

Raritan Valley Community College (RVCC) & La Salle University
Transfer Guide for Criminal Justice (A.S.)
to Criminal Justice (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
Mathematics Course	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
SOCI 101 Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 150 Principles of Sociology	3
COMP 102 Computer Literacy	3	CSC 151 Intro to Computing Using Packages	3
CRMJ 101 Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	CRJ 161 Intro to Criminal Justice	3
ENGL 112 English Composition II	3	Elective Credit	3
Science (lab)	4	Credit given depends on course taken	4
COMM 101 Speech or COMM 110 Interpersonal Communication	3	COM 150 Presentation Skills COM 102 Interpersonal Communication	3
CRMJ 211 Criminology or CRMJ 212 Juvenile Justice	3	CRJ 261 Criminology CRJ 320 Delinquency and Juvenile Justice	3
Criminal Justice Elective: Recommend one of: CRMJ 131 Police and the Community CRMJ 210 Police Organization and Management CRMJ 211 Criminology or CRMJ 212 Juvenile Justice	3	CRJ 324 Policing: Theory & Dynamics CRJ 326 Institutional & Community Corrections CRJ 261 Criminology CRJ 320 Delinquency and Juvenile Justice	3
PSYC 103 Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 155 Intro to Psychology	3
CRMJ 232 Criminal Law	3	CRJ 280 Criminal Law	3
HIST 201 US History: Beginnings to 1877 or HIST 202 US History: 1877 to Present	3	HIS 200 US Republic to 1877 HIS 205 US Since 1877	3
Criminal Justice Elective: see list above	3	CRJ Credit (see list above)	3
Free Elective	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
POLI 121 American Government and Politics	3	POL 151 Principles of American Government	3
CRMJ 233 Criminal Procedure	3	CRJ 330 Constitutional Procedures in Policing	3
PHIL 106 Current Moral and Social Issues or PHIL 114 Ethics	3	PHIL 152 Ethics and the Good Life	3
Free Elective	2	Courses with less than 3 credits do not transfer	0
Global and Cultural Awareness Course	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 90.
- 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., Criminal Justice major, at La Salle University

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12

Total number of courses required for graduation: 38

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	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

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
CRJ 161 Intro to Criminal Justice	CRMJ 101 Intro to Criminal Justice	Required for A.S.
CRJ 261 Criminology	CRMJ 211 Criminology	Required for A.S.
CRJ 480 Research Methods		
CRJ 495 Ethics/Senior Seminar		
SOC 262 Dynamics of Race and Ethnicity		
SOC 301 Stat I		
SOC 302 Stat II		
Choose 1 of the following: CRJ 324, 325, 326	CRMJ 131 Police and the Community=CRJ 324 or CRMJ 210 Police Organization and Management=CRJ 326	Criminal Justice Elective Criminal Justice Elective
Choose 4 of the following, 3 of which must be CRJ: CRJ 201, 280, 320, 324, 325, 326, 340, 350, 370, 387, 483; SOC 265; ENG 308; CRJ 481-482	CRMJ 212 Juvenile Justice=CRJ 320 CRMJ 232 Criminal Law=CRJ 280	Criminal Justice Elective Required for A.S.

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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