

Transfer Guide
Associate in Science to Geology B.S.
Richland Community College and Eastern Illinois University

This is a suggested course sequence. Students must work with their advisor to develop a sequence plan that meets their scheduling needs. Summer classes can also reduce the load during the fall and spring semesters.

FIRST YEAR

First Semester

ENGL 101 ¹ Composition 1	3 (ENG 1001G)
MATH 116 College Algebra	4 (MAT 1271)
EASCI 220 Intro to Phys Geology	4 (GEO 1300G)
IAI Social Behavioral Science ²	3 (SB Gen Ed)
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Second Semester

ENGL 102 ¹ Composition 2	3 (ENG 1002G)
MATH 117 Trigonometry	3 (MAT 1330)
IAI Fine Arts ²	3 (FA Gen Ed)
IAI Social Behavioral Science ²	3 (SB Gen Ed)
BIOL 101 Principles of Biology	4 (BIO 1001G/1500)
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SECOND YEAR

Third Semester³

COMM 101 ¹ Public Speaking	3 (CMN 1310G)
MATH 121 Calc and Analytic Geom I	5 (MAT 1441G)
CHEM 131 General Chemistry I w/lab	4 (CHM 1310/15G)
IAI Humanities ²	3 (HUM Gen Ed)
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Fourth Semester

BIOL 210 Environmental Biology	4 (BIO 2002G)
MATH Elective ⁸	4 (MAT Elective)
CHEM 132 General Chemistry II w/lab	5 (CHM 1410/15)
Elective ⁴	3 (Elective)
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THIRD YEAR

First Semester

GEO 2440 Mineralogy	4
GEO 4490 Invertebrate Paleontology	3
PHY 1151/52G Principles of Physics I/lab	4
GEO Elective ⁴	3
Elective ^{4, 5, 7}	3
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Second Semester

GEO 1430 Historical Geology	4
GEO 3405 Petrology	4
GEO 3420 Geomorphology	3
PHY 1161/62 Principles of Physics II/lab	4
Elective ^{4, 5, 7}	3
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FOURTH YEAR

Third Semester

GEO 3510 Principles of Sedimentology	3
GEO 4850 Environmental Geology	3
GEO Elective ⁴	3 (Upper Level)
Elective ^{4, 5}	4 (Upper Level)
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Fourth Semester

GEO 3430 Structural Geology	3
GEO 3560 Principles of Stratigraphy	3
EIU 4----- Senior Seminar	3
GEO Elective ⁴	3 (Upper Level)
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SUMMER FIELD WORK

GEO 4800 ⁶ Summer Field Geology	6
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Notes

¹ A Grade of "C" or better is required for both RCC and EIU graduation.

² Courses should be chosen with RCC Non-Western and diversity requirements as well as EIU cultural diversity requirements in mind.

³ Apply to Eastern one year prior to enrollment. Have official transcripts sent from college and from high school.

⁴ Electives are to be chosen in consultation with an academic advisor

⁵ Students are encouraged to consider an Internship, Independent Study and/or research as part of their curriculum (GEO 42951/42952/42953, GEO 44201/44102/44203, GEO 44501/44502/44503).

⁶ GEO 4800 does not run during the regular academic year; it is a summer course and held in a summer semester. GEO 4800 is a class offered through other universities.

⁷ Completion of the second semester of a single foreign language is an EIU graduation requirement. Students are exempt if two full years of a high school foreign language are completed with a "C" average or better.

⁸ A second math course must be taken from MATH 110, 112, 113, 121, 122, 160, 170, 171, 190 or 221 to graduate from Richland with the A.S. Degree.

Note - Completion of all of the EIU required Gen Ed sequence is waived if student has a completed A.S from Richland Community College.

Agreement is in effect from Fall 2019 – Fall 2024. Departmental Contacts are **Eastern Illinois University:** Diane Burns, dmburns@eiu.edu, 217-581-2626; and **Richland Community College:** Andrew Hynds, ahynds@richland.edu, 217-875-7211 ext 6384. Institutional Contacts are **Eastern Illinois University:** Rita Pearson, ripearson@eiu.edu, 217-581-7663; and **Richland Community College:** Meredith Johnson-Palmer, mpalmer@richland.edu, 217-875-7211.

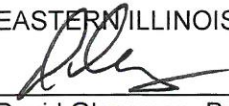
Articulation Agreement
Between
Eastern Illinois University
And
Richland Community College

Richland Community College (RCC) and the Board of Trustees of Eastern Illinois University (EIU) form a cooperative relationship through this articulation agreement to serve better our public constituents, to smooth transfer, to minimize duplication of instruction, and to build on community college and university learning experiences. Both institutions recognize that working together, their collective efforts are stronger than their individual efforts.

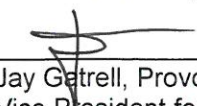
The two institutions agree to the following:

1. Any student who has completed a baccalaureate-oriented associates degree at RCC consistent with the Illinois Articulation Initiative (with the required 2.00 GPA) and submits required application and supporting documentation will automatically be admitted to EIU at the junior level and will be deemed to have met EIU's lower division general education requirement.
2. Acceptance into a specific EIU program is based on the individual transferring student meeting the conditions and considerations listed for that program. Specifically, students completing the **Associate in Science** program at RCC will be admitted to the baccalaureate **Geology B.S.** program at EIU.
3. The courses listed in the attached prescribed RCC A.A. transfer guide have been reviewed and accepted for transfer to EIU.
4. Relationships between RCC and EIU faculty and administration are in the spirit of cooperation and provide the basis for this agreement
5. Representatives of both institutions agree to meet on a regular basis to assess curricular changes and other conditions that may affect the nature of this agreement.
6. This agreement does not preclude either institution from making curriculum changes as it may solely deem appropriate in which case appropriate prior notice will be given to the operative academic personnel at the cooperating institution.
7. Appropriate publications and promotional materials regarding this agreement will be made available to all RCC students.
8. Either EIU or RCC may dissolve this agreement by giving one years' advance notice to the cooperating institution's president or academic vice president.
9. This agreement is effective with the **2019-2020** academic year and is subject to renewal every four years.

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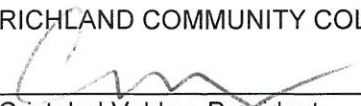


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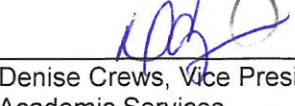
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