

2024 RAI Core Course List

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY







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.

(3 x ACT composite score) + (30 x high school GPA)

+ (5 x number of years of high school core courses)

Regent Admission Index Score

Note: For purposes of calculating the RAI, SAT scores will be converted to ACT composite equivalents, 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.

FORT DODGE HIGH SCHOOL, FORT DODGE, CORE COURSES APPROVED FOR RAI

Source: 2023-2024 SRI Winter data. (Note: course numbers in parentheses refer to community college course numbers.

English	Yrs* Math		Source: 2023-2024 SRI Winter data. (Note: cou Yrs* Science		Yrs* Social Studies		Yrs* World Languages		Yrs* Computer Science		Yrs*
American Literature	0.5	Algebra 1	1	AP Biology	1	American Government	0.5	American Sign Lang I [ASL131]	0.9	AP Computer Science A	1
AP English Lang & Comp	1	Algebra 2	1	AP Chemistry	1	American History	1	AP Spanish Lang & Cultures	1		
British Literature	0.5	College Alg & Trig [MAT127]	0.5	Biology	1	American Ntnl Govt [POL111]	0.5	Arabic 1	1		
College Prep Composition	0.5	Geometry	1	Chemistry	1	Ancient Civilization	0.5	French 1	1		
Comparative Literature	0.5	Pre-Calculus	1	Human Anat & Phys I [BIO168]	0.5	AP Microeconomics	1	French 2	1		
Composition	0.5	Probability & Statistics	0.5	Human Anat & Phys II [BIO173]	0.5	AP Psychology	0.5	French 3	1		
Composition I [ENG105]	0.5	Statistics [MAT157]	0.5	Intro to Organic & Biochemistry Lab [CHM131]	0.5	Applied Personal Psychology	0.5	French 4	1		
Composition II [ENG106]	0.5	Topics of Math	1	Intro to Organic & Biochemistry [CHM130]	0.5	Criminology [CRJ200]	0.5	Spanish 1	1		
Creative Writing Lab	0.5	Trigonometry	0.5	Microbiology [BIO186]	0.5	Developmental Psychology [PSY121]	0.5	Spanish 2	1		
Debate	0.5			Physics	1	Ethnic Studies	0.5	Spanish 3	1		
English 09	1					Intro Psychology	0.5	Spanish 4	1		
English 09 Honors	1					Intro to Ethical Conflicts [PHI145]	0.5				
English 10	1					Intro to Human Services [SOC150]	0.5				
English 10 Honors	1					Intro to Philosophy [PHI101]	0.5				
Public Speaking [SPC112]	0.5					Intro to Psychology [PSY111]	0.5				
Speech Communications	0.5					Intro to Sociology [SOC110]	0.5				

FORT DODGE HIGH SCHOOL CORE COURSES APPROVED FOR RAI (cont.)
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English	Yrs* Math	Yrs* Science	Yrs* Social Studies	Yrs* World Languages	Yrs* Computer Science	Yrs*
Study of Leadership Lit	0.5		Issues in American Affairs	0.5		
			Principles of Macroecon [ECN120]	0.5		
			Principles of Microecon [ECN130]	0.5		
			Social Problems [SOC115]	0.5		
			Social Psychology	0.5		
			Social Psychology [PSY251]	0.5		
			Sociology	0.5		
			U.S. History Since 1877 [HIS152]	0.5		
			U.S. History to 1877 [HIS151]	0.5		
			Wstrn Civ: Ancient to Early Modern [HIS110]	0.5		
			World Geography	0.5		
			World Studies	1		
Total English	Total Math	Total Science	Total Social Studies	Total World Languages	Total Computer Science	

^{*} The numbers in this column should be multiplied by 5 to determine the number of RAI points awarded for the course.

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