

Bachelor of Science in Psychology Degree Check Sheet



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2025-2026

Name _____

Student ID _____

Psychology Requirements (39-43 Hours)

Psychology Core: Must take each of the following and in this order (12-15 hours)

Semester	Grade	(See notes below for additional course prerequisites and rules)
		PSY 2013 Introduction to Psychology (If not completed as part of General Education requirement)
		PSY 2893 History of Psychology
		PSY 3103 ¹ Quantitative Methods for Behavioral Sciences (Prerequisite: Successful completion of General Education MATH)
		PSY 3113 ¹ Research Design in Psychology (Prerequisite: Successful completion of PSY 3103)
		PSY 3123 ¹ Experimental Methods in Psychology (Prerequisite: Successful completion of PSY 3113)

Psychology as a Natural Science: Choose 2 of the following (6-7 hours)^{3,4}

Semester	Grade	(See notes below for additional course prerequisites and rules)
		PSY 3213 ¹ Introduction to Neuroscience (Prerequisites: General Education Math completion and Life Science Completion)
		PSY 3303 ¹ Motivation
		PSY 4323 ^{1,2} Physiological Psychology (Prerequisites: General Education Math completion and Life Science Completion)
		PSY 4343 ^{1,2} Learning Processes
		PSY 4363 ^{1,2} Cognitive Psychology
		PSY 4383 ^{1,2} Introduction to Behavior Analysis

Psychology as a Social Science: Choose 3 of the following (9 hours)^{3,4}

Semester	Grade	(See notes below for additional course prerequisites and rules)
		PSY 2233 Abnormal Psychology
		PSY 2133 Developmental Psychology
		PSY 3403 ¹ Child Psychology
		PSY 3413 ¹ Adolescent Psychology
		PSY 3523 ¹ Social Psychology
		PSY 4553 ^{1,2} Personality Theory

Only 6 hours of PSY 2133, 3403, and 3413 may be applied toward the major

Integrative Psychology: Choose 4 of the following (12 hours)^{3,4}

Semester	Grade	(See notes below for additional course prerequisites and rules)
		PSY 2023 Psychology as a Science and Profession
		PSY 3613 ¹ Cultural Psychology
		PSY 3703 ¹ Educational Psychology
		PSY 380V ¹ Independent Study in Psychology (No more than 6 hours can be applied to the major)
		PSY 4053 ^{1,2} Today's Families (Prerequisite: 12 hours in Interdisciplinary Families Minor or Instructor permission)
		PSY 4553 ^{1,2} Psychometrics (Prerequisite: Successful completion of PSY 3113)
		PSY 4853 ^{1,2} Psychological Seminar (Prerequisites: 12 hours of Psychology courses and Instructor permission; May be repeated for credit)

Notes:

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¹Students must complete PSY 2013 (Introduction to Psychology) before enrolling in any 3000-4000 level Psychology course

²Students may not enroll in 4000-level Psychology courses until they have completed PSY 2893 (History of Psychology)

³Additional courses from Psychology as a Natural Science and/or Psychology as a Social Science sections may be substituted for courses in the Integrative Psychology category

⁴Course rotations (e.g., courses designated Fall) are for guidance purposes only. Although the program tries to maintain the published course rotations, unforeseen circumstances may alter our offerings. Always check the schedule in Self-Service Banner when planning your semester schedules to determine which courses are being offered.

General Education Requirements (32 or 35 Hours)

First Year Experience (3 hours)

Semester	Grade	(See notes below for additional course prerequisites and rules)
		PSY 1013 Psychological Wellness or other Making Connections course (Not required for transfer students when 13+ credit hours are accepted by A-State)

Communication (6 hours)⁵ Must have a C or better

Sem.	Grade		
		ENG 1003	Composition I
		ENG 1013	Composition II

Math (3 hours)⁵

Sem.	Grade	
		MATH 1023 College Algebra
		MATH 1043 Quantitative Reasoning
		STAT 2003 Introduction to Statistics
		Any Math requiring MATH 1023 or higher

Fine Arts and Humanities (9 hours)

Sem.	Grade	Fine Arts: Choose 1 of the following	
		ART 2503	Fine Arts – Visual
		MUS 2503	Fine Arts – Music
		THEA 2503	Fine Arts - Theater

Sem.	Grade	Humanities ^F : Choose 2 of the following
		ENG 2003 World Literature to 1660
		ENG 2013 World Literature since 1660
		PHIL 1103 Introduction to Philosophy

Soc. Sciences, History, and Government (9 hours)

Sem.	Grade	US History/Gov.: Choose 1 of the following	
		HIST 2763	US History to 1876
		HIST 2773	US History since 1876
		POSC 2103	Introduction to US Government

Sem.	Grade	<i>Social Sciences: Choose 2 of the following</i>	
		ANTH 2233	Intro. to Cultural Anthropology
		ECON 2313	Principles of Macroeconomics
		ECON 2323	Principles of Microeconomics
		ECON 2333	Econ. Issues & Concepts
		GEOG 2613	Introduction to Geography
		HIST 1013	World Civilization to 1500
		HIST 1023	World Civilization since 1500
		MDIA 1003	Mass Comm. in Modern Society
		POSC 1003	Introduction to Politics
		PSY 2013⁷	Introduction to Psychology
		SOC 2213	Introduction to Sociology

Life Sciences (4 hours)

Sem.	Grade	(1 class + 1 lab)	
		BIOL 1003/1001	Biological Science/Lab
		BIOL 1063/1001	People & the Environment/Lab
		BIO 1503/1501	Biology of Plants/Lab
		BIO 2013/2011	Biology of the Cell/Lab
		BIO 2103/2101	Microbiology/Lab
		BIO 2203/2201	Human Anatomy & Physiology I/Lab

Physical Science (4 hours)

Sem.	Grade	(1 class + 1 lab OR 1 4-hour course)	
		CHEM 1013/1011	General Chemistry/Lab
		CHEM 1043/1041	Fund. Concepts of Chem/Lab
		GEOL 1003/1001	Environmental Geology/Lab
		PHSC 1203/1201	Physical Science/Lab
		PHYS 1103/1101	Intro. to Space Science/Lab
		PHYS 2034	University Physics I
		PHYS 2054	General Physics I

Electives or Opt. Minor/Certificate

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A student must have 120 hours to graduate. Of those 120 hours, at least 45 of those hours must be upper-level hours (3000-4000 level courses)

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⁵Students must have this requirement completed in the first 45 hours of their degree

⁶One of these courses will be listed under "Departmental Option" in Degree Works

⁷It is highly recommended that Psychology majors take Introduction to Psychology as part of their General Education requirements

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