

**Raritan Valley Community College (RVCC) & La Salle University**  
**Transfer Guide for Liberal Arts (A.A.) to (but not limited to)**  
**Art History, Economics, English, History, Philosophy, Political Science,**  
**Psychology, Social Work and Sociology (B.A.) at La Salle University**

| RVCC Courses   | cr. | La Salle University Courses Satisfied | cr. |
|--|-----|---------------------------------------|-----|
| ENGL 111 English Composition I   | 3   | ENG 110 College Writing I: Persuasion | 3   |
| Social Science Course: Economics, Political Sci, Psychology, Social Work and Sociology majors, seek advisement | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| Mathematics Course: Economics, Psychology, Social Work and Sociology majors, seek advisement                   | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| Studio Arts: Art History majors, seek advisement   | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| Foreign Language Course  | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
|  |     |                                       |     |
| ENGL 112 English Composition II  | 3   | Elective Credit                       | 3   |
| Social Science Course: Seek advisement   | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| Communication Course   | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| Foreign Language Course  | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| Free Elective: Seek advisement   | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
|  |     |                                       |     |
| Science (lab): Social Work majors, seek advisement   | 4   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| History Course: History majors, seek advisement  | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| English Literature: English majors, seek advisement  | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| Free Elective: Seek advisement   | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| Technological Competency   | 2   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
|  |     |                                       |     |
| Mathematics or Science Course  | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| History Course: History majors, seek advisement  | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| English Literature or Appreciation of the Arts: English and Art History majors, seek advisement                | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| Humanities Course  | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| Global and Cultural Awareness Course: Seek advisement  | 3   | Credit given depends on course taken  | 3   |
| Minimum credits to graduate  | 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.**

**RVCC-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 The Raritan Valley Community College. In order to meet the requirements of La Salle's Core, students must take two CORE "qualifiers" at La Salle: REL 100 Religion Matters and ENG 210 College Writing II: Research. Students must take these at La Salle as there are no equivalents at RVCC. Please see additional notes regarding Dual Admission on the reverse side.

**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](http://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](http://www.lasalle.edu), before 45 college credits are earned. It is free to apply online.
- 2) Additional courses beyond the associate's degree can be taken at RVCC to meet program requirements at La Salle.
- 3) For admission review, an official RVCC transcript (and transcripts from all prior institutions) 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) A final official transcript 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) The maximum amount of transfer credits awarded cannot exceed 70.
- 2) At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle.
- 3) For admission review, official transcripts must be sent from all previous colleges attended.
- 4) 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.
- 5) The Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship is offered to all qualified 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.
- 6) 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 RVCC. 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 the Assistant Dean at La Salle, listed below, for advisement on major requirements that can be taken at RVCC. 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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**Raritan Valley Community College**

Advising & Counseling Services, 908 526 1200 x8336 [acs@raritanval.edu](mailto:acs@raritanval.edu)

## Requirements for Completion of B.A. at La Salle University

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 |
| ENG 210 College Writing II: Research | Not applicable               | Must be taken at La Salle |

### Free Electives

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

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### Art History

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

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                             |
|---|---|-----------------------------------|
| Choose 2 of the following: ARTH 150, ARTH 201, ARTH 202                 | ARTH 101=ARTH 150; ARTH 110= ARTH 201; ARTH 111=ARTH 202                                  | Appreciation of the Arts Elective |
| 5 ARTH 200- or 300-level courses  | ARTH 110= ARTH 201; ARTH 111= ARTH 202; ARTH 208= ARTH 270; ARTH 223=ARTH 310             | Free Electives/Extra Course*      |
| 1 of the following: ART course or another ARTH 200- or 300-level course | ART courses include: ARTS 105, 108,110,111, 121,210,211, 218 219, 228, 229, 242, 246, 247 | Studio Art Elective               |
| ARTH 320 Topics in Contemporary Art or ARTH 322 Topics in American Art  |   |                                   |
| ARTH 340 Art & Culture or ARTH 370 Special Topics in Art History        |   |                                   |
| ARTH 380 Research Seminar   |   |                                   |
| ARTH 460 Internship or ARTH 480 Exhibition Seminar                      |   |                                   |

\*Two free Electives are required for the A.A. Additional courses beyond the A.A. can be taken at RVCC to satisfy major requirements at La Salle.

### Economics

Number of major courses required for graduation: 15

Total number of courses required for graduation: 38

Number of major credits required for graduation: 49

Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

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 7 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

| Required Major Courses at La Salle      | Equivalent at Partner School                                       | Notes   |
|---|--|---|
| ECN 150 Introductory Macroeconomics     | ECON 101 Macroeconomics  | Social Science Elective                             |
| ECN 201 Introductory Microeconomics     | ECON 102 Microeconomics  | Social Science Elective                             |
| ECN 213 Statistics for Econ and Pol Sci |  |   |
| ECN 314 Econometrics                    |  |   |
| ECN 221 Intermediate Microeconomics     |  |   |
| ECN 222 Intermediate Macroeconomics     |  |   |
| ECN 441 History of Economic Thought     |  |   |
| ECN 481 Seminar in Economics            |  |   |
| 5 ECN electives                         | ECON 202=ECN 331;<br>ECON 210=Economics Elective                   | Free Electives                                      |
| MTH 114 or MTH 120                      | MATH 151=MTH 120   | Mathematics Elective                                |
| 1 additional Social Science course      | Most PSYC, POLI, SOCI or ANTH<br>(Note: ANTH 120 doesn't transfer) | Global/Cultural Awareness Elective or Free Elective |

### English

Number of major courses required for graduation: 13

Total number of courses required for graduation: 40

Number of major credits required for graduation: 39

Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. No more than 5 courses taken outside the department can count toward the 13 major requirements. Such courses include AP credit, courses taken while studying abroad, and courses taken at another institution.

| Required Major Courses at La Salle  | Equivalent at Partner School                  | Notes                |
|---|---|----------------------|
| ENG 180 Intro to Literary Study   | ENGL 201 Intro to Literature                  | English Lit Elective |
| ENG 245 Survey of Brit Lit to 1798  | ENGL 235 Eng Lit: Mid Ages-18 <sup>th</sup> C | English Lit Elective |
| ENG 246 Survey of Brit Lit since 1798   | ENGL 236 Eng Lit: Romantic-Present            | Free Elective*       |
| ENG 248 Survey of Amer Lit to 1865  | ENGL 221 Amer Lit: Colonial-Civ War           | Free Elective*       |
| ENG 249 Survey of Amer Lit since 1865   | ENGL 222 Amer Lit: Post Civ War-Pres          | Extra Course*        |
| ENG 324 Shakespeare   |   |                      |
| ENG 480 Capstone  |   |                      |
| 1 course in Lit before 1900: ENG 441, 442, 446; note: ENG 351, 567, 370-379, 437 may meet requirement depending on course topic |   |                      |
| 2 ENG courses at 400-level  |   |                      |
| 2 Lit courses at 300- or 400-level  |   |                      |
| 1-4 free ENG electives  |   |                      |

\*Two free Electives are required for the A.A. An additional course beyond the A.A. can be taken at RVCC to satisfy a major requirement at La Salle.

### History

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

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                                       |
|--|------------------------------------|---|
| 1 of: HIS 200, HIS 202 or HIS 205                                  | HIST 201=HIS 200; HIST 202=HIS 205 | History Elective                            |
| 1 of: HIS 206, HIS 251 or HIS 255                                  | HIST 102=HIS 251                   | History Elective                            |
| 1 additional HIS 300- or 400-level course                          |                                    |   |
| HIS 481 Seminar  |                                    |   |
| <b>One of the following Concentrations</b>                         |                                    |   |
| <b>Americas Concentration</b>                                      | Americas Courses:                  |   |
| 5 Americas 300-349 electives and 3 Afro-Eurasian 350-399 electives | HIST 191, 239, 250, 259            | Free Electives/ Extra Courses*              |
| <b>Afro-Eurasian Concentration</b>                                 | Afro-Eurasian Courses:             |   |
| 5 Afro-Eurasian 350-399 electives and 3 Americas 300-349 electives | HIST 212<br>HIST 204               | Free Elective*<br>Global/Cultural Awareness |

\*Two free Electives are required for the A.A. Additional course(s) beyond the A.A. can be taken at RVCC to satisfy major requirement(s) at La Salle.

### Philosophy

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

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                              | PHIL 101 or 201=PHL 151; or<br>PHIL 114=PHL 152   | PHIL 101, 114=Humanities Elec; PHIL 201=Free Elec* |
| PHL 264 or PHL 325  | PHIL 103 or 113=PHL 264                           | Humanities Elec/Free Elec*                         |
| PHL 311 or PHL 313 or PHL 323                                     |   |  |
| PHL 326 Ancient Greek Philosophy                                  | PHIL 102 Ancient and Medieval Phil                | Humanities Elec/Free Elec*                         |
| 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) | PHIL 210=PHL 339<br>PHIL 106 or PHIL 114H=PHL 212 | Global/Cultural Awareness<br>Humanities/Free Elec* |

\*One Humanities and two Free Electives are required for this A.A. Additional coursework beyond the A.A. can be taken at RVCC to satisfy major coursework at La Salle.

### Political Science

Number of major courses required for graduation: 14

Total number of courses required for graduation: 38-40

Number of major credits required for graduation: 42

Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

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 7 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

| Required Major Courses at La Salle   | Equivalent at Partner School       | Notes                   |
|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| POL 120 European Politics  |                                    |                         |
| POL 151 Principles of American Govt  | POLI 121 American Gvt and Politics | Social Science Elective |
| POL 171 Political Analysis   |                                    |                         |
| POL 221 Politics of the Developing World   |                                    |                         |
| POL 240 International Relations  | POLI 231 International Relations   | Social Science Elective |
| POL 260 Ancient Political Theory   |                                    |                         |
| POL 341 Globalization/Decision-Making  |                                    |                         |
| POL 361 Modern Political Theory  |                                    |                         |
| POL 480 Senior Seminar   |                                    |                         |
| POL 481 Senior Seminar II  |                                    |                         |
| 4 POL electives: including, but not limited to: POL 301, 302, 303, 305, 310, 311, 314, 316 | POLI 210 = POL 305                 | Free Elective           |

### Psychology

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12

Total number of courses required for graduation: 40

Number of major credits required for graduation: 37

Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

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  |
|---|---|--|
| MTH 150 Mathematics Myths & Realities                                     | MATH 101R, MATH 103C or MATH 110                      | Mathematics Elective                                 |
| PSY 155 Intro to Psychology   | PSYC 103 Intro to Psychology                          | Social Science Elective                              |
| PSY 310 Stats I   | MATH 111 Statistics II or MATH 117                    | Mathematics Elective                                 |
| PSY 311 Stats II  |   |  |
| PSY 330 Research Design I   |   |  |
| 3 of the following Psychology Electives: PSY 405, 410, 415, 420, 425, 430 |   |  |
| 4 additional Psychology Electives   | PSYC 201, 203, 211, 212, 215, 216, 222, 229; HMNS 213 | PSYC203=Global/Cultural Elec; Others: Free Electives |

### Social Work

Number of major courses required for graduation: 15 (plus 5 supporting courses)

Total number of courses required for graduation: 40

Number of major credits required for graduation: 45

Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

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 7 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

| Required Major Courses at La Salle | Equivalent at Partner School | Notes |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------|
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------|

|   |                                   |   |
|---|-----------------------------------|---|
| BIO 158 Life Science: A Human Approach        | BIOL 120 Human Biology            | Science Elective                                      |
| POL 151 Principles of American Government     | POLI 121 American Gvt & Politics  | Social Science Elective                               |
| SOC 150 Principles of Sociology               | SOCI 101 Intro to Sociology       | Social Science Elective                               |
| SOC 301 Principles of Statistics (or HSC 217) | MATH 110 or 111                   | Mathematics Elective                                  |
| Psychology course that is not Statistics      | Any PSYC except 213 and 228       | PSYC 203=Global/Cultural Elec                         |
| SWK 160 Intro to Social Work                  | HMNS 102 Intro to Social Work     | Free Elective   |
| SWK 280 Dynamics of Human Dev & Diversity     | HMNS 201 Human Beh & Soc Env      | Free Elec/Extra Course*                               |
| SWK 281 Dynamics of People in Diverse Env     |                                   |   |
| SWK 391 Social Work & Social Policy           | HMNS 207 Social Policy & Politics | Free Elec/Extra Course*                               |
| SWK 340 Prep for Professional Practice        |                                   |   |
| SWK 365 Social Work Research                  |                                   |   |
| SWK 341 Generalist Practice with Individuals  |                                   |   |
| SWK 381 Introductory Field Practicum          |                                   |   |
| SWK 460 Gen Practice w Families & Groups      |                                   |   |
| SWK 461 Gen Practice w Orgs & Communities     |                                   |   |
| SWK 480 Generalist Field Practicum A          |                                   |   |
| SWK 481 Generalist Field Practicum B          |                                   |   |
| SWK 495 Professional Considerations in SWK    |                                   |   |
| SWK Elective                                  |                                   |   |
| SWK Elective                                  | HMNS 110, 205, 212, 220           | Only 1 course can transfer to satisfy a SWK Elective* |

\*Two free Electives are required for the A.A. Additional course(s) beyond the A.A. can be taken at RVCC to satisfy major requirement(s) at La Salle.

### Sociology

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

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                              |
|--|--|------------------------------------|
| SOC 150 Principles of Sociology  | SOCI 101 Intro to Sociology                                | Social Science Elective            |
| SOC 151 Social Problems and Social Policy  | SOCI 201 Contemporary Social Prob                          | Free Elective                      |
| SOC 231 Love, Relations, Family or<br>SOC 260 Men and Women in Cont Society                      | SOCI 202 Marriage and Family                               | Free Elective                      |
| SOC 262 Dynamics of Race and Ethnicity   | SOCI 231 American Minority Relations                       | Global/Cultural Awareness Elective |
| SOC 301 Stat I   | MATH 110 or 111 Statistics                                 | Mathematics Elective               |
| SOC 302 Stat II  |  |                                    |
| SOC 310 Social Theory  |  |                                    |
| SOC 480 Methods  |  |                                    |
| 4 of the following: SOC 233, 238, 265, 237, 270, 306, 308, 312, 481, 340; CRJ 161, 340, 350, 387 | SOCI 236=SOC 238;<br>CRMJ 101=CRJ 161;<br>CRMJ 204=CRJ 387 | Extra Course*                      |

\*Two free Electives are required for the A.A. An additional course beyond the A.A. can be taken at RVCC to satisfy a major requirement at La Salle.