2021 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.

    (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.

POCAHONTAS AREA HIGH SCHOOL, POCAHONTAS, CORE COURSES APPROVED FOR RAI

Source: 2020-2021 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*
American Literature	0.5	Algebra 1	1	Adv Chemistry	1	Abnormal Psychology [PSY241]	0.5	American Sign Lang I [ASL131]	0.5		
Composition I [ENG105]	0.5	Algebra 1B	1	Anatomy	1	Criminology [CRJ200]	0.5	French 1 (OW)	0.5		
Composition II [ENG106]	0.5	Algebra 2	1	Anat & Phys I [BIO168]	0.5	Current Events	0.5	Spanish 1	1		
Contemporary Novels	0.5	AP Calculus AB	1	Anat & Phys II [BIO173]	0.5	Developmental Psychology [PSY121]	0.5	Spanish 2	1		
Creative Writing	0.5	Geometry	1	Biology	1	Economics	0.5	Spanish 3	1		
English 09	1	Pre-Calculus	1	Chemistry	1	Historical Milestones	0.5	Spanish 4	1		
English 10	1	Probability & Statistics	1	Earth Science 09	0.5	History & Sports	0.5				
English 11	1	Statistics [MAT157]	0.5	Environmental Science 11	0.5	Inside the Criminal Mind	0.5				
English 12	0.5			Integrated Science 11	0.5	Intro to Human Services [SOC150]	0.5				
Films/Literature	0.5			Physical Science	0.5	Intro to Philosophy [PHI101]	0.5				
Intro to Lit [LIT101]	0.5			Physics	1	Intro to Psychology [PSY111]	0.5				
Lens, Light & Paper	0.5					Intro to Sociology [SOC110]	0.5				
Public Speaking [SPC112]	0.5					Macroeconomics [ECN120]	0.5				
World Literature	0.5					Microeconomics [ECN130]	0.5				
						Military Geography	0.5				
						National Treasure	0.5				
						Social Problems [SOC115]	0.5				
						Social Psychology [PSY251]	0.5				
						U.S. Government	0.5				
						U.S. History	1				
						U.S. History Since 1877 [HIS152]	0.5				
						U.S. History to 1877 [HIS151]	0.5				

POCAHONTAS AREA HIGH SCHOOL CORE COURSES APPROVED FOR RAI (cont.)

Source: 2018-2019 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*
						West Civ: Ancient to Early Mod [HIS 112]	0.5				
						West Civ: Early Modern to Pres [HIS 113]	0.5				
						World History	1				
						World Regional Geography [GEO 121]	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.