Office of Academic Services (OAS)
Newark College of Arts and Sciences (21)
University College – Newark (62)
Core Curriculum/Degree Requirements

Total: 38 Credits

(Please refer to the Rutgers - Newark Undergraduate Online Catalog for specific information regarding degree requirements)

Core Curriculum

Basic Writing Skills (6 credits)
English Composition 355:101 & 102 or 103/104*
(If placed into 355:098 or 099 see back of this form for additional information)
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________

Quantitative Reasoning (3 credits)
Any Math Course 640:106 or Higher*
(If placed into 640:104 or 105 see back of this form for additional information)
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________

Natural Sciences (8 credits)
Approved Courses from Biology, Chemistry, or Earth and Environmental Sciences (Not Sequential)
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________

Social Sciences (6 Credits)
Approved Courses from Anthropology and Sociology, Economics, Political Science, or Psychology (Not Sequential)
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________

History and Literature (9 credits)
At least 1 from History and 1 from Literature. The third course can be in either subject.
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________

Arts & Media (3 credits)
Approved Course in Art, Art History, Graphic Design, Music, or Theater
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________

Other Liberal Arts (3 credits)
Approved Course from Philosophy, African American Studies, or Women’s Studies
Course ___________________ - Semester ___________________

Degree Requirements

1. Successfully completing at least 120 academic credits.
2. Successfully completing the college’s core curriculum.
3. Successfully completing one of the major programs of study.*
4. Successfully completing a second concentration.*
5. Successfully completing the Writing Across the Curriculum - Students must successfully complete 2 Writing Intensive (WI) courses. One Writing Intensive course must be from within the department of the major. WI courses have a “Q” in the prefix of the section number.*
6. Successfully completing the Foreign Language requirement (See Online Catalog)
7. Successfully earning a minimum cumulative grade-point average of 2.0 or better. (Major departments may require a higher GPA)

*A minimum of a “C” is required for each course to satisfy the requirement
Developmental Courses

MUST be taken each semester until they are successfully completed. These courses serve as the prerequisite to completing the core curriculum Basic Writing and/or Quantitative Reasoning courses.

Note: If you are placed into these courses (as determined by the placement test administered by Rutgers-Newark) the remedial components of the courses DO NOT count as degree credits toward graduation. These courses are identified with an “N” as the prefix of the credit.

English/ Writing Skills Courses:
Grammar & Composition - 049:110 (N3 Cr)
Communication Skills - 355:098 (N4.5 Cr)
Communication Skills - 355:099 (2 Cr) & 355:001 (N2.5 Cr)
Course __________- Semester __________
Course __________- Semester __________

Math Courses:
Intermediate Algebra Intensive -640:104 (3 Cr) & 640:038 (N3 Cr)
Intermediate Algebra - 640:105 (3 Cr)
Course __________- Semester __________
Course __________- Semester __________

Useful Websites

Rutgers - Newark
http://www.newark.rutgers.edu/

Office of Academic Services
http://www.ncas.rutgers.edu/oas

Degree Navigator
dn.rutgers.edu

Schedule of Classes
http://sis.rutgers.edu/soc

Web Registration
https://sims.rutgers.edu/webreg/

Rutgers Newark Online Catalog
http://catalogs.rutgers.edu

Rutgers Connect Login
http://it.rutgers.edu/rutgers-connect/

Blackboard
http://blackboard.rutgers.edu