



**2023-2024 Completion Guide
AAS Respiratory Care 51.0908
ICCB Approved Total Program Hours: 70**

Date: 2/8/2023

The following schedule is based on full-time enrollment. Students planning to transfer to a senior institution should check with that institution for specific transfer requirements.

Program Prerequisites

English 101, Biology 149,250,251 TEAS version 7 exam

T= Traditional H = Hybrid W = Web

First Semester

Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Prerequisites	Terms offered	Notes
RESP 101	Foundations of Respiratory Care	4	T	Acceptance to the Respiratory Care AAS Program	Fall	
RESP 102	Cardiopulmonary Anatomy & Physiology	3	T	Acceptance to the Respiratory Care AAS Program	Fall	
RESP 103	Patient Assessment	3	T	Acceptance to the Respiratory Care AAS Program	Fall	
RESP 104	Respiratory Care Pharmacology	3	T	Acceptance to the Respiratory Care AAS Program	Fall	
RESP 105	Respiratory Care Lab I	3	T	Acceptance to the Respiratory Care AAS Program	Fall	
	Total Semester Hours	16				

Second Semester

Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Prerequisites	Terms offered	Notes
RESP 106	Cardiopulmonary Pathophysiology	3	T	RESP 101, RESP 102, RESP 103, RESP 104, RESP 105	Spring	
RESP 107	Principles of Mechanical Ventilation	3	T	RESP 101, RESP 102, RESP 103, RESP 104, RESP 105	Spring	
RESP 108	Respiratory Care Lab II	3	T	RESP 101, RESP 102, RESP 103, RESP 104, RESP 105	Spring	
RESP 109	Respiratory Care Clinical Practice I	3	T	RESP 101, RESP 102, RESP 103, RESP 104, RESP 105	Spring	
	Total Semester Hours	12				

Third Semester

Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Prerequisites	Terms offered	Notes
RESP 110	Principles of Mechanical Ventilation II	3	T	RESP 106, RESP 107, RESP 108, RESP 109	Summer	
RESP 111	Respiratory Care Clinical Practice II	3	T	RESP 106, RESP 107, RESP 108, RESP 109	Summer	
	Total Semester Hours	6				

Fourth Semester

Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Prerequisites	Terms offered	Notes
RESP 201	Respiratory Care Critical Care	3	T	RESP 110, RESP 111	Fall	

RESP 202	Neonatal and Pediatric Respiratory Care	3	T	RESP 110, RESP 111	Fall	
RESP 203	Respiratory Care Clinical Practice III	3	T	RESP 110, RESP 111	Fall	
SOC 290	Cultural Diversity in America	3	T		Fall	
	Total Semester Hours	12				

Fifth Semester

Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Prerequisites	Terms offered	Notes
RESP 204	Respiratory Care Capstone	4	T	RESP 201, RESP 202, RESP 203	Spring	
RESP 205	Respiratory Care Special Topics	2	T	RESP 201, RESP 202, RESP 203	Spring	
RESP 206	Respiratory Care Practice IV	3	T	RESP 201, RESP 202, RESP 203	Spring	
	Total Semester Hours	9				

Graduation Requirements

To be awarded an Associate degree at Joliet Junior College, each student must meet the following requirements:

1. Satisfy all admission requirements.
2. Complete the courses required to earn the given degree. If the student is a transfer student with coursework taken elsewhere, he/she must complete a minimum of 15 credit hours applicable to the degree at JJC. Proficiency test, CLEP and Advanced Placement does not meet this requirement.
3. Earn a cumulative grade-point-average of at least 2.0.
4. Discharge all financial obligations to the College; have no restrictions.
5. File an application for graduation. (An application should be filed at the time of registration for the student's anticipated last semester.)
6. Have all official transcripts from other colleges/universities on file in the Graduation Office by the graduation filing date for evaluation of credit. A delay in the process may result in a later graduation date.

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