

Applying to RVCC: Step-by-Step Online Instructions for Concurrent Enrollment Students

Step 1: Access the Application

- Visit <u>www.raritanval.edu</u>
- Hover over the Admissions Information tab and select Apply To RVCC
- Click the green button "START NOW, IT'S FREE" to begin your application

Step 2: Create Your Application Account

- Select **Sign Up** (bottom right hand) corner and enter:
 - o First Name & Last Name
 - Personal Email Address (not a school email)
- Complete the security verification ("I am not a robot") and click Submit
- A confirmation email will be sent to the email address you provided

Step 3: Confirm Your Email & Set Password

- Open the email confirmation from RVCC and click Create Password
- You will be redirected to the application portal, to set and confirm your new password
- You have successfully completed the login process and are now ready to begin your RVCC application

Step 4: Begin Your Application

- Upon completing step 3, the application portal will prompt you to Start a New Application
- Choose your:
 - o Student Type (Early College Student)
 - o Major/Program of Study (Not Seeking a Degree)
 - o Term (Fall, Spring, Summer)
- Click Start Application

Step 5: Complete Your Information

Enter personal details carefully:

- o Address: (House Number, Street, City, State, ZIP Code)
- o Phone Number: (XXX-XXXXXXX)
- o Social Security Number: 9 digits, no dashes (enter 000000000 if SSN unavailable)
- o Date of Birth: (MM-DD-YYYY)
- o High School: Select school name from list & enter anticipated graduation date

Step 6: Review & Submit

- On the Verification Page, click Save and Review Application
- When your progress shows 99% complete, click Submit Application
- Select Verify & Submit
- You'll see a confirmation page: "Thank you for submitting your application."

What Happens Next?

- Same day of application submission: You'll receive a confirmation email
- Within 2-3 business days, you will receive an email notification that your decision letter (golden envelope) is ready to view. Log back into your account to view your golden envelope containing:
 - o Your RVCC Student ID Number (G-number)
 - o Lion's Den (student portal) password
 - o Your official RVCC College Email