

Fact Sheet for Pharm.D. Program for Humanities / Social Science Electives

This fact sheet is designed to give new students information to assist them in understanding how to choose courses that are acceptable as Humanities / Social Science Electives. ***Please keep this fact sheet for future reference.***

Overview

Students in the Class of 2018 and prior must take a total of six (6) courses in the humanities and/or social sciences. Students in the Class of 2019 and later must take a total of five (5) courses in the humanities and/or social sciences. Each course must be at least 3.0 credits in weight. One course must be either a Psychology or Sociology elective. *Elective credit will be given for the majority of courses offered through such departments as History, English, Psychology, Sociology, and Classics.*

Elective credit will not be given for . . .

- . . . any of the core or "hard" science departments such as, but not limited to, Biological Sciences, Chemistry, Geology, or Physics.
- . . . courses that are offered through the Departments of Mathematics or Computer Science.
- . . . any course offered in any other discipline that discusses drugs, medicinal or healthcare, healthcare topics, or healthcare related topics.
- . . . any course the involves diet, nutrition, or disease.
- . . . studio courses (that is, where a student plays an instrument, dances, draws, paints, or sculpts).
- . . . correspondence courses.
- . . . seminar courses except those offered through the Honors College Program.
- . . . internships or field work.

Foreign Language Courses

Foreign Languages are humanities, but we require 2 years of one foreign language to enter the School of Pharmacy. If you wish to continue studying that language in college, you must start at a level higher than the equivalent two high school years of that language. One year of a foreign language in high school is equivalent to one semester in college. The following matrix is used to determine where to begin granting credit for foreign language coursework:

Number of Years, High School	Equivalent Number of College Semesters	Starting Semester for Granting Credit
2 years	2 semesters	3 rd semester
3 years	3 semesters	4 th semester
4 years	4 semesters	5 th semester

Therefore, ***before you may continue your studies in that language, you must contact the department and request a language placement test.*** Based upon these test results, the department will place you into the appropriate course based upon your proficiency on the exam. Be aware that we will only accept the third semester course and nothing less, even if the department recommends that you receive degree credit.

For Further Information

If you are unsure of a course offered at Rutgers, be sure to seek advice from the Office of Academic Services located in Room 277A/B of the Pharmacy building. Office staff may be reached at (848) 445-6336. You can also reach the office via email academicservices@pharmacy.rutgers.edu.

Listing of Departments That Offer Acceptable Courses

The following is a compilation of the Departments at the University that offer courses the School of Pharmacy is able to accept to satisfy Humanities / Social Science Electives. ***This list is subject to change without notice!*** This list was compiled based upon data from the Rutgers-New Brunswick Undergraduate Catalog and does not reflect the standing of new courses that have been instituted since its posting.

Department	School	Subject	Notes
African, Middle Eastern & South Asian Languages and Literatures	01	013	Any course is acceptable.
Afro American Studies	01	014	Any course in the department is acceptable except 347
Agricultural Science	11	017	NO course is acceptable.
American Studies	01	050	Any course is acceptable.
Animal Science	11	067	NO course is acceptable.
Anthropology	01	070	Any course in the department is acceptable except 102, 104, 201, 204, 212, 213, 215, 291, 292, 293, 294, 307, 309, 348, 349, 350, 354, 358, 359, 390, 392, 420, 495, 496, 497 and 498
Armenian	01	078	Any course is acceptable.
Art	07	080	Only 07:080:131 and 07:080:431 are acceptable.
Visual Arts	07	081	NO course is acceptable.
Art History	01	082	Any course is acceptable.
Arts and Sciences	01	090	Students must consult Office of Academic Services for specific topics
Asian Studies	01	098	Any course is acceptable.
Astrophysics	01	105	NO course is acceptable.
Biochemistry	11	115	NO course is acceptable.
Biological Sciences	01	119	NO course is acceptable.
Biomedical Engineering	14	125	NO course is acceptable.
Biotechnology	11	126	NO course is acceptable.
Bioresource Engineering	11 or 14	127	NO course is acceptable.
Cell Biology and Neuroscience	01	146	NO course is acceptable.
Ceramic Engineering	14	150	NO course is acceptable.
Chemical and Biochemical Engineering	14	155	NO course is acceptable.
Chemistry	01	160	NO course is acceptable.
Chinese	01	165	Any course in the department is acceptable except 111 and 112.
Cinema Studies	01	175	Any course is acceptable.
Civil and Environmental Engineering	14	180	NO course is acceptable.
Cognitive Science	01	185	Any course is acceptable.
Communications and Information	04	189	Any course is acceptable.
Classical Humanities	01	190	Any course is acceptable except 102 and 213.
Communication	04	192	Any course is acceptable
Comparative Literature	01	195	Any course is acceptable.
Computer Science	01	198	NO course is acceptable.
Criminal Justice	01	202	Any course in the department is acceptable except 305 and 306.
Dance	07	203	ONLY 101, 115, 131, 132,133, 134, 135, and 136 are acceptable.
Dance	07	206	ONLY 07:206:431 and 07:206:431 are acceptable.
Digital Filmmaking	07	211	No course is acceptable.
East Asian Languages	01	214	Any course is acceptable.
Economics	01	220	Any course in the department is acceptable except 316. The course 01:220:102 may only be taken to satisfy the required course. The course 01:220:103 may only be taken to satisfy a Humanities / Social Science Elective.
Education	05	300	Any course is acceptable except 341, 342, 350, 361, 403, 413, 414, 441, 442, 443, 444, 461, and 462.
Education	11	300	NO course is acceptable.
Electrical and Computer Engineering	14	332	NO course is acceptable.
English	01	350	Any course is acceptable.
English: Topics	01	351	Any course is acceptable.
English: Lit. Theory	01	353	Any course is acceptable.
English: Film Studies	01	354	Any course is acceptable.
English: Comp. & Writ	01	355	The following courses may NOT be used for H/SS Elective credit 095, 096, 098, 099, 100, 101. The course 01:355:101 may only be taken to satisfy the mandatory writing requirement. The following courses may be used to satisfy H/SS Elective credit ONLY if the second college-level writing course has been satisfied: 201, 202, 203, 301, 302, 303, 312, 315, 342, 355, or 375. One course cannot fulfill more than one requirement.
			All other courses are acceptable.
European Studies	01	360	Any course is acceptable.
Entomology	11	370	NO course is acceptable.
Environmental Planning and Geomatics	11	372	NO course is acceptable.
Environmental and Business Economics	11	373	Any course in the department is acceptable except 210, 371, 491, and 492.
Environmental Policy, Institutions, and Behavior	11	374	Any course in the department is acceptable except 141, 175, 201, 308, 430-439, 451, 492, and 493.
Environmental Sciences	11	375	NO course is acceptable.

Exercise Science and Sport Studies	01	377	ONLY 301, 311, 323, and 406, are acceptable.
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Food Sciences	11	400	NO course is acceptable.
French	01	420	Any course is acceptable.
General Engineering	14	440	NO course is acceptable.
Genetics	01	447	NO course is acceptable.
Geography	01	450	Any course in the department is acceptable except 101, 111, 140, 211, 270, 271, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 357, 380, any 400-level course
Geological Sciences	01	460	NO course is acceptable.
German	01	470	Any course is acceptable.
Global Awareness	01	558	Only course 101 is acceptable
Greek, Modern	01	489	Any course is acceptable.
Greek	01	490	Any course is acceptable.
Hindi	01	505	Any course is acceptable.
History, General	01	506	Any course is acceptable except 324.
History, African, Asian and Latin American	01	508	Any course is acceptable.
History, European	01	510	Any course is acceptable.
History, American	01	512	Any course in the department is acceptable except 121, 321, 322, 438.
Human Resource Management	37	533	ONLY 301 is acceptable.
Hungarian	01	535	Any course in the department is acceptable except 402, 403, 460, 493 and 494.
Industrial and Systems Engineering	14	540	NO course is acceptable.
Interdisciplinary Studies	11	554	ONLY 305 is acceptable.
Interdisciplinary Studies	01	556	NO course is acceptable.
International Studies	01	558	Only 01:558:101 is acceptable.
Italian	01	560	Any course in the department is acceptable except 393, 394, 491, 492, 495 and 496
Jewish Studies	01	563	Any course in the department is acceptable except 394, 395, 396, 397, 460, 491, 492, 496 and 497
Japanese	01	565	Any course in the department is acceptable except 470, 495, 496, 497, and 498
Journalism & Media Studies	04	567	Any course in the department is acceptable except 489 and 490
Korean	01	574	Any course is acceptable.
Labor Studies	37	575	Any course is acceptable.
Landscape Architecture	11	550	ONLY 230, 330, and 430 are acceptable.
Latin	01	580	Any course is acceptable.
Latin American Studies	01	590	Any course is acceptable.
Latino & Hispanic Caribbean Studies	01	595	Any course is acceptable.
Leadership Skills	11	607	Only 11:607:200 is acceptable.
Linguistics	01	615	Any course is acceptable.
Marine Sciences	11	628	NO course is acceptable.
Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering	14	650	NO course is acceptable.
Medical Technology	01	660	NO course is acceptable.
Medieval Studies	01	667	Any course is acceptable.
Meteorology	11	670	NO course is acceptable.
Microbiology	11	680	NO course is acceptable.
Middle Eastern Studies	01	685	Any course is acceptable.
Military Education, Air Force	01	690	ONLY 323, 324, 423, 424 are acceptable.
Military Education, Army	01	691	ONLY 391, 392, 491, 492 are acceptable.
Molecular Biology and Biochemistry	01	694	NO course is acceptable.
Music	07	700	ONLY 101, 102, 103, 104, 131, 133, 291 and 292
Music, Applied	07	701	NO course is acceptable.
Ecology and Natural Resources	11	704	NO course is acceptable.
Nutritional Sciences	11	709	NO course is acceptable.
Operations Research	01	711	NO course is acceptable.
Philosophy	01	730	Any course in the department is acceptable except 425 and 426.
Physics	01	750	NO course is acceptable.
Planning and Public Policy	10	762	Any course in the department is acceptable except 101, 205, 295, 298, 299, 350, 400, 420, 462, 463, 464, 476, 477, 483, 490, 491, 495, 496.
Plant Pathology	11	770	NO course is acceptable.
Plant Science	11	776	NO course is acceptable.
Polish	01	787	Any course is acceptable.
Political Science	01	790	Any course is acceptable.
Portuguese	01	810	Any course is acceptable.
Psychology	01	830	Any course in the department is acceptable except 200, 211, 272, 313, 314, 360, 363, 365, 366, 377, 393, 394, 411, 412, 474 and 475
Public Health	10	832	NO course is acceptable.
Religion	01	840	Any course is acceptable.
Russian	01	860	Any course is acceptable.
Russian, Central and East European Studies	01	861	Any course is acceptable.
Social Work	01	910	Any course in the department is acceptable except 471, 472, 473, 474, and 475.
Sociology	01	920	Any course in the department is acceptable except 210, 307, 361, and 410.
Spanish	01	940	Any course is acceptable.
Statistics	01	960	NO course is acceptable.
Theater Arts	07	965	ONLY the courses 211, 212 and 230 are acceptable as an H/SS Elective.
Ukrainian	01	967	Any course is acceptable.

