



[AA-ASC-MUS; CIP Code 240101]

### *Associate in Arts (A.A.) – Transfer*

This program provides the general education foundation necessary for a variety of disciplines and is designed for students who are planning to transfer to a baccalaureate degree. Using available elective credits students may focus on Music as a specific field of study.

#### Program Learning Outcomes

Students who have completed the program will be able to:

- Communicate effectively in writing and orally
- Demonstrate an understanding of various scientific, artistic, social and historical ideas and perspectives
- Analyze information and use critical thinking to make decisions and solve problems
- Demonstrate a basic proficiency in music theory and music history

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 started at RCSJ?  
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 and complete the  
 interest form.

## Arts and Sciences: Music Option, A.A.

#### FIRST YEAR – Fall Semester\*\*

<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 101 English Composition I	3
<input type="checkbox"/> HIS 101 History of Western Civilization I	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ART 101 Art Appreciation I	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT ____ Mathematics elective*	3-4
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#### Spring Semester

<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 102 English Composition II	3
<input type="checkbox"/> HIS 102 History of Western Civilization II	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MUS 212 Music Theory I**	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MUS 215 Aural Skills I**	1
<input type="checkbox"/> ____ Global and Cultural Awareness General Education Elective – Diversity*	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT ____ Mathematics Elective*	3-4
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#### SECOND YEAR – Fall Semester

<input type="checkbox"/> ENG ____ English Elective	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ____ General Education Elective - Ethics*	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ____ Lab Science Elective*	4
<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 101 Principles of Sociology	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MUS 126 History of Music	3
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#### Spring Semester

<input type="checkbox"/> PHI 101 Introduction to Philosophy	3
<input type="checkbox"/> SPE 101 Oral Communication	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ____ Lab Science Elective*	4
<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 101 General Psychology	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MUS ____ Program Option Elective(s) – Music	3
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**TOTAL MINIMUM CREDITS: 60**

#### Program Notes

\* Students should contact their advisor to clarify 4 year degree transfer requirements and refer to the College catalog for course pre-requisites.

\*\* Incoming music students need to take the Theory Placement Exam. Students who do not achieve a passing grade should take MUS113, Fundamentals of Musicianship, in their 1st semester. (Note: 113 will NOT transfer to any 4-yr music program. This course is open to any interested RCSJ student, and Music Option students who need to learn or review basics.) A passing grade on the placement is required to place into/register for MUS 212/215

#### Program Electives

MUS 106, 107, 108, 109: Choral Workshop I - IV  
 MUS 113: Fundamentals of Musicianship  
 MUS 118: American Popular Music  
 MUS 121: A History of Broadway: American Musical Theatre  
 MUS 203: American Music  
 MUS 220: Music Theory II & MUS 225: Aural Skills II