

Articulation Agreement between Russell Sage College and Schenectady County Community College

Schenectady County Community College AA Liberal Arts and Sciences
Russell Sage College BS in Interdisciplinary Studies in Therapeutic Studies and Health Sciences
Leading to the MS in Occupational Therapy
Date: 3/2/04

RSC Admission Requirements for Pre-Occupational Therapy Students

RSC agrees to accept for transfer into the BS in Interdisciplinary Studies leading to the MS in Occupational Therapy up to 60 credit hours earned by a female student at Schenectady County Community College who takes the courses listed below. Only courses with earned grades of C- or better will transfer. Schenectady County Community College women who

- (i) complete courses listed below with grades of C- or better;
- (ii) who attain a combined grade point average (GPA) of 2.75; and
- (iii) who attain a GPA of 2.75 in the four occupational therapy prerequisite science courses will be automatically admitted into the RSC Interdisciplinary program.

Liberal Arts & Sciences – A.S. in Individual Studies

For transfer TO Russell Sage College students will earn the following equivalents:

SCCC title	SCCC Credit	RSC Title	RSC Credit
ENG 123 College Composition	3	ENG 101 Language and Community	3
BIO 151 Anatomy and Physiology I (Science)	4	BIO 201 Anatomy and Physiology I	4
BIO 152 Anatomy and Physiology II (Science)	4	BIO 202 Anatomy and Physiology II	4
PSY 121 General Psychology (SS elective)	3	PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology	3
ENGL 124 Intro to Literature	3	ENG 154 Introduction to Literature	3
HIS 125 Western Civ. to 1715 or HIS 127 Western Civ since 1715	3	HIS 109 Western Civ. I or HIS 110 Western Civ. II	3
HIS 232 World Civilizations to 1700 or HIS 234 World Civilizations since 1700	3	HIS 101 Emerging World I (XC) or HIS 102 Emerging World II (XC)	3
MAT 147 Statistics (Math elective)	3	MAT 220 Statistics	3
PHY 153 Physics I (Science Gen Ed)	4	PHY 101 General Physics I	4
PHY 154 Physics II (Science elective)	4	PHY 102 General Physics II	4
PSY 222 Developmental Psychology (Concentration)	3	PSY 202 Human Development	3
PSY 224 Abnormal Psy. Concentration)	3	PSY 308 Abnormal Psychology	3
Foreign Lang or ASL* (Foreign Lang Gen Ed)	3	Foreign Language	3
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Restricted Arts elec	3	Liberal Arts Elective	3
HIS 227 American History to 1877 or HIS 229 American History since 1877	3	HIS 105 US History I or HIS 106 US History II	3
Elective	3	Liberal Arts or Elective	3
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Total	61**		58

*not SPA 115 but may include other SPA, ASL, FRE, GER, ITA courses; must be a sequence. The language requirement is waived for students who have graduated high school prior to 1988; an additional 6 credits of other humanities must be taken.

** An additional course is required for A.S. in Individual Studies from SCCC

Courses to be completed while at RSC for the BS Interdisciplinary Studies Leading to the MS in Occupational Therapy

Year 3: Russell Sage College			
THS Core Courses (complete at least 3)	Cr	THS Concentration Electives (select 3)	Cr
(Select 1-2)		ATH 240 Sports Medicine 1	3
THS 205 Educational Methods	3	SCI 310 Exercise Physiology	4
THS 206 Health/Wellness Across Cultures (XC)	3	HSC 301 Pharmacology	3
Sub-Total	3-6	PSY 324 Group Counseling	3
(Select 1-2)		SOC 222 Women and Health	3
ATH 215 1 st Aid/Wellness	3	PSY 326 Health Psychology	3
PSY 304 Counseling	3	PSY 231 Intro to Human Services	3
SCI 120 Nutrition	3	PSY 301 Social Psychology	3
Sub-Total	3-6	PSY 311 Psychology of Disability	3
RSC General Education		PSY 317 Motivation	3
ENG 235 Technical Writing (WI) [or other approved writing intensive and tech intensive course(s)]	3	PSY 319 Group Dynamics	3
ITD 420 Women Changing World	3	PSY 348 Special Topics	3
Cross Cultural course (if not taking THS 206 above or other approved cross cultural course)	0-3	CAT 201 Intro to Creative Arts in Therapy	3
Sub-Total	6-9	CAT 211 Introduction to Art Therapy	3
Electives (select 2-3)		CAT 213 Introduction to Dance Therapy	3
General Elective I	3	CAT 216 Introduction to Music Therapy	3
General Elective II	3	CAT 218 Introduction to Theatre Therapy	3
General Elective III	0-3	DAN 111 Intro to Modern Dance	3
Sub-Total	6-9	DAN 231 Ballet or 241 Jazz Dance	3
		DAN 213 Dance Medicine	3
OT Program Pre-Requisite Courses		DAN 226 Creative Movement for Children	3
(Transferred from ACC or completed at Sage)		ART 101 Drawing I	3
BIO 201 Anatomy & Physiology I	4	ART 105 Two-Dimensional Design	3
BIO 202 Anatomy & Physiology II	4	ART 231 Ceramics	3
PHY 101 General Physics I	4	ART 315 Painting I	3
PHY 102 General Physics II	4	ART 228 Photography I	3
PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology	3	THR 103 Acting I	3
PSY 202 Human Development	3	MUS 111 Basic Musicianship I	3
PSY 308 Abnormal Psychology	3	Sub-Total	9-10
PSY 207/MAT 220 Statistics	3		

Year 4: Electives (by advisement) or 1st Year Occupational Therapy Graduate Courses			
OTH 502 Gross Anatomy	4	OTH 501 Neuroscience	4
OTH 503 OT Theory	1	OTH 504 Foundations of OT	3
OTH 514 Occupational Performance in Children	4	OTH 567 Research for the Professions	3
OTH 515 Occupational Performance in Adults	4	OTH 606 Clinical Problems	4
OTH 506 Kinesiology	4	OTH 608 Therapeutic Procedures	3
OTH 512 Technology & Adaptations	1		

For Accelerated entry into the Occupational Therapy Program:

Qualified students may accelerate into the MS in OT Program by enrolling in and completing first year occupational therapy courses in place of fourth year undergraduate electives. The BS in Interdisciplinary Studies degree is awarded at the end of the fourth year, and the MS degree in Occupational Therapy at the end of graduate coursework and fieldwork. To qualify, students must:

1. Attain a 3.0 RSC GPA (to be reviewed at the close of the fall and spring semesters, prior to entering the OT Program)
2. Attain a 2.75 GPA in the OT Program science prerequisite courses (Anatomy & Physiology I and II; Physics I & II)
3. Complete all major courses, RSC general education requirements and OT Program prerequisite courses by the end of the third year (or equivalent)

Students who need extra time to improve their grade point averages can take an additional year of undergraduate study to complete their baccalaureate degrees and reapply to the graduate OT Program.

Procedures for Acceleration into the MS in OT Program

By **January 15** of the third year (or equivalent) of undergraduate academic study, students who are accelerating into the MS in OT Program will complete or provide the following to the OT Department:

- 1) Arrange for an interview with OT Program faculty
- 2) Complete the following OT Program admission forms: Academic Standards Statement, Student Information Form, Clinical Observation Document (these are available at <http://www.sage.edu/departments/ot/admission.html>)
- 3) Submit current resume
- 4) Provide transcripts from all college institutions attended
- 5) Provide a list of courses in progress and planned during the third undergraduate year