

BA Anthropology

Academic Program Guide for New First-Year Students (Effective Fall 2018)

Department Info (email)

Students who entered Rowan University prior to Fall 2018 should follow the guide for their program and start year in consultation with their advisor.

Rowan University Graduation Requirements for all Majors / Degrees

- Students must complete at least 120 semester hours (sh) of coursework that apply to their Rowan University degree.
- Students must have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 in Rowan University coursework. (Transfer courses/credit do not count toward the RU GPA.)
- A minimum of 30 sh of coursework must be completed at/through Rowan University.
- Only grades of "D-" or above may apply to graduation/degree requirements. (Some programs may set higher minimums.)
- Students must meet the Rowan Core and Rowan Experience Requirements.
 - An individual course can potentially satisfy one Rowan Core literacy and/or multiple Rowan Experience attributes.
 - Rowan Core & Rowan Experience designations are listed in course details in Section Tally (www.rowan.edu/registrar) and may also be searched on that site under "Attributes." A list of Rowan Core courses is here: <https://confluence.rowan.edu/display/AS/Rowan+Core+Course+List>.
- Students must apply for graduation and should do so for the term in which they will complete all program requirements.

Program-Specific Graduation Requirements for this Major / Degree

- Students must earn a minimum 2.0 G.P.A. in major courses
- Letter grades only in Anthropology courses; up to 10% of overall credits may be P/NC
- Only grades of "C" - or above may apply to graduation requirements
- Students must earn 30 credits in upper level (300, 400, 500 level) courses, including 19 upper-level anthropology credits
- No more than two courses can be repeated and each of these two can be repeated no more than twice.

Rowan Core Requirements¹

Students must satisfy all six Rowan Core Literacies. A minimum total of 3 sh of coursework is required to satisfy each Literacy. With the exception of the 9 sh counted here for Communicative Literacy, credits attached to the courses in this section will apply elsewhere.

- (COML) Communicative Literacy: *Must be met by the following three courses or their official equivalents:*
 - COMP 01111 College Composition I (3 sh) COMP 01112 College Composition II (3 sh) CMS 04205 Public Speaking (3 sh)
- (ARTL) Artistic Literacy *Recommendation from major:* any
- (GLBL) Global Literacy *Recommendation from major:* any
- (HUML) Humanistic Literacy *Recommendation from major:* any
- (QNTL) Quantitative Literacy *Recommendation from major:* STAT02.100 Elementary Statistics, or STAT02.260 Statistics I, or STAT 02101 Statistical Literacy, or STAT 00280 Biometry
- (SCIL) Scientific Literacy *Recommendation from major:* ANTH 02.301 Human Evolution

Subtotal of credits counted in this section: 24 sh

Rowan Experience Requirements

Students must satisfy all three Rowan Experience attributes. Credits attached to the courses in this section will apply elsewhere.

- (LIT) Broad-Based Literature Attribute *Recommendation from major:* any
- (WI) Writing Intensive Attribute *Recommendation from major:* any
- (RS) Rowan Seminar Attribute² *Recommendation from major:* any

A course taken for a Rowan Experience can also fulfill other programmatic needs, and one course can satisfy more than one Rowan Experience

Non-Program Courses (minimum 18 sh)

Courses in this section cannot be in the major department.

Course #	Course Name	Course Attributes / Notes	Sem/Yr	Grade	Credits
		Any Foreign Language			3 sh
		Same Foreign Language (Students may fulfill the language requirement by completing one 2nd semester or higher level foreign language course)			3 sh
GEOG 16.110 or 16.140	Cultural Geography or World Regional Geography				3 sh
PHIL 09.250 or 09.251, PHIL	Biomedical Ethics, Introduction to Ethics, Business Ethics, Feminist Ethics; or				3 sh

¹ The Rowan Core requirements are waived for transfer students with an earned A.A. or A.S. degree from a NJ community/county college.

² The Rowan Seminar requirement is waived for all students transferring 24 or more approved credits into Rowan University at the time of initial entry.

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09.341, PHIL 09.322, 09.346, or 09.323	Environmental Ethics				
		Any Humanistic or Global history course			3 sh
		Any Rowan Core course			3 sh
Subtotal: 18 sh					

Major Requirements (37 sh)

SUMMARY OF MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

- 15 sh **Foundational Courses**
- 10 sh **Upper Level and Capstone Courses**
- 12 sh **Anthropology Free Electives**

- 37 sh total

Foundational Courses

Course #	Course Name	Course Designations / Notes	Sem/Yr	Grade	Credits
ANTH 02.202	Cultural Anthropology (Global Literacy)				3 sh
ANTH 02.203	Introduction to Archaeology (Scientific Literacy)				3 sh
ANTH 02.221	Human Variation (Scientific Literacy)				3 sh
ANTH 02.250	Introduction to Anthropological Linguistics (Global Literacy)				3 sh
ANTH 02.295	Introduction to Qualitative Research				3 sh
Subtotal: 15sh					

Upper Level and Capstone Courses

Choose one of the following courses. Courses chosen here may not be used in other banks.

Course #	Course Name	Course Attributes / Notes	Sem/Yr	Grade	Credits
<input type="radio"/> ANTH 02.395	Anthropological Theory				3 sh
<input type="radio"/> ANTH 02.450	Anthropology Senior Seminar (WI)	Satisfies WI requirement			3 sh
<input type="radio"/> ANTH 02.315 or ANTH 02.320	Forensic Anthropology (lab) or Archaeological Field Methods (lab)				4 sh
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Subtotal: 10 sh					

Free Electives for this Anthropology Degree (12sh)

Students should choose Free Electives that satisfy any Rowan Core or Rowan Experience requirements that are not fulfilled by Major or Non-Program courses.

Choose 4 courses from the following bank of Anthropology Electives; at least three must be upper level.

Course #	Course Name	Course Attributes/Notes	Sem/Yr	Grade	S.H.
		Choice			3 sh
		Must be Upper level			3 sh
		Must be upper level			3 sh
		Must be upper level			3 sh
Subtotal: 12 sh					
ANTHROPOLOGY ELECTIVES BANK					
ANTH 2.144 /INTR 01.144	Human Ecology: An Evolutionary Approach	ANTH 02.321	Cultural Ecology		

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Total Program Credits Required for this Major / Degree: 120 SH

Rowan Core and Rowan Experience.....	33 s.h.
Major Requirements in Anthropology.....	37 s.h.
Other Required Courses.....	18 s.h.
Free Electives.....	32 s.h.
Total Credits in Program.....	120 S.H.