

ABOUT THE PSYCHOLOGY BS DEGREE:

The B.S in psychology includes scientific, methodological and content preparation for students wanting to pursue graduate work in psychology. The course sequence and requirements emphasize math, science and research methods courses; require research experiences; and help students plan for future specialization such as doctoral programs in psychology and other social sciences, as well as medical school.

STEP 1:

Prerequisites to Major:

Course	Semester	Credits	Grade
PSY 113†		3	
PSY 232†		3	
PSY 200† or STA 308†		4	

Additional Major Requirements:

PSY 301†		4	
PSY 434†		3	
PSY 435† or STA 412†		3	
PSY 489†		3	
At least 3 courses (9 credits) in a Focus Area: _____. Average of focus area courses must be C or better.			
PSY ____		3	
PSY ____		3	
PSY ____		3	
At least 1 course (3 credits) from a different focus area			
PSY____†		3	
PSY 381†		3	
†Grade in course must be C or better			
‡Average grade in courses must be C or better			

An overall GPA of 2.50 or higher is required in all PSY courses.

*Course approved for general education

Additional Major Requirements:

Course	Semester	Credits	Grade
WRT 104*, 106* or 332*		3	
BIO 101 and 103, or BIO 105		3 or 4	
Choose two from: MTH 103*, MTH 107*, MTH 111*, 131*, 132, 141*, 142, 215			
		3 or 4	
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Focus Areas:

Child/School Psychology:
PSY 340, 432, 442, 466, 471, PSY/SOC 430
Cognitive/Neuroscience Psychology:
PSY 361, 384, 385, 432 (cognitive topic), 479 (cognitive topic)
Health/Clinical Psychology:
PSY 254, 255, 334, 335, 436, 460, 479 (health promotion topic). At least two courses must be 300-level or above.
Social/Multicultural Psychology:
PSY 324, 335, 399, 425, 470, 480

Free elective credits

(to meet the 120 credits required for graduation):

Course	Credits	Course	Credits

Please note: Both major and cumulative GPA must be 2.00 or higher in order to graduate.

