

Earn your degree in Individualized Studies.

Learn foundational skills you can apply to a wide variety of careers. Advance your education and customize your degree. The Individualized Studies program allows you to design a degree tailored to your interests.

Rivier's Individualized Studies program grants you the opportunity to study interest areas not available in established programs and to incorporate previous learning into a bachelor's degree. Working with an academic advisor, you can tailor a program of study to meet your professional and personal goals with either a broader, interdisciplinary concentration or one more narrowly defined.

Credit for Prior Learning

The University will accept up to 90 transfer credits. The final 30 degree credits must be completed at Rivier. A transfer credit evaluation will be conducted once transcripts and other documentation are received.

You can earn credit for prior learning and certifications, challenge and CLEP exams, and military courses—all of which will be discussed and determined as part of the evaluation and advising process. Individual course plans are developed for each student once the evaluation process is complete.

Choose Rivier

In Rivier's Individualized Studies program, you'll develop the skills and knowledge to launch a career in a variety of industries. Courses are offered in seven-week and 14-week terms for added flexibility to accommodate your busy schedules and learning preferences.



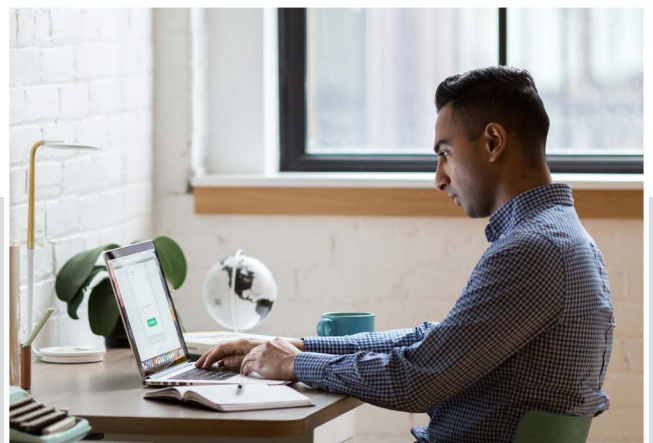
100% Online
course format



120 Credits
to complete
program



2-4 Years
Estimated
program length





General Education Requirements

FOUNDATION COURSES

ENGL 120	Composition in Context
MATH 112	College Algebra
RELS	One Elective
RELS 120	Dignity, Work, Vocation

AREA DISTRIBUTION COURSES

Choose two courses from each area:

- **Humanities:** Communications, English, History, Modern Languages, Philosophy, Religion
- **Natural/Physical Science, Mathematics, and Technology:** Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics, Physics
- **Social Sciences:** Economics, Geography, Human Development, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, Social Work

GENERAL EDUCATION LIBERAL ARTS ELECTIVES

Choose four three-credit courses (12 credits) from the above Area Distribution courses.

CONCENTRATION REQUIREMENTS

Students consult with their academic advisor to select courses (30-36 credits) based on the individually designed and pre-approved education plan.

GENERAL ELECTIVES

Free electives (42-48 credits) provide students with the opportunity to study content areas that meet personal, professional, or vocational interests.

The University reserves the right to make changes when appropriate and necessary as needed without notification. (0824)

B.A. Program Start Dates

Six term starts per year allow you to begin your program in September, October, January, March, May, or July. Completed applications are reviewed as they are received throughout the year.

Accreditation

Rivier University is accredited by the New England Commission of Higher Education (NECHE).



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1. Submit your application online at rivier.edu/apply. There is no application fee.
2. Review and complete the application process at rivier.edu/psadmissions.

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