

GENERAL STUDIES

Robert Morris University requires all bachelor degree seeking students to complete 39 core credits as outlined below.

Although designed in alignment with RMU's program, most 4-year institutes of higher education have similar requirements.

It is highly recommended that students consult intended programs when selecting general studies courses.

Type of General Education Course	West Allegheny Course	Aligned RMU Course(s)	RMU Credits	Pre/Co-requisite(s)	WA Course Type
Communication Skills	0122 AP English Language & Composition	RMU - CSEN 1020: Argument and Research	3	Honors English 10, Teacher recommendation	English
	0151 Oral Communications	RMU - CSCM 1030: Communications, Public Speaking and Persuasion	3	AP English Lang & Comp (RMU- CSEN1020)	English
Literature	0132 AP English Literature & Composition	RMU - ENGL 1040: Reading Literature Coming of Age	3	Teacher Recommendation	English
	0133 Classic & Modern Literature	RMU - ELIT 1050: Classic & Modern Literature	3	Teacher Recommendation	English
	0733 Child Development II	RMU - SDIN 2100: Disability Studies	3	Child Development I	Elective
		RMU - ENGL 1070: Children's Literature	3		
Mathematics	0320 AP Precalculus	RMU - MATH 1020: Precalculus	3	Algebra 2 or HEC Algebra 2	Math
	0323 AP Calculus AB	RMU - MATH 2070: Calculus with Analytical Geometry I	3	Trigonometry & Precalculus or AP Precalculus, Teacher Recommendation	Math
	0325 AP Calculus BC	RMU - MATH 2170: Calculus with Analytical Geometry II	3	AP Calculus AB	Math
	0324 AP Statistics	RMU - STAT 2110: Statistics	3	Algebra 2 or HEC Algebra 2	Math
Science	0410 AP Biology	RMU - BIOL 1310/1315: Principles of Biology/Lab	4	Biology or Honors Biology, Teacher Recommendation	Science
	0411 AP Chemistry	RMU - CHEM 1210/1215: Chemistry I/Lab	4	Honors Chemistry, Teacher Recommendation	Science
	0412 AP Physics 1	RMU - PHYS 1210/1215: General Physics 1/Lab	4	Teacher Recommendation	Science
History/Political Science	0232 AP US Government & Politics	RMU - POLS 1020: American National Government	3	Teacher Recommendation	Social Studies
	0238 AP World History	RMU - HIST 1700 Western Civilization	3	Teacher Recommendation	Social Studies
	0243 Criminal Justice & Investigations	RMU - CRMJ 1010: Intro to Criminal Justice	3	Teacher Recommendation	Social Studies
		RMU - POLS 2020: Criminal Law and Evidence	3		
Sociology	0246 Corrections and Social Issues	RMU - CRMJ 2010: Corrections	3	Teacher Recommendation	Social Studies
		RMU - SOCI 1020: Contemporary American Social Problems	3		
Psychology	0240 AP Psychology	RMU - PSYC 1010: General Psychology	3	Teacher Recommendation	Social Studies
Economics	0242 AP Economics	RMU - ECON 1010: Survey of Economics	3	Teacher Recommendation	Math
Arts/Humanities	0134 Film Studies	RMU - HUMA 1010: Art & Music	3	Teacher Recommendation	English
Computer Information Systems	0627 Intro to Cybersecurity	RMU - CYBS 2000: Intro to Cybersecurity	3	Teacher Recommendation	English
		RMU - INFS 1020: Fundamentals of Information Technology	3		

^{*}Courses/curriculum are subject to change at the college's discretion. Updated February 2024