

Bantivoglio Honors Concentration with Distinction

Academic Program Guide for New First-Year Students Honors College

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 and 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 Concentration

- Students must have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.5 in Rowan University coursework.

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: *Honors students must fulfill their communication literacy in **Honors sections** of these three courses:*
 - COMP 01111 College Composition I (3 sh)
 - COMP 01112 College Composition II (3 sh)
 - CMS 04205 Public Speaking (3 sh)
- (ARTL) Artistic Literacy
- (GLBL) Global Literacy
- (HUML) Humanistic Literacy
- (QNTL) Quantitative Literacy
- (SCIL) Scientific Literacy

Subtotal of credits counted in this section: 9 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
- (WI) Writing Intensive Attribute
- (RS) Rowan Seminar Attribute²

Concentration Requirements

SUMMARY OF REQUIREMENTS

- 12 Honors Designated Courses (can include up to 3 Alternative Course Experiences; minimum grade of C or higher required)
- Honors Participation (2 Think; 2 Thrive; 4 Share)
- Students must have earned and continue to maintain a 3.5 GPA to be eligible for, remain in, and graduate with Honors with Distinction.

REQUIRED HONORS COURSES (EXCEPT ENGINEERING MAJORS)

Course #	Course Name	Course Attributes / Notes	Sem/Yr	Grade	Credits
COMP 01111	Writing Arts: Honors College Composition I	COML			3
COMP 01112	Writing Arts: Honors College Composition II	COML			3
CMS 04205	Honors Public Speaking	COML			3
HONR 05101	Honors: Participation	Taken every semester, Graded S/U			0
HONR 05301	Honors Capstone Proposal	Graded S/U			0
HONR 05401	Honors Capstone Course	Taken twice, graded P/NC			1
HONR 05402	Honors Portfolio	Graded P/NC			1
					Subtotal: 12 sh

REQUIRED HONORS COURSES (ENGINEERING MAJORS ONLY)

Course #	Course Name	Course Attributes / Notes	Sem/Yr	Grade	Credits
ENGR 01101	Honors Fresh Engineering Clinic I	Rowan Seminar			2
ENGR 01102	Honors Fresh Engineering Clinic II				2
COMP 01111	Writing Arts: Honors College Composition I	COML			3
ENGR 01201	Honors Sophomore Engineering Clinic I	COML - CCII			4
ENGR 01202	Honors Sophomore Engineering Clinic II	COML - PS			4
HONR 05101	Honors: Participation	Taken every semester, Graded S/U			0
HONR 05301	Honors Capstone Proposal	Graded S/U			0
HONR 05401	Honors Capstone Course	Taken twice, graded P/NC			1
HONR 05402	Honors Portfolio	Graded P/NC			1
					Subtotal: 17 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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Additional Honors Courses (can include up to three Alternative course experiences)

Course #	Course Name	Course Attributes / Notes	Sem/Yr	Grade	Credits
Subtotal: varies					

- Students are required to enroll in CCI, CCII, and PS unless they have placed out of the course, have transferred the credit prior to matriculation, or have received permission from the Honors Advisor or the Assistant Dean to enroll in another section. Students will then have to take additional Honors designated courses.
- Engineering Majors need four (4) additional courses, all other majors need six (6) additional honors designated course
- How Honors classes are prorated:

	Regular Honors Courses	Additional Honors Courses	Honors with Distinction Courses	Total Credit-Bearing Honors Courses
First semester first year	8	1	3	12
Second semester first year	7	1	3	11
First semester sophomore	6	1	3	10
Second semester sophomore	5	1	3	9
First semester junior	4	1	3	8