

PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR CHECKLIST

FOUNDATION

Grade of C or better required in each course

- Introduction to Psychology, Psych 202
- Basic Statistics for Psychology, Psych 210. Accepted substitutes include: Statistics 302, 324, or 371.
- Research Methods, Psych 225

BIO

- Biology, Zoology 101; OR Zoology 151; OR Biocore 381 & 383

BREADTH COURSES

Choose THREE courses from THREE DIFFERENT TOPIC GROUPS

BIOLOGICAL

- Psych 449: Animal Behavior
- Psych 450: Primates & Us: Insights into Human Biology & Behavior
- Psych 454: Behavioral Neuroscience
- Psych 523: Neurobiology

COGNITIVE & PERCEPTUAL SCIENCES

- Psych 406: Psychology of Perception
- Psych 413: Language, Mind & Brain
- Psych 414: Cognitive Psychology

CLINICAL

- Psych 405: Abnormal Psychology
- Psych 401: Psychology of Law & Social Policies

SOCIAL & PERSONALITY

- Psych 403: Psychology of Personality
- Psych 522: Psychology of Women & Gender
- Psych 428: Cultural Psychology
- Psych 456: Social Psychology

DEVELOPMENTAL

- Psych 460: Child Development
- Psych 464: Adult Development & Aging
- Psych 453: Human Sexuality

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DEPTH COURSES

Choose any TWO courses

- Psych 501: Depth Topics
- Psych 502: Cognitive Development
- Psych 503: Social Development
- Psych 505: Depth Topics in Biological Science
- Psych 508: Psychology of Human Emotions: From Biology to Culture
- Psych 510: Child Psychopathology
- Psych 513: Hormones, Brain & Behavior
- Psych 520: How We Read: The Science of Reading & Its Educational Implications
- Psych 521: The Structure of Human Thought: Concepts, Language & Culture
- Psych 525: Cognition in Health & Society
- Psych 526: The Criminal Mind: Forensic & Psychobiological Perspectives
- Psych 532: Psychological Effects of the Internet

CAPSTONE

Choose ONE course

- Psych 601: Current Topics
- Psych 602: Intermediate Statistics for Psychology
- Psych 603: Epigenetics & the Brain
- Psych 606: Hormones & Behavior
- Psych 607: Introduction to Psychotherapy
- Psych 612: Neuropharmacology

ELECTIVE

- At least 3 additional credits in PSYCH at the 300-level and above.

Students may complete any additional PSYCH course(s), including courses from: the Breadth, Depth, or Capstone areas, or directed/independent study and mentored research.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- MINIMUM AVERAGE GPA OF 2.0 in all DEPT/major courses and in all upper level Psychology Courses (upper level courses numbered PSYCH 300 and above).
- You must take at least 15 credits of upper level coursework within the Psychology Department, IN-RESIDENCE (upper level courses are numbered PSYCH 300 or above)
- You must have at least 15 credits in the Psychology Department ON CAMPUS.