

Name _____ Advisor _____ Date _____

PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS ~ CATALOG YEARS 2018-2019 through present

A. Pre-Psychology Major Core Courses (All required)

Core courses must be taken in this sequence

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| _____ Psych 063 | Introduction to the Psychology Major (2) |
| _____ Psych 010 | Introduction to Psychology (3) |
| _____ Psych 042 | Introductory Statistics (4) |
| _____ Psych 144 | Research Design & Experimental Methods (5L) |

You must complete these four core courses with a grade of "C" or better, have at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA, and apply for upper-division Psychology Major Status before taking courses from Areas D through H. You will apply for Psychology Major Status during the semester in which you complete these prerequisites in your Psychology 144 class.

B. Basic Knowledge and Skills (one course required)

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| _____ Psych 36 | Biological Psychology (3) | _____ Psych 145 | Comp/Info Skills in Psych. (3) |
| _____ Psych 60T | Psychology as a Behavioral Science (1-5) | _____ Psych 66 | Abnormal Psychology (3) (Formerly 166) |

C. Basic Applications (one course required)

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| _____ Psych 136 | Human Learning and Behavior (3) <i>(GE before 1999 - Cannot double count)</i> | _____ Psych 173 | Environmental Psych. (4) <i>(Majors cannot use for GE)</i> |
| _____ Psych 162 | Introduction to Clinical Psychology (4) | _____ Psych 175 | Family Counseling (3) |
| _____ Psych 169 | Psych. Aspects of Physical Disability (3) | _____ Psych 176 | Industrial Psychology (3) |

D. Advanced Applications (one course required)

Upper-Division Major Status Required

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| _____ Psych 143 | Intermediate Computer-based Stats (4) | _____ Psych 177 | Behavioral & Cog. Change (4) |
| _____ Psych 149 | Psychological Testing (4) | _____ Psych 178S | Psych. of Special Populations (4) |
| _____ Psych 172 | Applied Behavior Analysis (4)** | _____ Psych 179I | Supervised Field Experience (4) |
| _____ Psych 171S | Community Mental Health (4) | | |

E. Advanced Content (two courses required)

Upper-Division Major Status Required

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| _____ Psych 154 | Personality (4) | _____ Psych 155 | Developmental (4) |
| _____ Psych 156 | Social Psychology (4) | | |

F. Advanced Processes (two courses required)

Upper-Division Major Status Required

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| _____ Psych 121 | Learning & Memory (4) | _____ Psych 125 | Behavioral Neuroscience (4) |
| _____ Psych 122 | Motivation (4) | _____ Psych 128 | Cognitive Psychology (4) |
| _____ Psych 124 | Sensation & Perception (4) | | |

G. Integration (required)

Upper-Division Major Status Required

Senior Standing Recommended

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| _____ Psych 182 | History and Systems (4) |
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H. Advanced Topics (one course required)

Upper-Division Major Status Required

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| _____ Psych 120T | Topics in General Psychology (2-5) | _____ Psych 163 | Multicultural Psychology (4) |
| _____ Psych 123 | Developmental Psychobiology (4) | _____ Psych 180T | Seminar in Psychology (1-5) |
| _____ Psych 140T | Topics in Psychological Methods (4) | _____ Psych 184A/B | Intervention and Support (3) |
| _____ Psych 150T | Problems in Pers., Dev., & Soc. (2-5) | _____ Psych 127 | Forensic Cognitive Science (4) |
| _____ Psych 160T | Topics in Clinical Processes (2-5) | _____ Psych 157 | Evolutionary Psychology (4) |
| _____ Psych 170T | Topics in Psychological Applications (2-5) | | |

THE PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR IS COMPRISED OF A MINIMUM TOTAL OF 43 UNITS

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| General Education | 49 units |
| Psychology Major Requirements | 43-52 units |
| Electives and remaining degree requirements | 19-28 units |
| Total Units to Graduate from CSU, Fresno | 120-124 units* |

*If your catalog year is 2001-2002, you need 124 units. If your catalog year is 2002-03 through present, you need 120 units.

**Only for catalog years 03-04 and after

Make an appointment with an advisor in the Psychology Department to assess your academic progress.

Upper Division General Education IB, IC, ID courses should be taken after completing 60 units.

Upper Division Writing Skills: UDWE or a course with a listing of "W". Please contact the Testing Office at (559) 278-2457.

Please refer to the General Catalog for additional general education, graduation, and degree requirements and policies. 7/2019

2018-2019 GENERAL EDUCATION (G.E.) REQUIREMENTS

NOTES: A minimum of 49 G.E. units are required. All classes are three or more semester units.
Engineering and Liberal Studies majors complete a different G.E. pattern--consult department advisor.

◆ FOUNDATION

Four courses: One in A1, one in A2, one in A3, & one in B4 for a minimum of 12 units.
FOUNDATION courses must be satisfied with a minimum "C" grade.

Area A - Fundamental Skills and Knowledge

- A1 Oral Communication:** Communication 3, 7, 8
- A2 Written Communication:** (Prerequisite for English 5B is passing 5A) English 5B, 10
- A3 Critical Thinking:** Africana Studies 20; Anthropology 30; Chicano & Latin American Studies 30; College of Science & Math 10; Communication 5; Computer Science 1; Geography 25; Interdisciplinary 50; Natural Science 4; Philosophy 25, 45; Sociology 3, 35; Women's Studies 12
- B4 Quantitative Reasoning:** (Co-requisite or prerequisite Math courses may be required. Check with advisors) Criminology 50, Decision Sciences 71; Mathematics 11, 11L, 45, 45L, 70, 75, 75A

Course/Units/Grade

A1 _____
A2 _____
A3 _____
B4 _____

◆ BREADTH

Area B - Physical Universe and Its Life Forms

- Two courses: One in B1 and one in B2--see above for B4
- B1 Physical Sciences:** (Prerequisite: Completion of B4) Chemistry 1A & 1AL, 3A, 10; Earth & Environmental Sciences 1, 1V, 4; Physical Science 21; Physics 2A, 4A & 4AL, 10
- B2 Life Sciences:** Biology 1A, 10, 11, 12
- B3 Laboratory Component:** B1 or B2 must have a lab (All B1 and B2 courses taken at Fresno State have a mandatory lab component.)

B1 _____
B2 _____
B3 _____

Area C - Arts and Humanities

- Three courses: One in C1, one in C2, and a third from C1 or C2
- C1 Arts:** Armenian Studies 20; Art 1, 20, 40, 50; Art History 10, 11; Chicano & Latin American Studies 9; Drama 22, 62; English 41, 43, 44; Music 9, 74, 75
- C2 Humanities:** Arabic 1A, 1B; Armenian 1A, 1B, 2A; Chinese 1A, 1B; Communicative Sciences & Deaf Studies 90, 92; English 20, 30; French 1B, 2A, 2B; German 1B, 2A, 2B; Greek 1A, 1B; Hebrew 1A; Hmong 1A, 1B; Humanities 10, 11, 15, 20; Italian 1A, 1B, 2A, 2B; Japanese 1A, 1B; Latin 1A, 1AH, 1B; Linguistics 10; Persian 1A, 1B; Philosophy 1, 2, 10, 20; Portuguese 1A, 1B; Spanish 1B, 2A, 2B, 3, 4A, 4B

C1 _____
C2 _____
C1 or C2 _____

Area D - Social, Political & Economic Institutions & Behavior, Historical Background

- One course in each sub-area (Prerequisite: GE Foundation A2 for students in English college-readiness Category III and IV)
- D1 American History:** History 11, 12
- D2 American Government:** Political Science 2
- D3 Social Science:** Africana Studies 10, 15, 27; Agricultural Business 1; American Indian Studies 50; Anthropology 2, 3; Armenian Studies 10; Asian American Studies 15; Child & Family Studies 31; Chicano & Latin American Studies 3, 5; Communicative Sciences & Deaf Studies 98; Criminology 10; Economics 25, 40, 50; Geography 2, 4, 81; History 20, 21; Industrial Technology 20; Jewish Studies 10; MCJ 1; Middle East Studies 10; Political Science 1; Psychology 10; Sociology 1 or 1S; Women's Studies 10

D1 _____
D2 _____
D3 _____

Area E - Lifelong Understanding and Self-Development One course

- E Lifelong Understanding & Self-Development:** Animal Science 67; Art 13; Child & Family Studies 38, 39; College of Science & Math 155; Dance 16, 70; Drama 32; Finance 30; Gerontology 10S, 18, 111; Kinesiology 32 & concurrent enrollment in any KAC course; Linguistics 30; Nutrition 53; Peace and Conflict Studies 110; Psychology 61; Public Health 90, 91, 110; Recreation Administration 80; University 1; Women's Studies 18

E _____

UPPER DIVISION G.E. CONSISTS OF 12 UNITS

IB, IC, and ID courses can be taken no sooner than the term in which 60 units of course are completed.

◆ INTEGRATION Three upper division courses--one in each area

- IB Physical Universe and Its Life Forms:** (Prerequisite: Completion of FOUNDATION and Area B) Anthropology 161; Chemistry 170; Computer Science 100; Earth & Environmental Sciences 112, 167, 168; Geography 115, 128; Natural Science 115, 120, 121, 125; Physical Science 131, 168; Physics 100; Plant Science 105; Public Health 161
- IC Arts and Humanities:** (Prerequisite: Completion of FOUNDATION and Area C) Africana Studies 129; Armenian 148; Art 102; Arts & Humanity 105; Dance 171; Drama 163; English 101, 102, 103, 112, 113, 114, 174; French 109, 149; Humanities 104, 108, 110, 118; Interdisciplinary Art Studies 108; Linguistics 115, 130, 138; Music 170A, 171, 187; Philosophy 120, 150, 151; Spanish 125, 129
- ID Social, Political and Economic Institutions and Behavior, Historical Background:** (Prerequisite: Completion of FOUNDATION and Area D) Africana Studies 144; Agricultural Business 155; American Indian Studies 103; Anthropology 116W, 145; Chicano & Latin American Studies 114; Criminology 101, 120, 120S, 153; Economics 146, 167, 176, 183; Geography 173, 184; Gerontology 100; History 101, 154; Jewish Studies 154; Kinesiology 111; Media, Communications and Journalism 178; Peace and Conflict Studies 100; Social Science 110; Sociology 131, 143, 163; Women's Studies 101, 149

IB _____
IC _____
ID _____

TOTAL UNITS _____

Graduation Requirements

PLANNING YOUR DEGREE

- Meet with an Academic Counselor to complete a My Degree Plan (roadmap)**
- Units per semester to graduate:**
 - 4 years: 15 units x 8 semesters = 120 units
 - 5 years: 12 units x 10 semesters = 120 units
- Complete your upper-division writing skills during your junior year (60-90 units)**
- Complete your Application for Degree & pay the fee during the first four weeks of your final semester**

- **120 unit minimum - comprised of:**
 - 49 General Education (or modified version per Major)
 - Major
 - Electives if needed to reach 120 units (minor/certificate/other)
- **2.00 GPA in:**
 - Major
 - Campus units
 - Cumulative units
- **Specific course requirements:**
 - English Composition (English 5A & 5B, 10 or equivalent)
 - US History (History 11, 12 or equivalent)
 - US and California Constitution (Political Science 2, 102 or equivalent)
 - Multicultural/International course

Multicultural/International courses

Africana Studies 150, 164; Anthropology 105W, 120, 123, 125; Asian American 110; Business Administration 104; Chicano & Latin American Studies 160, 170; Communication 164; Communicative Sciences & Deaf Studies 139; Economics 181; Geography 167; Gerontology 161; History 186, Humanities 105, 140; Interdisciplinary Capstone 177, 188S; Linguistics 147; Media, Communications and Journalism 175, 176, 179; Marketing 100S; Plant Science 110W; Nursing 141, 141LS; Public Health 104, 128S; Philosophy 131, 132; Political Science 120; Recreation Administration 130; Sociology 111, 142; Social Science 180; Social Work 136; Womens Studies 110, 120S, 135;

- **Writing Skills Requirement:**
 - Upper-division writing skills (exam or course with a "W")

W courses

Africana Studies 104W; Anthropology 105W, 116W; Business Administration 105W; Chemistry 161W; Chicano & Latin American Studies 102W; Child and Family Science 130W*; Economics 102W; Earth and Environmental Sciences 135W; English 115W, 117W*, 160W; Health & Human Services 116W; History 100W; Industrial Technology 198W; Jewish Studies 100W; LEE 180W; Linguistics 110W, 111W; Media, Communications and Journalism 102W*; Philosophy 133W; Plant Science 110W; Sociology 130W;

Note: a few majors require a specific "W" course; see catalog requirement for your major.

*Enrollment may be restricted or have additional prerequisites. Check the course description in the catalog or my.fresnostate.edu.

Fresno State Residency unit minimums:

- 30 units
- 24 upper-division units
- 12 units in major
- 9 General Education units