

Raritan Valley Community College (RVCC) & La Salle University
Transfer Guide for Liberal Arts Social Science Option (A.A.)
to Psychology, Sociology or Political Science (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 Core	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
History Course	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Mathematics Course: Seek advisement	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Humanities Track Course	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
ENGL 112 English Composition II	3	ELT 940 Elective Credit	3
Social Science Core	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
History Course	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Humanities Track Course	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Science (lab)	4	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Social Science Core	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Communication Course	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Humanities Track Course	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Social Science Elective: Seek advisement	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
SSCI 101 Technological Literacy Across Social Sciences	2	Courses under 3 credits do not transfer	0
Social Science Core	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Mathematics or Science: Seek advisement	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Social Science Elective: Seek advisement	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Global and Cultural Awareness Course: Seek advisement	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Free Elective: 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, 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'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

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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	Note
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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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	Note
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	Note
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 Core
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	Social Science Elective or HMNS 213=Free Elective

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	Note
SOC 150 Principles of Sociology	SOCI 101 Intro to Sociology	Social Science Core
SOC 151 Social Problems and Social Policy	SOCI 201 Contemporary Social Prob	Social Science Elective
SOC 231 Love, Relations, Family or SOC 260 Men and Women in Cont Society	SOCI 202 Marriage and Family	Social Science 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; CRMJ 101=CRJ 161; CRMJ 204=CRJ 387	Free Elective