

Liberal Arts

Are you seeking to learn more about the world around you?

Do you have a passion for the pursuit of knowledge?

The Program

The Liberal Arts Associate in Arts program offers the equivalent of the first two years in a four-year baccalaureate program. The program allows students to easily continue their education, or enter the workforce. A faculty advisor works with each student to design the program that best meets the student's future plans. Requirements of the four-year college for transferring students will guide some of their selections; the future plans and areas of interest for each student will also contribute to each student's program design.

Job Opportunities

Liberal Arts studies focuses on developing critical thinking and communication skills - which according to the National Association of Colleges and Employers, are highly sought after by employers. Therefore, students who complete the Liberal Arts Associate in Arts programs can choose between transferring into a baccalaureate degree program, or into their career. Common pathways include:

Careers:
Sales Manager
Customer Service
Human Resources
Administration

Degrees:
Science
Psychology
Fine Arts
World Language

Liberal Arts courses are offered in Claremont, Lebanon, Keene, and Online.

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RIVER VALLEY
Community College

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Course Offerings

Sample of Liberal Arts Courses

English

College Composition
American Literature

Humanities

World Religions
Myth in US Culture

Fine Arts

Intro to Drawing
Intro to Painting

Mathematics

Statistics
Mathematics for the Environment

Science

Biology I & II
Field Botany

Social Science

Intro to Psychology
Contemporary Social Problems

World Language

Spanish I & II
Sign Language I & II

Liberal Arts Associate in Arts Degree Requirements

| First Year Fall Semester | | CL | LAB | CR |
|-----------------------------|--|----|-----|-----|
| ENGL102R | College Composition | 4 | 0 | 3-4 |
| XXXXxxxR | Social Science Elective | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| XXXXxxsR | Humanities/Fine Arts/World Language Elective | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| XXXXxxxR | Humanities/Fine Arts/World Language Elective | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| MATHxxxR | Mathematics Elective | 0 | 0 | 3-4 |
| First Year Spring Semester | | CL | LAB | CR |
| ENGLxxxR | English Elective | 0 | 0 | 3-4 |
| XXXXxxxR | Social Science Elective | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| XXXXxxsR | Liberal Arts Elective | 0 | 0 | 3-4 |
| XXXXxxxR | Open Elective | 0 | 0 | 3-4 |
| MATHxxxR | Mathematics Elective | 0 | 0 | 3-4 |
| Second Year Fall Semester | | CL | LAB | CR |
| XXXXxxsR | Humanities/Fine Arts/World Language Elective | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| XXXXxxxR | Social Science Elective | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| XXXXxxxR | Open Elective | 0 | 0 | 3-4 |
| XXXXxxxR | Liberal Arts Elective | 0 | 0 | 3-4 |
| XXXXxxxR | Lab Science Elective | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Second Year Spring Semester | | CL | LAB | CR |
| XXXXxxxR | Liberal Arts Elective | 0 | 0 | 3-4 |
| XXXXxxxR | Open Elective | 0 | 0 | 3-4 |
| XXXXxxsR | Liberal Arts Elective | 0 | 0 | 3-4 |
| XXXXxxxR | Lab Science Elective | 0 | 0 | 3-4 |

If planning to transfer, be sure to consider the requirements of your transfer institution. Your personal interests and goals will also shape your Liberal Arts program at River Valley Community College.

Admission Requirements

1. Meet the college requirements of admission.
2. Complete the admissions forms.
3. Request transcripts from high school and/or college be sent directly to RVCC.
4. File for financial aid if applicable at: <http://studentaid.gov>.

Transfer Agreements

RVCC is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and College's Commission on Institutions of Higher Education. As an accredited institution, RVCC's courses are accepted throughout institutions of higher education. The receiving institution will determine the course equivalence. Credits have been accepted at all University System of New Hampshire Institutions, New England College, University of Massachusetts, Franklin Pierce, the University of Maine, Lyndon State College, Yale University, Daniel Webster College, Colby Sawyer College, and Antioch New England to name a few.



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