



Rowan College
at
BURLINGTON COUNTY

ARCADIA
UNIVERSITY



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**Guaranteed
Admissions
Program**

The Guaranteed Admissions Program (GAP)

First time students entering RCBC in certain designated programs have the opportunity to earn a direct admission into Arcadia University.

RCBC students intending to fulfill all the necessary criteria will be assured admission, with full junior status, to most majors at Arcadia University.

Arcadia University Admissions Criteria

1. **Students must sign the Transfer/ Guaranteed Admissions Program application *prior* to registering for their 30th credit at Rowan College at Burlington County.**
2. Follow applicable Arcadia University prescribed course selections while completing RCBC program requirements.
3. Earn a cumulative GPA of at least 2.50 (unless another level has been specified for a particular program).
4. Applied for transfer acceptance via the normal Arcadia University transfer application procedure.
5. Student applying for admissions to Arcadia University must also supply all official high school transcripts or official GED results and transcripts from all colleges previously attended.

Transfer of Credits

With this program, Arcadia University will guarantee admission to Rowan College at Burlington County transfer degree graduates as true juniors with the ability to graduate from Arcadia University in four additional semesters. In certain majors, this will only be possible if students follow a prescribed set of courses within the transfer degree program at Rowan College at Burlington County. Arcadia University will accept a maximum of 75 applicable credits from RCBC (see course evaluation documents). "D" grades, remedial courses and excess credits will not transfer. Students will receive degree credit for Advanced Placement Scores of 3 or better and CLEP (College Level Examination Program) for scores equivalent to a "C" average or better.

Degree Requirements/ Time Limits

While enrolled at Rowan College at Burlington County, the parallel Arcadia University requirements will apply for up to three years. If it is necessary to take longer than three years to complete the associate degree at RCBC, the student must be sure to check with the Director of Transfer to learn of any changes to Arcadia University requirements.

Questions?

If you have questions about this program and/or how it applies to you, please contact:

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ROWAN COLLEGE AT BURLINGTON COUNTY
ARCADIA UNIVERSITY
contract for
GUARANTEED ADMISSIONS PROGRAM

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS

You will need to complete all of the information required before submitting the contract to the RCBC Transfer Center, located on the second floor of the Student Success Center on the Mount Laurel Campus.

An official transcript from your high school and from each college previously attended must be submitted. An official RCBC transcript will be required upon completion of degree requirements.

MAJOR PROGRAMS OF STUDY AT ARCADIA UNIVERSITY

Accounting	Journalism
Anthropology	Literature
Fine Arts	Mathematics/Actuarial Science
Biology	Music
Business Administration	Philosophy and Religion
Chemistry	Physics
Computer Science	Political Science
Communications	Psychology
Economics	Sociology
English	Theater Arts and English
Modern Languages	Pre-Physical Therapy*
Health Administration	Pre-Physician Assistant*
History	

* *These majors require student to meet particular specifications to gain entrance to the Doctoral Physical Therapy or Physician Assistant Programs.*

Rowan College at Burlington County / Arcadia University Intent to Transfer Form – Guaranteed Admission Program (G.A.P.)

Student ID # _____

Name _____
Last (family) First (Given Name) MI

Permanent Home Address _____
Number and Street

_____ City State County Zip

Home Telephone _____ Date of Birth _____ / _____ / _____

Email Address _____

Initial enrollment date at RCBC _____

Are you currently attending RCBC? Yes No If no, when was the last semester you attended RCBC? _____

Number of Credits earned _____ Current GPA _____

Expected Date of Graduation from RCBC _____

Entrance date to Arcadia University for Guaranteed Admission Fall Year _____ Spring Year _____

For which program of study are you applying? (see reverse side) _____

What status are you applying for? Full-time Part-time

Are you a high school graduate? Yes No Do you have a GED? Yes No

Names of all high schools, colleges, universities or technical schools you have attended

Name of institution City State

RELEASE FORM

I hereby authorize the Rowan College at Burlington County admissions and records office to release any information requested by Arcadia University concerning my academic records.

Signature (Release Authorization)

Today's Date

