



**Eight-Semester Degree Plan
Bachelor of Arts
Major in Psychology
2021-2022**

| Year 1 | | | | | | | |
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| Fall Semester | | | | Spring Semester | | | |
| Course No. | Course Name | Hrs | Gen | Course No. | Course Name | Hrs | Gen Ed |
| PSY 1013 | Psychological Wellness | 3 | | PSY 2023 | Psy as Science & Profession | 3 | |
| PSY 2013 | Introduction to Psychology | 3 | | ENG 1013 | Composition II | 3 | x |
| ENG 1003 | Composition 1 | 3 | x | MUS 2503 | Fine Arts Music | 3 | x |
| HIST 1013 | World Civ to 1500 | 3 | x | Biol 1003 | Biological Science | 3 | x |
| MATH 1023 | College Algebra | 3 | x | Biol 1001 | Biological Science Lab | 1 | x |
| | | | | PHIL 1103 | Introduction to Philosophy | 3 | x |
| Total Hours: | | 15 | | Total Hours: | | 16 | |
| Year 2 | | | | | | | |
| Fall Semester | | | | Spring Semester | | | |
| Course No. | Course Name | Hrs | Gen | Course No. | Course Name | Hrs | Gen Ed |
| PSY 3003 | Research Des. & Analysis | 3 | | PSY 3523 | Developmental Psych | 3 | |
| PSY 3303 | Motivation (summer) | 3 | x | PHSC 1203 | Physical Science | 3 | x |
| ENG 2003 | World Lit to 1660 | 3 | x | PHSC 1201 | Physical Science Lab | 1 | x |
| POSC 2103 | Intro to US Government | 3 | x | Elective | | 3 | |
| Elective | Elective | 3 | | Elective | | 3 | |
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| Total Hours: | | 15 | | Total Hours: | | 16 | |
| Year 3 | | | | | | | |
| Fall Semester | | | | Spring Semester | | | |
| Course No. | Course Name | Hrs | Gen | Course No. | Course Name | Hrs | Gen Ed |
| PSY 3613 | Cultural Psychology | 3 | | PSY 4343 | Learning Processes | | |
| PSY 3523 | Social Psychology | 3 | | PSY 4533 | Abnormal Psych | 3 | |
| PSY | | 3 | | Elective | | 3 | |
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| Total Hours: | | 15 | | Total Hours: | | 15 | |
| Year 4 | | | | | | | |
| Fall Semester | | | | Spring Semester | | | |
| Course No. | Course Name | Hrs | Gen | Course No. | Course Name | Hrs | Gen Ed |
| PSY 4883 | Professional Capstone | 3 | | PSY 4363 | Cognitive Psychology | 3 | |
| Elective | | 3 | | Elective | | 3 | |
| Elective | | 3 | | Elective | | 3 | |
| Elective | | 3 | | Elective | | 3 | |
| Elective | | 3 | | Elective | | 1 | |
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| Total Hours: | | 15 | | Total Hours: | | 12 | |
| Total Upper-Level Hours: | | 47 | | Total Degree Hours: | | 120 | |

Students requiring developmental course work based on low entrance exam scores (ACT, SAT, ASSET, COMPASS) may not be able to complete this program of study in eight (8) semesters. Developmental courses do not count toward total degree hours. **Students having completed college level courses prior to enrollment will be assisted by their advisor in making appropriate substitutions. In most cases, general education courses may be interchanged between semesters.** A minimum of 45 hours of upper-level credit (3000-4000 level) is required for this degree. Mandatory state and institutional assessment exams will be required during your degree program. **Failure to participate in required assessments may delay graduation.**

Psychology as a Natural Science Courses:

- PSY 3214 Introduction to Neuroscience
- PSY 3303 Motivation
- PSY 4323 Physiological Psychology
- PSY 4343 Learning Processes
- PSY 4363 Cognitive Psychology
- PSY 4383 Introduction to Behavior Analysis

Psychology as a Social Science Courses:

- PSY 3403 Child Psychology
- PSY 3413 Adolescent Psychology
- PSY 3453 Developmental Psychology
- PSY 3523 Social Psychology
- PSY 3823 History of Psychology
- PSY 4533 Abnormal Psychology
- PSY 4553 Personality Theory

Note: No more than 6 hours from PSY 3403, PSY 3413, and PSY 3453 may be applied to the major.

Integrative Psychology Courses:

- PSY 3613 Cultural Psychology
- PSY 3703 Educational Psychology
- PSY 380V Special Problems (repeatable, but only 6 hours can be applied to the major)
- PSY 4053 Today's Families
- PSY 4173 Psychometrics
- PSY 4853 Psychological Seminar

Note: Additional courses from Psychology as a Natural Science and Psychology as a Social Science may be substituted for courses in this category.