TIPS FOR TRANSFERRING TO UW-MADISON FOR CURRENT MADISON COLLEGE STUDENTS TO MAJOR IN PSYCHOLOGY

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

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS
(INTENDED FOR STUDENTS WHO MATRICULATED FALL 2007 OR LATER)

Taking these courses before you transfer will save you time. Questions? Meet with a Transfer Advisor at Madison College or schedule a pre-transfer advising appointment with UW-Madison’s Transfer Transition Program.

- **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 Social Sciences (809): 264.

- **TAKE OTHER COURSES IN HUMANITIES, ETHNIC STUDIES, FOREIGN LANGUAGE OR PHYSICAL SCIENCE**
  - (University/College Breadth Requirements)
  - Madison College options include: Math (804): 195, 197, 210, 211, 212, 220, 228, 229, or Social Sciences (809): 264.

  For more information about College of Letters & Science Breadth requirements, refer to [The Guide](#).

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

- **TAKE INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY**
  - SOCSCI (809): 231. Students need a grade of C or better in Introduction to Psychology to be eligible to declare the Psychology Major.

- **TAKE INTRODUCTORY ZOOLOGY**
  - NATSCI (806): 203. This lecture and lab course will satisfy the biology requirement for the Psychology Major.

- **WE RECOMMEND STUDENTS TAKE ONE TO TWO PSYCHOLOGY BREADTH COURSES**
  - Such as... SOCSCI (809): 225 Social Psychology, 239 Developmental Psychology*, or 237 Abnormal Psychology*
  - Note: At UW-Madison, we split the lifespan into two courses (Child & Adolescent/Adult). Although Developmental Psychology at Madison College transfers as a Psychology elective, we will count the course towards the developmental breadth category.

- **STATISTICS**
  - Psychology accepts the following statistics courses from Madison College - SOCSCI (809): 230 Statistics for the Social Sciences and Math (804): 241 Introduction to Engineering Statistics (both beginning in Fall 2019).
  - SOCSCI (809): 230 will transfer to UW-Madison as an equivalent to Psych 210. We do not accept Math (804): 240 Introduction to Statistical Methods.

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