

Articulation Agreement between Hudson Valley Community College,  
Criminal Justice, 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.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.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.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
ENGL 101 English Composition	3	WRT 101 Writing in Community	3
ENGL 115 Library Skills for Research	1	ITD110	1
PSYC 100 General Psychology	3	PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology	3
Restricted Criminal Law Elective	3	CRM ELCT Criminal Justice Elective	3
Western Civilization Elective	3	HST ELCT History Elective	3
BADM 220 Statistics OR MATH 135 Elementary Statistics OR PSYC275 Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	3-4	MAT 220 Applied Statistics OR PSY 207 Statistics with Computer Applications	3-4
ENGL 104 English Composition II	3	WRT 201 Researching in Community	3
SOCL 100 Sociology	3	SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology	3
PADM 100 Introduction to Public Administration OR Political Science Elective	3	POL 218 Public Policy OR POL ELCT Political Science Elective	3
General Education Arts Elective	3	LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	3
CRJS 250 Criminology	3	CRM 311 Criminology	3
CRJS 205 Policing	3	CRM 227 Policing	3
Foreign Language	3	LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	3
Liberal Arts/General Education Elective	3	LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	3
Restricted Elective	3	LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	3
CRJS 265 Correctional Services	3	CRM 226 Penology	3
CRJS 295 Criminal Justice Capstone Semina	3	CRM ELCT Criminal Justice Elective	3
Liberal Arts/General Education Electives	3	LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	3
Liberal Arts/General Education Electives	3	LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	3
Restricted Elective	3	LIB ELCT Liberal Arts Elective	3

**HVCC: 62-63 Credits**

**RSC Equivalent: 62-63 Credits**

Recommendation: HVCC students in the 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.