



# 2025 RAI Core Course List



IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

University of Northern Iowa

THE UNIVERSITY 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.

*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.

- (3 x ACT composite score)
- + (30 x high school GPA)
- + (5 x number of years of high school core courses)

Regent Admission Index Score

## ESTHERVILLE LINCOLN CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL, ESTHERVILLE, CORE COURSES APPROVED FOR RAI

*Source: 2024-2025 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 Communications          | 0.5  | Adv Algebra 2               | 1    | Biology                            | 1    | Abnormal Psychology [PSY241]                | 0.5  | Elem Spanish I [FLS141] | 0.5  | Adv Computer Science | 1    |
| Communications              | 0.5  | Algebra 1                   | 1    | Chemistry                          | 1    | AP U.S. History                             | 0.5  | Spanish 1               | 1    |                      |      |
| Composition I [ENG105]      | 0.5  | Algebra 2                   | 1    | Earth Science                      | 1    | Child & Adolescent Psychology [PSY223]      | 0.5  | Spanish 2               | 1    |                      |      |
| Composition II [ENG106]     | 0.5  | Calculus                    | 0.5  | Env Studies I [EVS114]             | 0.5  | Contemporary World Issues                   | 0.5  | Spanish 3               | 1    |                      |      |
| Contemporary Reading        | 0.5  | Calculus I [MAT210]         | 0.5  | Env Studies II [EVS124]            | 0.5  | Criminology [CRJ200]                        | 0.5  | Spanish 4               | 1    |                      |      |
| Creative Writing            | 0.5  | College Alg & Trig [MAT127] | 0.5  | Essentials of Anat & Phys [BIO163] | 0.5  | Developmental Psychology [PSY121]           | 1    |                         |      |                      |      |
| Creative Writing [ENG221]   | 0.5  | College Algebra [MAT120]    | 0.5  | General Biology II [BIO113]        | 0.5  | Government                                  | 1    |                         |      |                      |      |
| English 09                  | 1    | College Algebra [MAT121]    | 0.5  | Human Anat & Phys I [BIO168]       | 0.5  | Intro to Philosophy [PHI101]                | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |
| English 10                  | 1    | Essentials of Algebra       | 1    | Human Anat & Phys II [BIO173]      | 0.5  | Intro to Psychology [PSY111]                | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |
| English 11                  | 1    | Geometry                    | 1    | Integrated Science                 | 0.5  | Intro to Sociology [SOC110]                 | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |
| Fund of Oral Comm [SPC101]  | 0.5  | Pre-Calculus                | 0.5  | Nutrition [BIO151]                 | 0.5  | Iowa History [HIS201]                       | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |
| Interpersonal Comm [SPC122] | 0.5  | Statistics                  | 0.5  | Physical Science                   | 1    | Marriage & Family [SOC120]                  | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |
| Intro to Lit [LIT101]       | 0.5  | Statistics [MAT156]         | 0.5  | Physics                            | 1    | Psychology                                  | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |
| Public Speaking [SPC112]    | 0.5  |                             |      |                                    |      | Social Problems [SOC115]                    | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |
| The Short Story [LIT161]    | 0.5  |                             |      |                                    |      | U.S. History                                | 1    |                         |      |                      |      |
| Young Adult Lit [LIT184]    | 0.5  |                             |      |                                    |      | U.S. History 1945 to Present [HIS251]       | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |
|                             |      |                             |      |                                    |      | Wstrn Civ: Early Modern to Present [HIS111] | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |
|                             |      |                             |      |                                    |      | World History                               | 1    |                         |      |                      |      |
|                             |      |                             |      |                                    |      | World History Geography                     | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |
|                             |      |                             |      |                                    |      | World People Studies                        | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |
|                             |      |                             |      |                                    |      | World Regional Geography [GEO121]           | 0.5  |                         |      |                      |      |

**ESTHERVILLE LINCOLN CENTRAL 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* |
|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|------|
| <b>Total English</b> | <b>Total Math</b> | <b>Total Science</b> | <b>Total Social Studies</b> | <b>Total World Languages</b> | <b>Total Computer Science</b> |      |

\* 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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