

Psychology (B.S.)

A major in psychology gives students the opportunity to study the field through examination of significant experiments, theories, and applications. Knowledge of psychology is an important component of a liberal education, in addition to its value in preparing you for graduate work in psychology and related fields. This major will prepare students for an entry-level position in many corporations and government agencies.

NOTES: Students should meet with a Psychology Faculty Advisor ASAP to stay on track toward graduation.

Freshman Year First Semester

Item #	Title	Credits
PSYC 016	Psychology New Student Orientation	1
PSYC 001	Foundations of Psyc Science	4
FRSM 001	Freshman Seminar	1
	MATH 006/007	3
	ENGW 101/102/104	3
	Humanities Elective	3
	Sub-Total Credits	15

Freshman Year Second Semester

Item #	Title	Credits
PSYC 002	Research Design & Analysis	4
	ENGW 103/105	3
	World Language and Culture Requirement (Options: See Elective 3 Group Descriptions)	3
	African Diasporic Cluster	3
SLMC 101	Principles of Speech	3
	Sub-Total Credits	16

Sophomore Year First Semester

Item #	Title	Credits
PSYC 003	Statistics I (Lec/Lab)	4
	World Language and Culture Requirement (Options: See Elective 3 Group Descriptions)	3
	Psychology Core Course	3
	Social Science Elective	3
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	Sub-Total Credits	16

Sophomore Year Second Semester

Item #	Title	Credits
PSYC 004	Statistics II (Lec/Lab)	4
	Psychology Core Course	3
	General Elective (Options: To be determined in consultation with advisor)	3
	3rd Writing	3
	Philosophy Elective * (Options: Courses under Code PHIL 051, 053, 055, 057 and 059)	3
Sub-Total Credits		16

Junior Year First Semester

Item #	Title	Credits
	Psychology Core Course	3
	Humanities Elective	3
	Social Science Elective	3
	General Elective (Options: To be determined in consultation with advisor)	3
	Experiential Learning	3
Sub-Total Credits		15

Junior Year Second Semester

Item #	Title	Credits
	Psychology Core Course	3
	Psychology Major Elective Courses	3
	Humanities Elective	3
	Social Science Elective	3
	General Elective (Options: To be determined in consultation with advisor)	3
Sub-Total Credits		15

Senior Year First Semester

Item #	Title	Credits
PSYC 011	Capstone Senior Seminar	1
	Psychology Major Elective Courses	3
	Health Education Requirement (Options: Courses under subject code HHPL)	1
	General Elective (Options: To be determined in consultation with advisor)	3
	Natural Science Elective	3
	Humanities Elective	3
Sub-Total Credits		14

Senior Year Second Semester

Item #	Title	Credits
	Psychology Major Elective Courses	3
	General Elective (Options: To be determined in consultation with advisor)	3
	Humanities Elective	3
	Natural Science Elective	3
	Health Education Requirement (Options: Courses under subject code HHPL)	1
	Sub-Total Credits	13
	Total credits:	120

Category Descriptions

MATH 006/007

ENGW 101/102/104

Choose between ENGW 101, ENGW 102, OR ENGW 104

Humanities Elective

ENGW 103/105

World Language and Culture Requirement (Options: See Elective Group Descriptions)

Foreign Language - Amharic*	3
Foreign Language - Arabic*	3
Foreign Language - Chinese*	3
Foreign Language - French*	3
Foreign Language - German	3
Foreign Language - Haitian Creole* (Options: Courses under code HACR)	3
Foreign Language - Spanish*	3
Foreign Language - Swahili*	3
Foreign Language - Wolof*	3

African Diasporic Cluster

African Studies Elective (Options: Courses under subject code AFST)	3
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Psychology Core Course

Core Content Domain Courses

Psychology Majors: Choose any 4 courses Psychology Minors: Choose 1 course

PSYC 020 Abnormal Psychology or PSYC 716 (WAC)

PSYC 021 Cognitive Psychology

PSYC 022 Developmental Psychology

PSYC 023 Neuropsychology

PSYC 024 Personality Psychology or PSYC 723 (WAC)

PSYC 025 Social Psychology

Social Science Elective

General Elective (Options: To be determined in consultation with advisor)

3rd Writing

1 Class in **ENGL** 009 or 010 or 129 or 700 level course

Philosophy Elective * (Options: Courses under Code PHIL 051, 053, 055, 057 and 059)

PHIL 051	Principles of Reasoning	3
PHIL 055/057	Intro to Philosophy	3
PHIL 057	Intro to Ethics (Honors)	3

Experiential Learning

Psychology Major Elective Courses

Electives

(9 credit hours required; with at least one

course from Cluster 1 and one from Cluster II)

PSYC 030	Psychology of the Black ExperienceI
PSYC 031	Cross Cultural PsychologyI
PSYC 032	Psychology of GenderI
PSYC 033	Race and RacismI
PSYC 034	Intro to Clinical PsychologyII
PSYC 035	Health PsychologyII
PSYC 036	Learning and MemoryII

PSYC 037	Educational PsychologyII
PSYC 038	Psychology of MediaII
PSYC 012	Seminar in Current Topics: TBDII
PSYC 040/1	PracticumIII
PSYC 042/3	Independent Research StudyIII
PSYC 044/5	InternshipIII
PSYC 017	Psychology Research ColloquiumIII
PSYC 013	Advanced Seminar in Quantitative Research MethodsIV
PSYC 014	Advanced Seminar in Qualitative Research MethodsIV

*Students must earn a grade of "B" or better in the Introductory courses for the major.

*Students must earn a grade of "C" or better in all other courses for the major.

I denotes Cluster I: Sociocultural Courses; II denotes Cluster II: Special Topics Courses; III denotes Cluster III: Integrative Experiences;

IV denotes Cluster IV: Advanced Methodology and Statistics Courses

Health Education Requirement (Options: Courses under subject code HHPL)

Natural Science Elective