

# Psychology

## Associate of Science Degree

### Transfer Program

A baccalaureate degree with a major in psychology provides a solid foundation for many careers that require knowledge of human behavior in areas such as business, industry, government, or the helping professions. Completion of a graduate degree (master's or doctorate) is generally necessary, however, for careers specific to psychology. Therefore, students seriously considering such a career option should maintain a grade point average of 3.00 or higher.

Completion of the following courses normally fulfills the first half of bachelor's degree requirements in Psychology. Course selections should be tailored to match requirements of the intended transfer institutions.

### Program Requirements

#### General Education Requirements (see pages 48-49)

Area of Study	Credits
GEM 1 - Written Communication	6
GEM 2 - Oral Communication	3
GEM 3 - Mathematical Ways of Knowing <sup>1</sup>	0
GEM 4 - Scientific Ways of Knowing	8
GEM 5 - Humanistic and Artistic Ways of Knowing	6
GEM 6 - Social and Behavioral Ways of Knowing <sup>2</sup>	3
GEM 7 - Institutionally Designated	4

#### Program Requirements

Course No.	Title	Credits
MATH-253	Principles of Applied Statistics	3
PSYC-101	Introduction to Psychology	3
PSYC-218	Introduction to Research in the Behavioral Sciences	4

#### Choose one course from the following: 3-4

MATH-130	Finite Math
MATH-143	College Algebra

#### Choose two courses from the following: 6

PSYC-205	Developmental Psychology
PSYC-210	Theories of Personality
PSYC-211	Abnormal Psychology

#### Elective Requirements

Courses 100-level or higher 10-11

**Total Credits (minimum) 60**

#### Notes:

- <sup>1</sup> This General Education Requirement is met by the Program Requirements.
- <sup>2</sup> This General Education Requirement is partially met by the Program Requirements.

#### Recommended Courses

BIOL-175	Human Biology	4
CHEM-100	Concepts of Chemistry I	4
or CHEM-101	Introduction to Essentials of General Chemistry I	(4)
INTR-250J	Psychology of Marketing	3
PHIL-101	Introduction to Philosophy	3
or PHIL-103	Ethics	(3)
COMM-223	Interpersonal Communication	3
COMM-220	Intercultural Communication	3