

Reading Area Community College (RACC) and La Salle University
Transfer Guide for Criminal Justice (A.A.S.) at RACC
to Criminal Justice (B.A.) at La Salle University

RACC Courses	cr.	La Salle University Courses Satisfied	cr.
CSS 103 College Success Strategies	3	Elective Credit	3
COM 121 English Composition I	3	ENG 110 College Writing I: Persuasion	3
IFT 110 Microcomputer Applications	3	CSC 151 Intro to Computing Using Packages	3
GE Humanities	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
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GE Mathematics: MAT 150 or MAT 210 (<i>Note, BUS 110 is not transferable</i>)	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
GE Natural/Physical Science (<i>Note, the following are not transferable: PHY 120, PHY 150</i>)	3-4	Science Credit	3-4
GE Social Science	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
LAW 135 Intro to Criminal Justice	3	CRJ 161 Intro to Criminal Justice	3
LAW 140 Criminal Law	3	CRJ 280 Criminal Law	3
PSY 120 Interpersonal Relations and Communication	3	COM 102 Interpersonal Communication	3
LAW 146 Law Enforcement Systems	3	CRJ 324 Policing Theory and Dynamics	3
LAW 155 American Legal System	3	CRJ 325 Criminal Courts	3
LAW 185 Criminology	3	CRJ 261 Criminology	3
POS 130 American Government	3	POL 151 Principles of American Government	3
LAW 165 The Correctional Process	3	CRJ 326 Institutional and Community Corrections	3
LAW 200 Legal Procedures	3	CRJ 330 Constitutional Procedures in Policing	3
LAW 285 Juvenile and Domestic Law	3	Elective Credit	3
LAW 255 Law Enforcement and Community Relations	3	Elective Credit	3
LAW 180 Crisis Intervention Strategies	3	Elective Credit	3
LAW 245 Community Corrections	3	Elective Credit	3
Minimum Total 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.

RACC-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 RACC. In order to meet the requirements of La Salle's Core, students must take two CORE "qualifiers" at La Salle: ENG 210 (can be satisfied by COM 221 at RACC) and REL 100 Religion Matters. REL 100 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 RACC to meet program requirements at La Salle.
- 3) RACC 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.

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

- 1) At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. A maximum of 6 courses will transfer to La Salle as Criminal Justice major requirements. All other transferable LAW courses will transfer as general elective credit.
- 2) The maximum amount of transfer credits awarded cannot exceed 90.
- 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 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 RACC. 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 RACC. Following this guide does not guarantee the transfer of credit or admission to La Salle University.

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