



2020 RAI Core Course List



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

LINN-MAR HIGH SCHOOL, MARION, CORE COURSES APPROVED FOR RAI

Source: 2019-2020 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 English 1	1	Algebra 1	1	Anatomy & Physiology	1	Adv U.S. History	1	American Sign Lang I [ASL141]	0.5		
Adv English 2	1	Algebra 1B	1	Anat & Phys Blended	1	Adv U.S. History Blended	1	AP French	1		
Adv English 3	1	Algebra 2	1	Anat & Phys I [BIO168]	0.5	AP American Government	1	French 1	1		
Adv English 3 Blended	1	Algebra 2 Blended	1	Anat & Phys II [BIO173]	0.5	AP Comparative Government	1	French 2	1		
AP English 1	0.5	AP Calculus AB	1	AP Biology	1	AP Microeconomics	1	French 3	1		
AP English 2	1	AP Calculus BC	1	AP Biology	0.5	AP Psychology	1	French 4	1		
College Grammar	0.5	AP Calculus BC	0.5	AP Chemistry	1	AP World History	1	Intermediate Spanish 1 [FLS241]	0.5		
College Reading	0.5	AP Statistics	1	AP Chemistry	0.5	AP World History	0.5	Intermediate Spanish 2 [FLS242]	0.5		
Composition I [ENG105]	0.5	Calculus III [MAT219]	0.5	AP Environmental Science	1	Economics	0.5	Spanish 1	1		
Composition II [ENG106]	0.5	Geometry	1	AP Physics	1	Encounters in Humanities [HUM116]	0.5	Spanish 2	1		
Contemporary Literature	0.5	Pre-Calculus	1	Applied Chemistry & Physics	1	Government	0.5	Spanish 3	1		
Creative Writing	0.5			Astronomy	0.5	Government Blended	0.5	Spanish 4	1		
Creative Writing Blended	0.5			Bioethics	0.5	Intro Psychology	0.5	Spanish 4 Blended	1		
English 1	1			Biology	1	Intro Psychology Blended	0.5	Spanish 5	1		
English 2	1			Biology Blended	1	Intro to Sociology [SOC110]	0.5				
English 3	1			Chemistry	1	Law & the Constitution	0.5				
English 3 Blended	1			Earth & Space Science	1	Marriage & Family [SOC120]	0.5				
Fund of Oral Comm [SPC101]	0.5			Earth & Space Sci Blended	1	Popular Culture [HUM142]	0.5				
Intro to College Writing	0.5			Earth Science	1	Social Problems [SOC115]	0.5				
Journalism	0.5			Earth Science Blended	1	Sociology	0.5				
Speech	0.5			Geology	0.5	Sociology Blended	0.5				
Speech Blended	0.5			Meteorology	0.5	Survey of World Religions [REL101]	0.5				

LINN-MAR 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*
				Physics 1	1	U.S. History	1				
				Physics 1 Blended	1	U.S. History Blended	1				
				PLTW - Principles of Engrg [EGT410]	0.5	U.S. History Since 1877 [HIS152]	0.5				
						U.S. History to 1877 [HIS151]	0.5				
						World History	1				
						World History Blended	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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