

TIPS FOR TRANSFERRING TO UW-MADISON FROM MADISON COLLEGE

PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR

Below we list course recommendations for current Madison College students intending to transfer to UW-Madison and major in Psychology.

COLLEGE OF LETTERS & SCIENCE DEGREE REQUIREMENTS (INTENDED FOR STUDENTS WHO MATRICULATED TO COLLEGE SUMMER 2026 OR LATER)

For more information about Undergraduate Requirements at UW-Madison, refer to [The Guide](#)



TAKE YOUR COMMUNICATION A (COMM-A)

MADISON COLLEGE COURSE OPTIONS INCLUDE: ENGLISH (801): 201



TAKE YOUR QUANTITATIVE REASONING A (QR-A)

MADISON COLLEGE COURSE OPTIONS INCLUDE: MATH (804): 195, 197, 210, 211, 212, 220, 228, 229, OR SOCSCI (809):264.



TAKE COURSES IN LANGUAGE, HUMANITIES, LITERATURE, BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES OR PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Questions? Meet with a Transfer Advisor at Madison College or visit the [Transfer Transition Program's website](#) for pre-transfer resources.

PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Visit Psychology's page on [The Guide](#) or review our Psychology Major Checklist on the Department of Psychology website: psych.wisc.edu -> Undergraduate Program -> Major



TAKE INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY

SOCSCI (809): 198 INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY

*NOTE: STUDENTS NEED A GRADE OF C OR BETTER IN INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY TO BE ELIGIBLE TO DECLARE THE PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR



TAKE AN INTRODUCTORY ZOOLOGY COURSE

NATSCI (806):105 PRINCIPLES OF ANIMAL BIOLOGY*

NATSCI (806):114 GENERAL BIOLOGY

NATSCI (806): 203 INTRO ZOOLOGY

NATSCI (806): 226 INTRO TO HUMAN BIOLOGY*

*NOTE: WE WILL NEED TO ENTER AN EXCEPTION FOR THIS COURSE TO SATISFY PSYCHOLOGY'S BIOLOGY REQUIREMENT



WE RECOMMEND STUDENTS TAKE ONE TO TWO PSYCHOLOGY BREADTH COURSES

SOCSCI (809): 225 SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

SOC SCI (809): 233 DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY*

SOC SCI (809): 237 ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY (ADULT PSYCHOPATHOLOGY AT UW-MADISON)

SOC SCI (809): 296 COGNITIVE PSYCHOLOGY

*NOTE: UW-MADISON SPLITS THE LIFESPAN INTO TWO COURSES (CHILD & ADOLESCENT/ADULT). WE WILL NEED TO ENTER AN EXCEPTION FOR THIS COURSE TO SATISFY OUR DEVELOPMENTAL BREADTH SUBGROUP.



OUR DEPARTMENT ACCEPTS THE FOLLOWING STATISTICS COURSES FROM MADISON COLLEGE

SOCSCI (809): 230 STATISTICS FOR SOCIAL SCIENCES

MATH (804): 240 INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICAL METHODS*

MATH (804): 241 INTRODUCTION TO ENGINEERING STATISTICS

*NOTE: WE WILL NEED TO ENTER AN EXCEPTION FOR THIS COURSE TO SATISFY PSYCHOLOGY'S STATISTICS REQUIREMENT

[Transferology](#) is a resource where you can verify how courses will transfer from Madison College to UW-Madison