

Bachelor of Arts (BA) – Psychology

Catalog Year 2019

For Advising Purposes Only

GENERAL EDUCATION CORE

42 HOURS

COMMUNICATION – CODE 010 (6 HOURS)

ENG 1310, ENG 1320, HON 2301A, or HON 2301B

MATHEMATICS – CODE 020 (3 HOURS)

MATH 1312, MATH 1315, MATH 1317, MATH 1319, MATH 1329, MATH 2321, MATH 2417, MATH 2471

LIFE AND PHYSICAL SCIENCE – CODE 030 (6-8 HOURS)

BIO 1320, BIO 1321, BIO 1330, BIO 1130, BIO 1331, or BIO 1131 (Note: Biology minors require BIO 1330/1130 and BIO 1331/1131)

LANGUAGE, PHILOSOPHY, AND CULTURE – CODE 040

PHIL 1305 (WI), PHIL 1320 (WI), HON 2304A, HON 2304B, HON 2304C

CREATIVE ARTS – CODE 050 (3 HOURS)

ART 2313, DAN 2313, MU 2313, TH 2313, HON 2305A, HON 2305B, or HON 2305C, HON 2305D

AMERICAN HISTORY – CODE 060 (6 HOURS)

HIST 1310 (WI), HIST 1320 (WI), HON 2306A, HON 2306B, HON 2306C, HON 2306D, HON 2306E, or HON 2306F

POLITICAL SCIENCE – CODE 070 (6 HOURS)

POSI 2310, POSI 2320, HON 2307A, or HON 2307B

SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES – CODE 080 (3 HOURS)

ANTH 1312, ECO 2301, ECO 2314, GEO 1310, PFW 1301, SOCI 1310, or HON 2308A

TEXAS STATE AREA OPTION – CODE 090 (6 HOURS)

COMM 1310, HON 2309B, HON 2309F, HON 2309L, or HON 2309O

ENG 2310, ENG 2320, ENG 2330, ENG 2340, ENG 2359, ENG 2360, HON 2309A, HON 2309C, HON 2309D, HON 2309E, HON 2309G, HON 2309H, HON 2309I, HON 2309J, HON 2309K, HON 2309M, HON 2309N, or HON 2309Q

Note: Honors courses are available to members of the Honors College. Visit www.txstate.edu/honors for more info. All Honors course options are Writing Intensive (WI).

ADDITIONAL BA REQUIREMENTS

12-20 HOURS

MODERN LANGUAGE (6 HOURS)

Choose from: American Sign Language, Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Russian, or Spanish

1410* 1420* 2310 2320

*Most students will need to complete 1410 and 1420 as prerequisites before attempting 2310.

ADDITIONAL SCIENCE (3 HOURS)

Choose one (must be different from core): ANTH 2414, ANTH 2415, ANTH 3306, ANTH 3307, ANTH 3308, ANTH 3311, ANTH 3313, ANTH 3315, ANTH 3316, ANTH 3317, ANTH 3318, ANTH 3319, ANTH 3325, ANTH 3328, ANTH 3329, ANTH 3332, ANTH 3335, ANTH 3338, ANTH 3340, ANTH 3342, ANTH 3343, ANTH 3345, ANTH 3347, ANTH 3348, ANTH 3349, ANTH 3356, ANTH 3361, ANTH 3363, ANTH 3364, ANTH 3375, ANTH 3376, ANTH 3376N, ANTH 3376P, ANTH 3376Q, ANTH 3376R, ANTH 3376T, ANTH 3380, ANTH 3381, ANTH 4309, ANTH 4315, ANTH 4320, ANTH 4363, ANTH 4381, ANTH 4382, ANTH 4383, ANTH 4630, any BIO, any CHEM, CS 1319 or above, GEO 1305, GEO 2410, any GEOL, any MATH except MATH 1316, PHIL 2330, or any PHYS

ADDITIONAL ENGLISH LITERATURE (3 HOURS)

Choose one (must be different from core): ENG 2310, ENG, 2320, ENG 2330, ENG, 2340, ENG 2359, or ENG 2360

MINOR

18-29 HOURS

For a full list of minors, please visit the Undergraduate Catalog page at <http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/undergraduate/minors/> Business Administration, Communication Studies, Criminal Justice, Family & Child Development, Social Work, Sociology, and Spanish are minors commonly paired with a BA degree.

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 _____, _____, _____.

Note: A course cannot satisfy both major and minor requirements. Psychology majors may not minor in Forensic Psychology or Sports Psychology.

MINIMUM GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- 120 total hours
- 36 advanced hours
- 30 hours taken at Texas State
- 24 advanced hours taken at Texas State
- 18 advanced hours in Psychology major
- 12 advanced hours in major taken at Texas State
- 24 of the last 30 hours taken at Texas State
- 9 Writing Intensive (WI) hours taken at Texas State
- 2.00 Texas State GPA
- 2.25 Major GPA
- 2.00 Minor GPA

Note: Depending on major and minor combination, some students may need to take open electives to reach the required number of total and/or advanced hours.

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PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR
36 HOURS

PREREQUISITE TIMELINE:

PSY 1300 → PSY 2301 + 2101 → PSY 3402 → PSY 4391 + PSY Group C
All courses in the timeline require a C or higher *except* 4391 and Group C.

PSYCHOLOGY CORE (18 HOURS)

- PSY 1300 Introduction to Psychology
- PSY 2100 Professional Seminar
- PSY 2301 Introduction to Psychology Statistics (Prerequisite: PSY 1300 with C or higher; MATH 1312 or higher [except 1316] with C or higher; recommend with PSY 2101)
- PSY 2101 Introduction to Psychology Statistics Lab (Prerequisite: PSY 1300 with C or higher; MATH 1312 or higher [except 1316] with C or higher; recommend with PSY 2301)
- PSY 3402 Experimental and Research Methods¹ (Prerequisite: PSY 2301 and PSY 2101 with C or higher)
- PSY 3322 Brain and Behavior
- PSY 4391 History and Theory¹ (Prerequisite: PSY 3402 with C or higher)

PSYCHOLOGY GROUP COURSES (9 HOURS)

GROUP A: HUMAN DEVELOPMENT (CHOOSE ONE)

- PSY 3300 Lifespan Development
- PSY 3312 Adolescent Psychology
- PSY 3313 Psychology of Adulthood and Aging

GROUP B: INDIVIDUAL DIFFERENCES/SOCIAL BEHAVIOR (CHOOSE ONE)

- PSY 3315 Abnormal Psychology
- PSY 3316 Personality Psychology
- PSY 3331 Social Psychology

GROUP C: COGNITION AND LEARNING (CHOOSE ONE)

(All Courses in Group C require a C or higher in PSY 3402)

- PSY 3321 Sensation and Perception¹
- PSY 3341 Cognitive Processes¹
- PSY 4342 Learning & Memory¹

ELECTIVES IN PSYCHOLOGY (9 HOURS)

- PSY elective
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Note: All 3000/4000 level PSY courses require C or higher in PSY 1300.

PSYCHOLOGY ELECTIVE OPTIONS

PSY 2311	Psychology of Human Sexuality
PSY 3314	Psychology of Consciousness ¹
PSY 3323	Evolution and Behavior ^{1,2}
PSY 3325	Psychology of Persuasion
PSY 3332	Psychology of Women ¹
PSY 3333	Industrial Psychology
PSY 3334	Psychology of Human Diversity ¹
PSY 3335	Forensic Psychology
PSY 3336	Sport Psychology
PSY 3337	Psychology of Prejudice, Discrimination, and Hate
PSY 3338	Service Learning: Protecting the Vulnerable ²
PSY 3350	Cognitive Behavioral Therapies ¹
PSY 3352	Group Processes ¹
PSY 3361	Health Psychology ¹
PSY 3404	Advanced Research Methods ²
PSY 4318	Psychological Tests and Measurements ²
PSY 4350	Reality Therapy/Choice Theory ¹
PSY 4352	Introduction to Clinical Psychology ¹
PSY 4390B	Emotion and Human Behavior
PSY 4390N	Psychopharmacology
PSY 4390P	Human Factors and Ergonomics
PSY 4390Q	Introduction to Developmental Disabilities ²
PSY 4390R	Intermediate Statistics ¹
PSY 4393	International Psychology ¹
PSY 4395	Individual Study ^{1,2}
PSY 4396	Internship in Psychology ²

¹ Indicates a writing intensive (WI) course.

² Courses have special holds, prerequisites, or require interview.

Note: Electives may also be selected from additional group courses.

To meet with an academic advisor, please contact:

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