

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.

PLEASANT VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL, BETTENDORF, CORE COURSES APPROVED FOR RAI

English	Yrs	* Math	Yrs*	Science	Yrs'	Social Studies	Yrs*	World Languages	Yrs	Computer Science	Yrs*
AP Lang & Comp	1	Adv Alg & Trig	1	Anatomy & Physiology	1	American Government	0.5	American Sign Lang I Lab [ASL142]	0.5	AP Computer Science A	1
AP Lit & Comp	1	Algebra 1	1	AP Environmental Science	0.5	AP Human Geography	1	American Sign Lang I [ASL141]	0.5	Computer Sci Principles	1
Composition I [ENG105]	0.5	Algebra 2	1	AP Physics	1	AP Macroeconomics	0.5	American Sign Lang II Lab [ASL172]	0.5		
Composition II [ENG106]	0.5	AP Calculus AB	1	Astronomy [PHS152]	0.5	AP U.S. Govt & Politics	0.5	American Sign Lang II [ASL171]	0.5		
Creative Writing	0.5	Applications of Statistics & Probability	1	Biology	1	AP U.S. History	1	American Sign Lang III [ASL245]	1		
English 09	1	Calculus I [MAT210]	0.5	Chemistry	1	Economics: Principles & Practices	0.5	American Sign Lang IV [ASL281]	0.5		
English 10	1	Calculus II [MAT216]	0.5	Earth Science	1	Educational Psychology [PSY281]	0.5	AP French	1		
English 11	1	Calculus III [MAT219]	0.5	General Chemistry I [CHM165]	0.5	Humanities of the Early World [HUM135]	0.5	AP Spanish	1		
Hnrs Journalistic Writing: Media Lit	0.5	Diff Eqtns w/ Laplace [MAT227]	0.5	Microbiology	0.5	Humanities of the Renaissance [HUM136]	0.5	Elem German I [FLG141]	0.5		
Journalistic Writing: Media Lit 1	0.5	Discrete Math	0.5	Organic Chemistry	0.5	Intro to Psychology [PSY111]	0.5	French 1	1		
Lit of Genre Novels Study	0.5	Geometry	1	Physical Science	1	Intro to Sociology [SOC110]	0.5	French 2	1		
Lit: 1960's to Today	0.5	Intro to Algebra 2	1	Physics	1	Modern U.S. History	1	French 3	1		
Public Speaking [SPC112]	0.5	Pre-Calculus	1	Principles of Engineering	1	U.S. History since 1877 [HIS152]	0.5	French 4	1		
World Literature	0.5	Statistics [MAT156]	0.5			World History	1	Japanese 4	1		

PLEASANT VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL CORE COURSES APPROVED FOR RAI (cont.)
Source: 2023-2024 SRI Winter data. (Note: course numbers in parentheses refer to community college course n

English	Yrs* Math	Yrs* Science	Yrs* Social Studies	Yrs* World Languages	Yrs* Computer Science	Yrs
				Spanish 1	1	
				Spanish 2	1	
				Spanish 3	1	
				Spanish 4	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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