



2018 RAI Core Course List



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Admission of freshmen to the Iowa Regent universities is based on the Regent Admission Index (RAI) formula described below. In addition, applicants must meet the minimum high school course requirements for the university they wish to enter. Because your school issues class rank, your RAI formula is:

- (2 x ACT composite score)
- + (1 x percentile high school rank)
- + (20 x high school GPA)
- + (5 x number of high school core courses)

Note: For purposes of calculating the RAI, SAT scores will be converted to ACT composite equivalents, 99% is the top value for high school rank, 4.00 is the top value for GPA, and the number of high school core courses completed is expressed in terms of years or fractions of years (e.g., one semester equals 0.5 year). Applicants who do not possess all required factors will be evaluated on an individual basis by the Regent universities to which they apply.

Freshman applicants who achieve at least a 245 RAI score and who meet the minimum number of high school courses required by the Regent universities will qualify for automatic admission to any of the three Regent universities. Freshman applicants who achieve less than a 245 RAI score may also be admitted to a specific Regent university; however, each Regent university will review these applications on an individual basis and the admission decision will be specific to each institution.

Regent Admission Index Score

MEDIAPOLIS HIGH SCHOOL, MEDIAPOLIS, CORE COURSES APPROVED FOR RAI

Source: 2017-2018 SRI Winter data. (Note: course numbers in parentheses refer to community college course numbers.)

English	CU*	Math	CU*	Science	CU*	Social Studies	CU*	World Languages	CU*
Advanced Literature	0.5	Algebra 1	1	Anatomy	1	Abnormal Psychology [PSY241]	0.5	French 1 (ILO)	0.5
Advanced Publications	0.5	Algebra 1B	1	Biology	1	American Government	0.5	French 2 (ILO)	0.5
American Literature	0.5	Algebra 2	1	Chemistry	1	American History	1	French 3 (ILO)	0.25
British Literature	0.5	Calculus	1	Earth Science	0.5	AP U.S. Government	0.5	Spanish 1	1
Communications	0.5	Calculus 1 [MAT210]	0.5	Environmental Science	0.5	AP U.S. History	1	Spanish 2	1
Composition	0.5	Geometry	1	EnvSci [ENV111]	0.67	Child Psychology [PSY222]	0.5	Spanish 3	1
Composition 1 [ENG105]	0.5	Pre-Calculus	1	Essentials of Anat & Phys w/Lab [BIO163]	0.5	Contemp Global Issues [SOC186]	0.5	Spanish 4	1
Composition 2 [ENG106]	0.5	Pre-Calc Mathematics [MAT128]	0.5	Genetics	0.5	Contemporary World Issues	0.5		
Creative Writing	0.5			Genetics [BIO146]	0.5	Developmental Psychology [PSY121]	0.5		
English	0.5			Human Anat & Phys 1 w/Labs [BIO168]	0.5	Intro to Ethics [PHI105]	0.5		
Expository Writing	0.5			Intro to Earth Sci [PHS185]	0.5	Intro to Philosophy [PHI101]	0.5		
Fact & Fiction	0.5			Microbiology & Lab [BIO186]	0.5	Intro to Psychology [PSY111]	0.5		
Forensic Speech	0.5			Physical Science	0.5	Intro to Sociology [SOC110]	0.5		
Intro to Lit [LIT101]	0.5			Physics	1	Juvenile Delinquency [SOC230]	0.5		
Public Speaking	0.5			Principles of Engrg (PLTW)	0.5	Legal Systems	0.5		
Public Speaking [SPC112]	0.5			Zoology	1	Marriage & Family [SOC120]	0.5		
Publications	0.5					Modern U.S. History	0.5		
						Nazi Germany [HIS224]	0.5		
						Principles of Macroecon [ECN120]	0.5		
						Principles of Microecon [ECN130]	0.5		
						Psychology	0.5		
						Psychology of Gender [PSY262]	0.5		

MEDIAPOLIS HIGH SCHOOL CORE COURSES APPROVED FOR RAI (cont.)

Source: 2017-2018 SRI Winter data. (Note: course numbers in parentheses refer to community college course numbers.)

English	CU*	Math	CU*	Science	CU*	Social Studies	CU*	World Languages	CU*
						Race, Gender, Ethnicity	0.5		
						Social Problems	0.5		
						Social Problems [SOC115]	0.5		
						Social Studies	0.5		
						Sociology	0.5		
						Survey of World Religions [REL101]	0.5		
						U.S. History to 1878 [HIS 151]	0.5		
						US History since 1877 [HIS 152]	0.5		
						Wstrn Civ: Ancient to Modern [HIS 110]	0.5		
						Wstrn Civ: Modern to Present [HIS 111]	0.5		
						World Regional Geography [GEO 121]	0.5		
Total English		Total Math		Total Science		Total Social Studies		Total World Languages	

**The numbers in this column represent the Carnegie units awarded for each course. This number should be multiplied by 5 to determine the number of RAI points awarded for the course.*

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