



[AS-EDU; CIP Code 13.0101]

Associate in Science (A.S.) – Transfer

This program provides the general education foundation necessary for students who are planning to transfer to complete a baccalaureate degree. Using available elective credits, students will focus on Social Systems and Theories 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 understanding of educational systems and theories and the teaching profession

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Are you ready to get started at RCSJ?
Visit [RCSJ.edu/Enroll](https://www.rcsj.edu/enroll) and complete the interest form.

Education, A.S.

This is a 3+1 option program with Rowan University.

FIRST YEAR – Fall Semester

<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 101 English Composition I	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 212 Adolescent Psychology or PSY 213 Child Psychology ⁷	3
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 205 History of American Education	3
<input type="checkbox"/> HIS ___ U.S. History Elective ¹	3
<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 102 Sociology of the Family	3
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Spring Semester

<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 110 Cultural Anthropology	3
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 102 English Composition II	3
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 105 Educational Technology	1
<input type="checkbox"/> ___ General Education Lab Science Elective ²	4
<input type="checkbox"/> ART ___ Art Appreciation I or MUS ___ Music Appreciation I ³	3
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SECOND YEAR – Fall Semester

<input type="checkbox"/> ___ General Education Lab Science Elective ²	4
<input type="checkbox"/> COM 225 Why We Write: Writing for Elementary Students	3
<input type="checkbox"/> GEO 102 Cultural Geography	3
<input type="checkbox"/> PSY 203 Educational Psychology	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT ___ General Education Mathematics Elective ⁵	3-4
	16-17

Spring Semester

<input type="checkbox"/> ENG LIT English Literature Elective ⁴	3
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 130 Human Exceptionality	3
<input type="checkbox"/> SPE 101 Oral Communications	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT ___ General Education Mathematics Elective ⁵	3-4
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 215 & 216 Principles and Pedagogies in the Inclusive Classroom & Seminar or EDU 220 Foundations of Inclusive Education ⁶	3
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TOTAL MINIMUM CREDITS: 60

Program Notes

- ¹ Students intending to transfer to Rowan University should take HIS 103
- ² Students intending to transfer to Rowan University should take BIO 107 and PHY 101
- ³ Students intending to transfer to Rowan University should take MUS 103
- ⁴ Students intending to transfer to Rowan University should take ENG 103
- ⁵ Students intending to transfer to Rowan University should take MAT 120 and MAT 121
- ⁶ Students who intend to continue in the RCSJ 3+1 Inclusive Education Program or transfer to Rowan University as an Inclusive Education major should register for EDU 220. If students intend to transfer to Rowan University into either Elementary Education or Early Childhood Education programs, they should register for both EDU 215 & 216.
- ⁷ Students transferring to Rowan University Inclusive, Elementary, Early Childhood Education, or follow the 3+1 MUST take PSY 213.



After completing the Education A.S., students may choose to continue with the bachelor's degree pathway at RCSJ.

The 3+1 pathway enables students to complete three years of coursework at RCSJ and one year at Rowan University to earn a bachelor's degree. The 3+1 pathway follows Rowan's course curriculum, with junior year classes taught by RCSJ advanced-degree faculty.

Inclusive Education 3+1

THIRD YEAR – Fall Semester

<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 301 Literacy Pedagogy I	3
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 320 Clinical Experience I in Inclusive Education	1
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 315 Working with Families & Communities	3
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 310 Differentiating Instruction in the Inclusive Classroom	2
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 330 Trauma Informed Instruction	3
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 305 Current Policy & Practice in ESL & Bilingual Edu	3
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Spring Semester

<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 318 Positive Behavior Support Systems	3
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 327 Clinical Experience II in Inclusive Education	1
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 335 Social Studies Methods for the Inclusive Classroom	3
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 323 Assessment in Special & Inclusive Education	3
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 340 Science Inquiry & Methods for the Inclusive Classroom	3
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 302 Literacy Pedagogy II	2
<input type="checkbox"/> EDU 345 Mathematics Strategies for the Inclusive Classroom	2
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FOURTH YEAR – After completing the third year at RCSJ, students will seamlessly transfer to Rowan University for their senior year. 3+1 team members at both institutions work closely with students to guide them through the process.



Industry & Employment Opportunities

Bachelor's

Elementary School Teacher, Special Education Teacher, Secondary Teacher

Master's

College Professor, Principal, Childcare Administrator

Questions?

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