

## TRANSFER ADVISING GUIDE

### Liberal Arts, Psychology (A.A.) from Middlesex County College to Psychology (B.A.) at Rider University

<i>MIDDLESEX COUNTY COLLEGE COURSE</i>	Cr	<i>RIDER UNIVERSITY COURSE/AREA SATISFIED</i>	Cr
<i>Liberal Arts, Psychology, A.A.</i>			
<b>First Semester</b>			
ENG 121 English Composition I (GE, COM)	3	CMP 120 Expository Writing (Core)	3
SPE 121 Fundamentals of Public Speaking <b>OR</b> SPE 123 Discussion and Debate (GE, COM)	3	COM 104 Speech Communication <b>OR</b> COM 322 Argumentation and Debate	3
General Education History <b>Suggest: (Select one course)</b> HIS 121 History of Western Civilization I <b>OR</b> HIS 131 World History I <b>OR</b> HIS 221 United States History I <small>(Per MCC request- added back into the grid)</small>	3	HIS 150 World History to 1500 (Core) <b>OR</b> HIS 150 World History to 1500 (Core) <b>OR</b> HIS 180 U.S. History I <small>(HIS-180 does not meet the CORE requirement at Rider)</small>	3
General Education Social Science Elective PSY 123 Introduction to Psychology	3	Natural & Physical Science Elective <sup>∅</sup> PSY 100 Intro to Psychology (Core)	3
General Ed. Humanities Language Elective : Select two Modern language in sequence from (FRE, GER, ITA, SPA)	3	Foreign Language Core <sup>∅</sup>	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Second Semester</b>			
ENG 122 English Composition II	3	CMP 125 Research Writing (Core)	3
General Education Mathematics Elective MAT 123 Statistics (3)	3	MTH 120 Intro to Applied Statistics (3)	3
General Education History HIS 122 History of Western Civilization II <b>OR</b> HIS 132 World History II <b>OR</b> HIS 222 United States History II <small>(Per MCC request- added back into the grid)</small>	3	HIS 151 World History Since 1500 (Core) <b>OR</b> HIS 151 World History Since 1500 (Core) <b>OR</b> HIS 181 U.S. History II <small>(HIS-181 does not meet the CORE requirement at Rider)</small>	3
General Education Humanities Elective Select two Modern language in sequence from (FRE, GER, ITA, SPA)	3	Foreign Language Core <sup>∅</sup>	3
Psychology Elective	3	Elective <sup>∅</sup>	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Third Semester</b>			
General Education Science Elective <b>Suggest:</b> BIO 105 Heredity, Evolution & Society (4)	4	Natural & Physical Science <sup>∅</sup> BIO 101 Life Science; Genetics Emphasis (Core) (4)	4
General Education Technology Elective CIS 105 Computer Applications & Systems <b>OR</b> CSC 106 Inter. PC Applications with Programming	3	CIS 185 Information Systems Essentials	3

Liberal Arts Elective PSY 218 Research Methods	3	Psychology Elective <sup>U</sup> PSY 105 Intro. to Research in Psychology	3
Psychology Elective	3	Elective <sup>U</sup>	3
Divisional Elective HED 200 Human Sexuality & Family Life	3	Not Transferrable	0
	<b>16</b>		<b>13/14</b>
<b>Fourth Semester</b>			
General Ed. Diversity Elective (GE DIV) (Choose one) PSY 217 Psychology of Women <b>OR</b> PSY 227 Psychology of the Handicapped	3	Psychology Elective <sup>U</sup> PSY 218 Psychology of Women <b>OR</b> PSY 237 Cognitive Disabilities	3
General Education Social Science Elective: <b>Suggest:</b> SOC 121 Introduction to Sociology	3	Social Science & Communication Elective <sup>U</sup> SOC 101 Sociological Imagination (Core)	3
General Education Humanities Elective (GE HUM)	3	Fine Arts Elective <sup>U</sup> Literature Elective <sup>U</sup> Philosophy Elective <sup>U</sup>	3
Psychology Elective	3	Elective <sup>U</sup>	3
General Education Math / Science Elective (choose 3 or 4 credit GE Math or Science)	3/4	Natural & Physical Science –or- Math Elective <sup>U</sup>	3/4
	<b>15/16</b>		<b>15/16</b>
	<b>64/65</b>		<b>60</b>

<b>FREE COURSE: Rider Course Option:</b> <b>Please select <u>one</u> course from the list below:</b> PSY-283-Sports Psychology (3) PSY-345-Health Psychology (3) PSY-360-Psychology of Peace & Conflict (3) PSY-365 Drugs & Human Behavior (3) PSY-384-Positive Psychology (3) PSY-385-Death, Dying and Suicide (3)	Following completion of 30 credits and the Rider Intent to Enroll Form and while a student at Middlesex; students have the option to take a <u>free</u> course at Rider that counts toward the Rider degree. The course allows the student to experience first-hand the academic environment at Rider.  See Middlesex & Rider Transfer Representatives for additional information. All contact information listed below.	<b>3</b>
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**Rider University Footnotes:**

<sup>U</sup> – Students have a number of options to satisfy this requirement; courses will be evaluated on an individual basis.

Middlesex students interested in the College of Continuing Studies (CCS) should contact that division directly.

For transfer credit Middlesex students must have a grade of “C” or higher in all courses. (No transfer credit will be accepted for any course with a grade of “C-“ or below.)

**Requirements are subject to change. This Advising Guide is best used in consultation with an advisor.**

**COURSES REMAINING FOR A BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE IN PSYCHOLOGY AT RIDER UNIVERSITY\***

Course Number	Rider University Course Name or Core Area	Credits	Notes* (if course can be taken at Middlesex, indicate course number)
	See Schedule C		

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:**

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## Schedule A

Rider University History (6 credits), Literature (3 credits), Fine Arts (3 credits) and Philosophy (3 credits) Core Requirements

Rider Course		Middlesex Course	
HIS 150	World History to 1500	HIST 121	History of West. Civil. I
HIS 151	World History since 1500	HIST 122	History of West. Civil. II
ENG 205	Understanding Literature	ENG 247	Prin. Lit. Study: Intro to Poetry
ENG 250	Literary History I	ENG 221	English Literature I
ENG 251	Literary History II	ENG 222	English Literature II
ENG 210	Major American Authors	ENG 243	Literature of the U.S. to 1880
ENG 210	Major American Authors	ENG 244	Literature of the U.S. 1880 to 1845
ENG 210	Major American Authors	ENG 245	Literature of the U.S.: World War II to Present
ENG 217	Into to Shakespeare	ENG 234	Intro. to Shakespeare
ENG 230	Women in Literature	ENG 239	Women in Literature
ENG 290	The Short Story	ENG 248	Intro. to Short Fiction
ENG 228	Black American Literature	ENG 227	Literature of Black America
ART 104	Survey of Art History I	ART 123	Art History: Ancient to Renaissance
ART 106	Survey of Art History II	ART 124	Art History: Renaissance to Modern
ART 120	Art & Society	ART 105	Introduction to Art
MUS 105	Survey of Music History I	MUS 123	Music History - Traditional
MUS 106	Survey of Music History II	MUS 124	Music History - Contemporary
MUS 120	Music & Society	MUS 107	Introduction to Music
THE 106	Theater History Since 1700	MUS 106	Music History: Contemporary
THE 120	Theater Appreciation	THE 105	Introduction to Theatre
PHL 110	Logic and Language	PHI 122	Logic
PHL 115	Ethics	PHI 123	Ethics

Foreign Language (6 credits, level 1 and 2 of the same language, or proficiency equivalent to one year of study).

## Schedule B

### Rider University Social Science and Communicaitons (6 credits) Core Requirements

Rider Course*		Middlesex Course	
COM 105	Communication, Culture & Media	COM 121	Mass Communication Study
ECO 200	Principles of Macroeconomics	ECO 201	Principles of Economics I
ECO 201	Principles of Microeconomics	ECO 202	Principles of Economics II
POL 100	Introduction to American Politics	POS 220	Introduction to American Politics
POL 102	Understanding Politics	POL 121	Understanding Politics
SOC 101	Sociological Imagination	SOC 121	Intro to Sociology
SOC 110	Cultural Anthropology	SOC 123	Introduction to Anthropology

\*Completions of two of the above courses from among communications, economics, political science and sociology will fulfill the Core Requirements in this area.

**SCHEDULE C**  
**PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS – FALL 2013**

**Minimum of 40 Credits**

**REQUIRED COURSES: (9credits)**

- PSY-100 Introduction to Psychology (3cr.)
- \*PSY-105 Introduction to Research in Psychology (3 cr.)
- PSY-201 Statistics & Research Design (3cr.)

**IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT EACH OF THESE COURSES BE TAKEN IN ORDER DURING THREE CONSECUTIVE SEMESTERS A GRADE OF C OR BETTER IS REQUIRED IN ALL OF THE ABOVE COURSES**

**LOWER DIVISION: Choose at least 4 courses from three different areas (12 credits)**

**ANY COURSE IN WHICH A STUDENT RECEIVES A GRADE BELOW C WILL NOT FULFILL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MAJOR**

**Applied Psychology**

- PSY-279 Psychology and Law (3cr.)
- PSY-210 Organizational Psychology (3 cr.)
- PSY-212 Behavioral Modification (3 cr.)

**Human Development**

- PSY-230 Child Development (3 cr.)
- PSY-231 Youth and Adolescent Development

**Adjustment/Psychopathology**

- PSY-220 Abnormal Psychology

**Cognition**

- PSY-225 Learning and Memory (3 cr.)
- PSY-237 Cognitive Disabilities (3 cr.)

**Personality/Social**

- PSY-215 Personality (3 cr.)
- PSY-218 Psychology of Women (3 cr.)
- PSY-240 Social Psychology (3 cr.)

**Biological Foundations**

- PSY-238 Sensation and Perception (3 cr.)
- PSY-255 Biopsychology (3 CR.)

**UPPER DIVISION: Choose 4 courses (12 credits)**

**ANY COURSE IN WHICH A STUDENT RECEIVES A GRADE BELOW C WILL NOT FULFILL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MAJOR**

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| PSY-305 Theories of Psychotherapy (3 cr.)        | PSY-365 Drugs and Human Behavior (3 cr.)      |
| PSY-315 Psychological Tests (3 cr.)              | PSY-372 States of Consciousness (3 cr.)       |
| PSY-325 Cognitive Development (3 cr.)            | PSY-374 Psychology of the Family (3 cr.)      |
| PSY-330 Developmental Disabilities (3 cr.)       | PSY-375 Psychology of Film (3 cr.)            |
| PSY-333 Autism Spectrum Disorders (3 cr.)        | PSY-377 Developmental Psychopathology (3 cr.) |
| PSY-345 Health Psychology (3 cr.)                | PSY-381 Psychology of Gender (3 cr.)          |
| PSY-360 Psychology of Peace and Conflict (3 cr.) | PSY-382 Aging, Brain and Cognition (3 cr.)    |

**REQUIRED METHODS COURSES: Choose 1 course (4 credits)**

**STUDENTS NEED TO COMPLETE \*PSY-105 AND PSY-201 WITH A GRADE OF C OR BETTER BEFORE THEY CAN REGISTER FOR ANY OF THE RESEARCH METHODS COURSES. A GRADE OF C OR BETTER IS REQUIRED IN THE RESEARCH METHODS REQUIREMENT IN ORDER FOR IT TO COUNT TOWARD THE MAJOR.**

- PSY-302 & 302L Research Methods: Cognition with Lab (4 cr.)
- PSY-303 & 303L Research Methods: Social Psychology with Lab (4 cr.)
- PSY-306 & 306L Research Methods: Sensation and Perception with Lab (4 cr.)
- PSY-335 & 335L Research Methods: Human Cognitive Neuroscience with Lab (4 cr.)
- PSY-336 & 336L Research Methods: Animal Learning and Behavior with Lab (4 cr.)
- PSY-339 & 339L Research Methods: Applied Behavior Analysis with Lab (4 cr.)
- PSY-340 & 340L Research Methods: Group Dynamics with Lab (4 cr.)
- PSY-350 & 350L Research Methods: Developmental Psychology with Lab (4 cr.)

**CAPSTONE REQUIREMENT:**

To count the **Capstone Requirement** the option you choose must be completed during the senior year (**90 credits or more**). **STUDENTS MUST RECEIVE A GRADE OF C OR BETTER TO COUNT TOWARD REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MAJOR.**

**Choose one of the following 5 to satisfy the capstone requirements:**

**APPLIED EXPERIENCE:**

- PSY-491 Internship in Psychology (3 or 4 credits)
- EDU-465 Student Teaching (12 credits)

**FOUNDATIONS OF PSYCHOLOGY**

- PSY-420 History of Psychology (3 cr.)
- PSY-400 Senior Seminar (3 cr.)
- PSY-490 Independent Research and Study (3 or 4 cr.)

**ELECTIVE: Does not satisfy requirements for the major.**

- PSY-295 Directed Study in Psychology (1-4 cr.)