RPP Frequently Asked Questions

- “If I participated in studies for class credit in the past, can they count towards the RPP credit requirement for my current class?”

  All credit towards RPP must be earned during this current semester. Past credit cannot transfer to the current semester.

- “Can I get credit for paid studies?”

  Studies available to students to participate in for credit are associated with specific courses in order to help students gain a new experience with related course material. For example, there are RPP studies that are only for UGBA105 and RPP studies that are only for UGBA106. You can identify these studies by the title of the study posted, which will indicate if it's for UGBA105 or UGBA106. Therefore you cannot get credit for paid studies.

- “If I'm in two courses that participate in RPP do I have to get the required credit for each class or can I share credits between the courses?”

  You will need to earn the credit requirement for each class by either participating in studies that are specific to your course or by completing the alternative RPP assignment.

- “Can I transfer credits from a study for UGBA105 to count towards UGBA106 or vice-versa?”

  Since the studies available for RPP are specific to either UGBA105 or UGBA106 you cannot transfer credits between the two courses. To ensure proper allocation of credits, make sure to check the study title for UGBA105 or UGBA106 and select the corresponding course for the credit allocation on SONA when you sign up for a study.

  For example, if a study is for UGBA105 make sure to select UGBA105 as the course in which the credit will be assigned. For further assistance please contact the RPP coordinator.

- “Where do RPP studies take place?”

  The location of the study will be indicated in SONA.

- “Are RPP studies on ‘Berkeley time’ or real time?”

  Study sessions begin according to the timeslots listed. For more detail check the study description.

For more information contact: the coordinator at behavioral_lab@berkeley.edu