree earned, except for the following CORE Qualifier(s) that must be completed:

Course(s) at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
REL 100 Religion Matters	Not applicable	Must be taken at La Salle

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 6 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
PHL 151, PHL 152, PHL 153 or PHL 154	PHI 101=PHL 151	Required for A.A.
PHL 264 or PHL 325	PHI 150 Critical Thinking=PHL 264	Program Option Elective
PHL 311 or PHL 313 or PHL 323		
PHL 326 The Dawn of Reason: Ancient Greek Philosophy		
PHL 327 Angels & Demons: Romance of Medieval Phil		
PHL 328 (Early) Modern Philosophy		
PHL 329 Contemporary Philosophy		
PHL 480 Seminar		
4 Philosophy Electives (may not include PHL 151, 152, 153 or 154)	PHI 201, 210= Philosophy Electives; PHI 204=PHL 212	Program Option Electives

*3 Philosophy Program Option courses are required for this A.A. If additional courses listed above are taken at RCSJ they may transfer to satisfy major requirements.

Free Electives

In addition to the requirements listed above, students must take enough courses to fulfill graduation credit requirements for their School and major.

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