

Articulation Agreement between Hudson Valley Community College,  
Criminal Justice, A.A.S. and Russell Sage College, Interdisciplinary Studies Department,  
Criminal Justice, Law, and Behavioral Science, B.S.

Objective

This articulation agreement is intended to facilitate the transfer of qualified students currently enrolled in the A.A.S. Criminal Justice at Hudson Valley Community College (HVCC) into the B.S. Criminal Justice, Law, and Behavioral Science (CJL&BS) program at Russell Sage College (RSC). Advisors at HVCC should use the information in this agreement to advise current and future students as they express an interest in the CJL&BS program at RSC as to which RSC courses should be taken prior to application for transfer.

Terms of Agreement

This articulation agreement once signed will be in effect immediately (October 31, 2022) and must be reviewed and re-approved in the same manner at least once every five years, in order to remain in effect (October 31, 2027).

The procedures of review and re-approval shall be as follows:

RSC's Program Director for CJL&BS reviews the latest available catalogs of the two institutions and prepares the revised draft. A final draft is signed by the appropriate administrators at both institutions.

All the most-recently published rules for accepting transfer students into programs at RSC apply. This agreement supplements but does not supersede or replace what was written in the most current RSC catalog.

Criminal Justice, A.A.S. at Hudson Valley Community College and Criminal Justice, Law, and Behavioral Science B.S. at Russell Sage College

RSC agrees to accept and transfer into the Criminal Justice, Law, and Behavioral Science B.S. program up to 66 credit hours by the student at HVCC. Only courses of earned grades of C- or better will transfer, and students who attain a combined Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 in courses will automatically be admitted into the RSC program. This agreement only covers courses taken at HVCC. If students from HVCC have credits on their transcripts from other institutions, the published RSC rules for accepting transfer credit will apply to those credits. If students from HVCC wish to transfer without having completed all the courses in this agreement, they are assured that the identified equivalent courses with a grade of C- or better will transfer, but outright admission into the program will not be guaranteed. If admitted, and if 54 or more of the credits are transferred, junior status at RSC will be attained.

All transfer students must meet with a CJL&BS advisor to plan their courses and to determine how many additional semesters are required for degree completion. Students interested in eventually transferring to RSC through this articulation agreement are encouraged to contact the Director of Transfer Admission ([transfer@sage.edu](mailto:transfer@sage.edu)) to discuss transferring to RSC. Some of the equivalent courses are listed below.

<b>HVCC: <u>A.A.S.</u> Criminal Justice</b>	<b>Cr</b>	<b>Russell Sage College Equivalency</b>	<b>Cr</b>
FORM 109 College Forum	1	LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	1
CRJS 101 Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	CRM 111 Criminal Justice Functions & Proc	3
CRJS 110 Introduction to Criminal Law	3	CRM ELCT Criminal Justice Elective	3
CRJS 150 Principles of Criminal Investig	3	CRM 251 Principles of Investigation	3
CRJS 205 Policing	3	CRM 227 Policing	3
CRJS 250 Criminology	3	CRM 311 Criminology	3
CRJS 255 Introduction to Juvenile Delinq	3	CRM 212 Juvenile Delinquency	3
CRJS 260 Criminal Justice Administration	3	CRM ELCT Criminal Justice Elective	3
CRJS 265 Correctional Services	3	CRM 226 Penology	3
ENGL 101 English Composition I	3	WRT 101 Writing in Community	3
ENGL 102 English Composition II	3	WRT 201 Researching in Community	3
FSCI 245 Forensic Science I	4	SCI ELCT Science Elective	4
PSYC 100 General Psychology	3	PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology	3
SOCL 100 Sociology OR Restricted Elective II	3	SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology OR LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	3
Free Elective	3	Elective Credit	3
Free Elective	3	Elective Credit	3
PADM 100 Introduction to Public Administration OR Criminal Justice Elect	3	POL 218 OR CRM ELCT Criminal Justice Elective	3
Mathematics Elective*	3	MAT ELCT Math Elective	3
Science Elective OR Liberal Arts and Science Elective	3	SCI ELCT Science Elective OR LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	3
Social Science Elective OR Restricted Elective I	3	LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	3
Liberal Arts and Sciences Elective	3	LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	3

**HVCC: 62 Credits**

**RSC Equivalent: 62 Credits**

\*MATH 120 or higher is recommended to satisfy the RSC Quantitative Reasoning General Education requirement, MATH 100, MATH 105, MATH 110 will transfer in as general math elective credit.

Recommendation: HVCC students in the A.A.S. Criminal Justice program may select to take additional courses to bring their transfer total to up to 66 credits. Pass/Fail courses will not transfer to RSC.