



BS in PSYCHOLOGY (735420) MAP Sheet

Department of Psychology

For students entering the degree program during the 2009–2010 curricular year.

Students completing this major qualify to do probation work, junior-level social work, and employment interviewing. An excellent choice for graduate programs.

UNIVERSITY CORE AND GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS				PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (52–53.0 total hours)	
UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS (48.5 hours minimum)				At least 36 of the total major credits must be 300-level or above. (Students can enroll in 500-level courses on a space-available basis.)	
<u>Requirements</u>	<u>#Classes</u>	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Classes</u>	At least 23 hours of psychology major credit must be received while in residence at BYU.	
Doctrinal Foundation				A maximum of 13 hours may be taken as Independent Study (only 8 of which may count as residence hours).	
Book of Mormon	2	4.0	RelA 121/H and 122/H	Complete one course from the following:	
New Testament	1	2.0	RelA 211/H or 212/H	Engl 150* Writing and Rhetoric	3.0
Doctrine and Covenants	1	2.0	RelC 324/H or 325/H	Honrs 150* Honors University Writing	3.0
The Individual and Society				Phil 150* Reasoning and Writing	3.0
Wellness	1 or 3	1.5–2.0	from approved list	Complete the following prerequisite courses:	
Citizenship				Psych 101 Orientation to the Psychology Major	1.0
American Heritage	1–2	3–6.0	from approved list	Psych 111* General Psychology	3.0
Global & Cultural Awareness	1	3.0	Anthr 101*, Soc 113*, or PI Sc 472*	Psych 210 History of Psychology	3.0
Skills				Note: These courses must be completed prior to enrollment in Psych 301, 302, 304..	
Effective Communication				Complete one multicultural issues course from the following:	
First-Year Writing	1	3.0	Engl 150*, Honrs 150*, or Phil 150*	Anthr 101* Social/Cultural Anthropology	3.0
Adv Written & Oral Communication	1	3.0	Psych 303* or Engl 315*	EI Ed 351 Multicultural Education	2.0
Quantitative Reasoning	0–1	0–3.0	Math 110 recommended	SFL 354 Cross-Cultural Family & Human Dvlpmnt	3.0
Languages of Learning (Math or Language)	1	4.0	Psych 301*	Soc 113* Multicultural America	3.0
Arts, Letters, and Sciences				Complete the following prerequisite courses:	
Civilization 1 and 2	2	6.0	from approved list	Psych 301* Psychological Statistics (prereq. Math 110)	4.0
Arts	1	3.0	from approved list	Psych 302 Psychological Research Design & Analysis	3.0
Letters	1	3.0	from approved list	Psych 304 Psychological Testing	3.0
Scientific Principles & Reasoning				Note 1: Psych 301 is prerequisite to both Psych 302 and 304 and may be taken concurrently with 210.	
Biological Science	1–2	3–6.0	from approved list	Note 2: Psych 301, 302, and 304 are prerequisite to all other psychology major courses.	
Physical Science	1–2	3–7.0	from approved list	Complete one course from the following:	
Social Science	1	3.0	Psych 111*	Engl 315* Writing in the Social Sciences	3.0
Core Enrichment: Electives				Psych 303* Writing Within Psychology	3.0
Religion Electives	3–4	6.0	from approved list	Complete one gender issues course from the following:	
Open Electives	Variable	Variable	personal choice	PI Sc 472* Internatnl Political Economy of Women	3.0
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:				Psych 306 Psychology of Gender	3.0
Minimum residence hours required		30.0		Soc 367 Sociology of Gender	3.0
Minimum hours needed to graduate		120.0		WS 222 Introduction to Women's Studies	3.0
FOR UNIVERSITY CORE AND MAJOR QUESTIONS CONTACT THE ADVISEMENT CENTER.				Note: If Psych 306 is selected to fill this requirement, it cannot also be used to fill the requirement listed in Cluster B.	
* THESE CLASSES FILL BOTH UNIVERSITY CORE AND PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (13–16.0 hours overlap).				<p>Complete four courses in one of the following clusters, including the required course indicated. In addition, complete three of the courses listed in one or both of the other clusters:</p> <p><i>Cluster A - Developmental and Clinical Psychology:</i> Complete the following required course: Psych 341 Personality 3.0 Complete three courses from the following: Psych 311 Critical Issues in Psychology 3.0 Psych 320 Developmntl Psych: Childhood 3.0 Psych 321 Developmntl Psych: Adolescent 3.0 Psych 322 Developmntl Psych: Adult 3.0 Psych 342 Abnormal Psychology 3.0 Psych 343 Child Psychopathology 3.0 Psych 348 Clinical Psychology 3.0</p> <p><i>Cluster B - Social Psychology:</i> Complete the following required course: Psych 350 Intro to Social Psychology 3.0 Complete three courses from the following: Psych 306 Psychology of Gender 3.0 Psych 311 Critical Issues in Psychology 3.0 Psych 330 Organizational psychology 3.0 Psych 338 Sport Psychology 3.0 Psych 341 Personality 3.0 Psych 352 Applied Social Psychology 3.0 Psych 353 LDS Perspectives & Psych 3.0 Psych 354 Psychology of Religion 3.0 Psych 356 Intro to Health Psychology 3.0 Psych 358 Leadership Development 3.0 Psych 359 Environmental Psychology 3.0 Psych 376 Language Development 3.0</p> <p><i>Cluster C - Behavior, Brain, and Cognition:</i> Complete the following required course: Psych 381 Behavioral Neurobiology 3.0 Complete three courses from the following: Psych 311 Critical Issues in Psychology 3.0 Psych 361 Principles of Learning 3.0 Psych 365 Motivation 3.0 Psych 370 Sensation and Perception 3.0 Psych 375 Cognition 3.0 Psych 382 Stress Psychobiology 3.0 Psych 387 Intro to Primate Behavior 3.0</p> <p>Complete 3 hours from the following capstone seminars: Psych 410R Senior Practicum: Teaching of Psych 8.0V Psych 420R Senior Practicum: Community Projects 8.0V Psych 430R Senior Practicum: Research in Psych 8.0V</p> <p>Note: To enroll in a capstone seminar students must have completed Psych 101, 111, 210, 301, 302, and 304 (or be concurrently enrolled in 302 or 304); one core course from Cluster A, B, or C; and three other 300-level psychology courses (or be concurrently enrolled in the third course).</p> <p>Note 2: Enrollment in Psych 399R will also meet the capstone seminar requirement.</p>	

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Suggested Sequence of Courses:

FRESHMAN YEAR

1st Semester

Psych 101 (FW)	1.0
Psych 111 (FWSpSu)	3.0
Biol 100 or Phys 100	3.0
First-year Writing or A Htg 100	3.0

Rel A 121	2.0
General electives	3.0
Total hours	15.0

2nd Semester

Math 110 (prereq for Psych 301)	3.0
Psych 210 (FWSpSu)	3.0

A Htg 100 or First-year Writing	3.0
Rel A 122	2.0
General electives	4.0
Total Hours	15.0

SOPHOMORE YEAR

3rd Semester

Psych 301 (FWSpSu)	4.0
Biol 100 or Phys 100	3.0
Rel A 211 or 212	2.0
General electives	6.0
Total Hours	15.0

4th Semester

Psych 302 (FWSpSu)	4.0
Psych cultural diversity elective	3.0
HEPE 129	2.0
Religion elective	2.0
General electives	4.0
Total Hours	15.0

JUNIOR YEAR

5th Semester

Psych 304 (FWSpSu)	3.0
Psych gender issues elective	3.0
Civilization 1	3.0
Psych 303	3.0
Rel C 324 or 325	2.0
Total Hours	14.0

6th Semester

Psych cluster required course	3.0
Psych cluster course 2	3.0
Civilization 2	3.0
Religion elective	2.0
General electives	4.0
Total Hours	15.0

SENIOR YEAR

7th Semester

Psych capstone seminar (FWSpSu)	3.0
Psych cluster course 3	3.0
Psych cluster elective 1	3.0
Religion elective	2.0
Arts General Education	3.0
General electives	1.0
Total Hours	15.0

8th Semester

Psych cluster course 4	3.0
Psych cluster elective 2	3.0
Psych cluster elective 3	3.0
Letters General Education	3.0
General electives	3.0
Total Hours	15.0

Your academic advisor can assist you in choosing electives to meet your total hour requirement.

THE DISCIPLINE:

The Department of Psychology offers a program designed to (1) increase the understanding of human behavior, (2) develop skills for applying such understanding, and (3) expand the frontiers of knowledge through student-faculty research and other scholarly activity.

RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES:

Contact the Psychology Department for this information.

HONORARY SOCIETIES AND CLUBS:

BYU sponsors a chapter of Psi Chi the National Honors Society in psychology.

PSYCHOLOGY ASSOCIATION FINANCING:

Many students work up to 20 hours per week. Some find employment on campus and occasionally junior and senior students obtain teaching or research assistantships.

INTERNSHIPS:

Academic internships are available and encouraged. Academic credit is arranged through Psych 399R.

MINORS:

A minor is not required, but students may select a minor or a combination of courses in other departments depending on their educational and professional objectives. The same courses cannot count for both the psychology major and a minor in another department. For students who will go no farther than a bachelor's degree, it is recommended that they broaden their employment opportunities by taking courses in areas of their professional interests.

CAREERS:

Psychologists engage in a variety of academic roles including teaching, research, and administration. They also provide counseling, clinical, and consulting services to individuals and organizations. They are employed in colleges and in universities; public and private schools; clinics, hospitals, and private practice; business and industry; and government and private agencies. The study of psychology has particular value for family life and other cultural and civic responsibilities. It also complements other specializations concerned with human behavior, including the practice of law.

Most professional positions in psychology require advanced degrees, generally the doctorate, though the bachelor's degree may provide employment in such areas as high school teaching, mental health care, detention and probation services, auxiliary social work, and personnel and human resources. The psychology major is a popular preliminary to graduate study in the professions of business, law, and medicine.

For more information on careers in your major, please refer to *From Major to Career*, a publication located in all college advisement centers, or online at: <http://ccc.byu.edu/majortocareer/Book.pdf#page=emod=bookmarks>.

Note: Students are encouraged to complete an average of 15 credit hours each semester or 30 credit hours each year, which could include spring and/or summer terms. Taking fewer credits substantially increases the cost and the number of semesters to graduate.

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