

Rivier

UNIVERSITY

B.A.

Individualized Studies

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.

Program of Study

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 7-week and 14-week terms for added flexibility to accommodate your busy schedules and learning preferences.



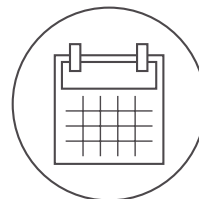
Course Format

100% online



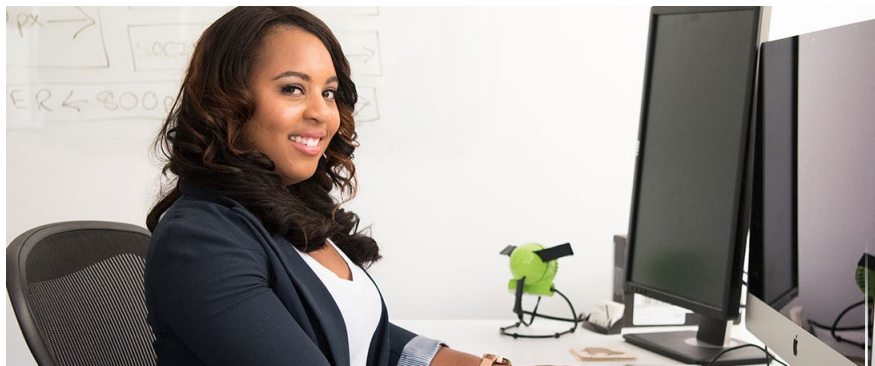
Total Program Credits

120



Estimated Program Length

2 - 4 years



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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.

General Education Requirements

Foundation Courses

ENG 120 - Composition in Context

MA 112 - College Algebra

REL - One Elective

RIV 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 3-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.

Accreditation

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

7&14

week terms

90+

years of
educational excellence

24,000+

strong alumni network

How to Apply

1. **Apply online** at rivier.edu/apply.
There is no application fee.
2. **Review and complete the application process** at rivier.edu/psadmissions.
3. **Have questions?** For personal support, contact us at (603) 897-8507 or email admissions@rivier.edu.

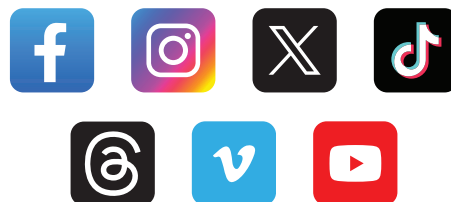
Quick Links

Ask a Question – admissions@rivier.edu

Schedule a Visit – events.rivier.edu

Talk to an Admissions Counselor – rivier.edu/team

Tuition & Fees – rivier.edu/tuition



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