

Rowan University

General Education Requirements

Evaluation Criteria For: Communication Studies
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Criteria for Evaluation

1. **What is the maximum number of transfer credits accepted? 90**
 - a) **Total transfer credits allowed from a 4-year college- 90**
Total transfer credits allowed from a 2-year college- 90
 - b) **Do you accept credits from non-accredited or Nationally accredited institutions? (Generally, Rowan recognizes regional accreditation) Limitations? Consistent with Rowan standards.**
2. **What is the maximum number of semester hours accepted toward the major requirements? We will also accept 9 credits in the area of “related electives” that are required for our majors.**
3. **What is the maximum age for external credits accepted towards your program? None – case by case basis**
4. **Are “D” grades accepted in major course work? No.**

In non-major courses/Gen Ed’s? Yes.
5. **Are there exceptions: (i.e., a grade of “C” or better in courses which require the “D” course as a pre-requisite, or a C or higher in the last of a course sequence, i.e., Bio I (D), Bio II (D), Bio III (A)- from Quarter System? No.**
6. **What are the requirements for acceptable major courses as identified on the program guide? C-grade in each course, 2.5 in major and 2.0 overall to graduate.**
7. **Will an occasional C will be accepted if the GPA is maintained at a 2.500 minimum? Yes.**
8. **Are P/NC grades accepted in major coursework? No.**
9. **Are 300 level courses transferrable? Yes, from 4-year schools only.**
10. **What is the total number of credits required for graduation? 120-121.**
11. **How many credits in the major must be completed at Rowan to graduate? 30 minimum.**
12. **What courses, grades, and GPA are needed before applying to the major? None.**