



2024 RAI Core Course List



IOWA STATE
UNIVERSITY

University of
Northern Iowa

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OF IOWA

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)

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.

Regent Admission Index Score

BALLARD COMMUNITY SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, HUXLEY, 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	Yrs*	Science	Yrs*	Social Studies	Yrs*	World Languages	Yrs*	Computer Science	Yrs*
Adv American Studies & Comp	1	Adv Algebra	1	Adv Biology	1	American Ntnl Govt [POL111]	0.5	Spanish 1	1	Computer Sci Principles	0.5
Adv Survey of English	1	Adv Geometry	1	Adv Chemistry	1	AP U.S. History	1	Spanish 2	1		
American Studies & Comp	1	Algebra 1	1	Adv Physical Science	1	Country Study [GLS200]	0.5	Spanish 3	1		
AP Composition 2 [ENG106]	0.5	AP Calculus AB	1	Anatomy & Physiology	1	Developmental Psychology [PSY121]	0.5	Spanish 4	1		
AP English 105 [ENG105]	0.5	AP Statistics	1	AP Chemistry	1	Economics	0.5				
AP Intro to Lit [LIT101]	0.5	Calculus	1	AP General Physics 1 [PHY160]	0.5	Encounters in Humanities [HUM116]	0.5				
AP Lit 185 [LIT185]	0.5	Calculus I [MAT211]	0.5	AP Physics	0.5	Global Issues	1				
Composition I [ENG105]	0.5	Geometry	1	Astronomy [PHS152]	0.5	Intro to Ethics [PHI105]	0.5				
Composition II [ENG106]	0.5	Intermediate Alg w/ Statistics	1	Biology	1	Intro to Geography [GEO111]	0.5				
Composition II: Technical Writing [ENG108]	0.5	Statistics	1	Chemistry	1	Intro to Philosophy [PHI101]	0.5				
Creative Writing	0.5	Statistics [MAT156]	0.5	Env Sci [ENV115]	0.5	Intro to Psychology [PSY111]	0.5				
Fund of Oral Comm [SPC101]	0.5	Trigonometry	1	Genetics	0.5	Intro to Sociology [SOC110]	0.5				
Individualized Reading	0.5			Physical Science	1	Marriage & Family [SOC120]	0.5				
Senior English	1			Principles of Physics	1	Modern World History	1				
Survey of English	1			Zoology	0.5	Principles of Macroecon [ECN120]	0.5				
World Lit & Comp	1					Principles of Microecon [ECN130]	0.5				
						Psychology	0.5				
						Social Problems [SOC115]	0.5				
						Social Psychology [PSY251]	0.5				
						Survey of World Religions [REL101]	0.5				
						The Middle East & Islam [GLS220]	0.5				
						U.S. Government	0.5				

BALLARD COMMUNITY SENIOR 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*
			U.S. History	1		
			Wstrn Civ: Ancient to Early Modern [HIS110]	0.5		
			Wstrn Civ: Early Modern to Present [HIS111]	0.5		
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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