PSYCHOLOGY BA/BS

Psychology involves in the scientific study of the mind and behavior. Psychologists, using the scientific method, discover and create knowledge about human beings as well as help improve the human condition through psychological services. Psychologists pursue their research and human services in clinics, hospitals, schools, colleges, universities, businesses, and military and government agencies as well as a variety of other health and social services organizations. Anyone who works with people (or designs software or machines used by people) can benefit from understanding psychological findings and their applications.

The required courses in the Psychology major are congruent with guidelines from the American Psychological Association. While most sub-disciplines in the field of psychology are included in the program of study, social psychology, research methods and counseling/clinical psychology receive particular emphasis as bases for future careers and graduate study.

Students completing the Psychology major will be able to demonstrate an understanding of and/or the ability to engage in the following.

1. Knowledge Base in Psychology
2. Scientific Inquiry and Critical Thinking
3. Ethical and Social Responsibility in a Diverse World
4. Communication
5. Professional Development

General Education Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Written Communication		
Select one of the following:		6.00
ENGL-101 & ENGL-102	WRITING AND RHETORIC I and WRITING AND RHETORIC II	
ENGL-109	COLLEGE WRITING AND RESEARCH	
Oral Communication		
Select one from the following:		3.00
COMM-101	FUNDAMENTALS OF ORAL COMMUNICATION	
COMM-203	SMALL GROUP COMMUNICATION	
COMM-204	PUBLIC SPEAKING	
Mathematical Ways of Knowing		
Select one of the following:		3.00-5.00
CS-108	INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTER SCIENCE	
or CITPT-108	INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTER SCIENCE	
MATH-123	MATH IN MODERN SOCIETY	
MATH-140	ALGEBRAIC REASONING AND PROBLEM-SOLVING	
MATH-143	PRECALCULUS I: ALGEBRA	
MATH-147	PRECALCULUS	
MATH-153	STATISTICAL REASONING	
MATH-170	CALCULUS I	
MATH-254	STATISTICAL METHODS	
MATH-257	MATHEMATICS FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS II	
MTHPT-130	FINITE MATHEMATICS	
MTHPT-137	MATH FOR TECHNOLOGY	
MTHPT-153	STATISTICAL REASONING	
Humanistic & Artistic Ways of Knowing		
Select one course from two categories:		6.00-7.00
Literature		
ENGL-175	LITERATURE AND IDEAS	
ENGL-257	WORLD CLASSICS	
ENGL-258	INTERNATIONAL LITERATURE	
ENGL-260	NATIVE AMERICAN LITERATURE	

ENGL-261	MYTHOLOGIES	
Arts		
ART-100	INTRODUCTION TO ART	
HUM-101	THE ART AND HISTORY OF THE MOTION PICTURE	
HUM-150	INTRODUCTION TO THE ARTS	
MUS-101	SURVEY OF MUSIC	
MUS-102	MUSIC IN AMERICA	
MUS-150	WORLD MUSIC	
MUS-151	HISTORY OF MUSICAL THEATER	
THEA-101	SURVEY OF THE THEATER	
Language		
NP-101	NEZ PERCE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE	
NP-102	NEZ PERCE LANGUAGE AND HISTORY	
SPAN-101	ELEMENTARY SPANISH I	
SPAN-102	ELEMENTARY SPANISH II	
Scientific Ways of Knowing		
Select one course from two disciplines; one lab		7.00-8.00
BIOF-100	INTRODUCTION TO BIOINFORMATICS	
BIOL-100	CONCEPTS OF BIOLOGY	
BIOL-120	PLANTS AND PEOPLE	
BIOL-123	BIOLOGY IN FILM	
BIOL-175	HUMAN BIOLOGY	
BIOL-227	HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I	
CHEM-100	CONCEPTS OF CHEMISTRY	
CHEM-105	GENERAL, ORGANIC AND BIOCHEMISTRY	
CHEM-111	PRINCIPLES OF CHEMISTRY I	
ENGR-108	SEMICONDUCTORS, SCIENCE, AND SOCIETY	
FSCI-101	INTRODUCTION TO FORENSIC SCIENCE	
GEOL-101	PHYSICAL GEOLOGY	
GEOL-120	INTRODUCTION TO EARTH SYSTEMS	
GIS-271	GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS	
ID-160	WATER AND ENERGY	
ID-240	INTEGRATED SCIENCE II	
NS-140	INTEGRATED SCIENCE I	
NS-150	INTRODUCTION TO NATURAL SCIENCES [1]	
NS-174	NATURAL SCIENCE FOR ELEMENTARY EDUCATOR	
PHYS-111	GENERAL PHYSICS I	
or PHYS-112	GENERAL PHYSICS II	
PHYS-171	PHYS SCIENCES FOR ELEMENTARY EDUCATORS	
PHYS-205	DESCRIPTIVE ASTRONOMY	
PHYS-211	PHYSICS FOR SCIENTISTS AND ENGINEERS I	
Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing		
PSYC-101	INTRODUCTION TO GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
Select one from the following:		3.00
ANTH-102	CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY	
ANTH-120	WORLD PREHISTORY	
ANTH-170	INTRODUCTION TO NATIVE AMERICAN STUDIES	
ECON-201	PRINCIPLES OF MACROECONOMICS	
ECON-202	PRINCIPLES OF MICROECONOMICS	
GEOG-102	INTRODUCTION TO GEOGRAPHY	
HIST-101	WORLD HISTORY I	
HIST-102	WORLD HISTORY II	

HIST-111	UNITED STATES HISTORY I	
HIST-112	UNITED STATES HISTORY II	
HRPT-184	DIVERSITY IN ORGANIZATIONS	
HRPT-185	HUMAN RELATIONS IN ORGANIZATIONS	
POLS-101	AMERICAN NATIONAL GOVERNMENT	
POLS-237	INTERNATIONAL POLITICS	
POLS-285	COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT	
SOC-101	INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY	
SOC-102	SOCIAL PROBLEMS	
SS-184	DIVERSITY IN ORGANIZATIONS	
SS-185	HUMAN RELATIONS IN ORGANIZATIONS	
Global Perspectives		
Select one of the following:		3.00-4.00
ANTH-102	CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY	
ANTH-120	WORLD PREHISTORY	
ANTH-170	INTRODUCTION TO NATIVE AMERICAN STUDIES	
ANTH-360	RACE AND ETHNICITY	
COMM-345	INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION	
ENGL-258	INTERNATIONAL LITERATURE	
ENGL-474	NATIVE AMERICAN WRITTEN LITERATURE	
GEOG-102	INTRODUCTION TO GEOGRAPHY	
HIST-101	WORLD HISTORY I	
HIST-102	WORLD HISTORY II	
HIST-111	UNITED STATES HISTORY I	
HIST-112	UNITED STATES HISTORY II	
HRPT-184	DIVERSITY IN ORGANIZATIONS	
ID-300C	ETHICS AND IDENTITY	
KIN-220	SOCIAL-CULTURAL ASPECTS OF SPORTS	
NP-101	NEZ PERCE LANGUAGE AND CULTURE	
NP-102	NEZ PERCE LANGUAGE AND HISTORY	
POLS-285	COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT	
SOC-101	INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY	
SPAN-101	ELEMENTARY SPANISH I	
SPAN-102	ELEMENTARY SPANISH II	
SPAN-201	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH I	
SPAN-202	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH II	
SS-184	DIVERSITY IN ORGANIZATIONS	
Integrative Seminar: Ethics & Values		
Select one of the following:		3.00
ID 300A - 300Z (see course descriptions for options)		
ID-301A	HELLS CANYON INSTITUTE	
Foreign/Heritage Language		
Select 16 credits of language if selecting Bachelor of Arts Degree		16.00
Total Credits		**37.00**

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Major Courses		
PSYC-205	LIFESPAN DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
PSYC-226	BIOLOGICAL BASES OF BEHAVIOR	3.00
PSYC/ECON/SS-300	STATISTICAL METHODS	3.00
PSYC-311	ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY	3.00

PSYC-320	SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
PSYC-385	RESEARCH METHODS	3.00
PSYC-387	SCIENTIFIC READING & WRITING LAB	2.00
PSYC-407	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT IN PSYCHOLOGY	1.00
PSYC-441	PHIL & HIST ROOTS OF PSYCH SCIENCE	3.00
PSYC-499	RESEARCH PROJECT AND SEMINAR IN PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
Select one of the following:		3.00
PSYC-485	ADVANCED RESEARCH SEMINAR	
PSYC-494	INTERNSHIP IN PSYCHOLOGY	
PSYC-495	PRACTICUM IN PSYCHOLOGY	
Psychology Selectives		
Complete a minimum of 21 credits from below; 15 must be PSYC		21.00
ANTH-102	CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY	
ANTH-310	CULTURE AND HEALTH	
BIOL-227	HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I	
BIOL-228	HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY II	
BIOL-362	CELLULAR AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY	
BUS-360	LEADERSHIP	
BUS-412	HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT	
COMM-205	LOGIC AND ARGUMENTATION	
COMM-320	PERSUASION	
COMM-330	PROFESSIONAL COMMUNICATION	
COMM-384	COMMUNICATION THEORY	
HLTH-245	DEATH AND DYING	
HLTH-246	HUMAN SEXUALITY	
HLTH-247	STRESS MANAGEMENT	
JS-320	JUVENILE DELINQUENCY	
JS-345	CRIMINOLOGY	
JS-425	VIOLENCE AND GENDER	
POLS-200	SOCIAL AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY	
POLS-370	POLITICAL COMMUNICATION	
SOC-315	MARRIAGE AND FAMILY	
SOC-360	RACE AND ETHNICITY	
SOC-375	DEVIANT BEHAVIOR AND SOCIAL CONTROL	
SOC-403	SOCIAL CHANGE	
SOC-425	VIOLENCE AND GENDER	
SW-140	INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL WORK AND SOCIAL WELFARE	
SW-321	HUMAN BEHAVIOR IN SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT I	
SW-322	HUMAN BEHAVIOR IN SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT II	
THEA-215	PRINCIPLES OF ACTING	
Electives		
Select 32 elective credits		32.00
Total Credits		**83.00**

No grade lower than a "C-" will be accepted for a PSYC Major Courses or for Psych Electives.

Sequential Plan of Study

Course	Title	Credits
First Year		
Fall		
CORE	Humanistic & Artistic Ways of Knowing	3.00
CORE	Mathematical Ways of Knowing	3.00

ENGL-101	WRITING AND RHETORIC I	3.00
PSYC-101	INTRODUCTION TO GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
	Credits	**15.00**
Spring		
CORE	Oral Communication	3.00
CORE	Social & Behavioral Ways of Knowing	3.00
ENGL-102	WRITING AND RHETORIC II	3.00
PSYC-205	LIFESPAN DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
	Credits	**15.00**
Second Year		
Fall		
CORE	Humanistic & Artistic Ways of Knowing	3.00
CORE	Scientific Ways of Knowing	3.00
PSYC-226	BIOLOGICAL BASES OF BEHAVIOR	3.00
Program Requirement	Select PSYC Selective course	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
	Credits	**15.00**
Spring		
CORE	Global Perspectives	3.00
CORE	Scientific Ways of Knowing	3.00
Program Requirement	Select PSYC Selective course	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
PSYC-311	ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
	Credits	**15.00**
Third Year		
Fall		
CORE	Integrative Seminar: Ethics & Values	3.00
PSYC-300	STATISTICAL METHODS	3.00
PSYC-320	SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
Program Requirement	Select PSYC Selective course	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
	Credits	**15.00**
Spring		
PSYC-385	RESEARCH METHODS	3.00
PSYC-441	PHIL & HIST ROOTS OF PSYCH SCIENCE	3.00
PSYC-440	COUNSELING THEORIES AND TECHNIQUES	4.00
Program Requirement	Select PSYC Selective course	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
	Credits	**16.00**
Fourth Year		
Fall		
PSYC-407	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT IN PSYCHOLOGY	1.00
Program Requirement	PSYC-485, PSYC-494 or PSYC-495	3.00
Program Requirement	Select PSYC Selective course	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
	Credits	**13.00**
Spring		
PSYC-499	RESEARCH PROJECT AND SEMINAR IN PSYCHOLOGY	3.00
Program Requirement	Select PSYC Selective course	3.00

Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
Elective	Elective Credits	3.00
	Credits	**15.00**
	Total Credits	**119.00**

Graduates with a BA/BS in Psychology go on to obtain careers in a variety of fields:

- Psychiatric Technicians
- Community Relations
- Education
- Human Resources
- Law Enforcement
- Mental Health Technician
- Research Assistants