

Department of Psychology
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
Major Code: PSYC
Effective 2020-2021

Curriculum Guide

Freshman Year (31 Hours)

Fall Semester (15 Hours)		Spring Semester (16 Hours)	
PSYC 110 (General Psychology for Majors)	3	PSYC 150 (Info. Process. Tech. in Behav. Res.)	3
PSYC 120 (Freshman Seminar) GE Student Success Course	3	Scientific Reasoning I with lab (see GE)	4
Social and Behavioral Sciences (see GE)	3	SPCH 250 (Speech Fundamentals)	3
ENGL 100 (Ideas and Their Expressions I)	3	ENGL 101 (Ideas and Their Expressions II)	3
MATH 101E or MATH 101 (see note below)*	3	MATH 102 or STAT 214	3

Sophomore Year (31 Hours)

Fall Semester (16 Hours)		Spring Semester (15 Hours)	
PSYC ELEC (Developmental / Social / Personality)	3	PSYC 250 (Psychological Statistics)	3
Scientific Reasoning II with lab (see GE)	4	PSYC 252 (Applications of Psychological Statistics)	3
FOLA 1 (Foreign Language I)**	3	FOLA 2 (Foreign Language II)**	3
African-American Culture / History (see GE)	3	Global Awareness (see GE)	3
FREE ELEC 1	3	Humanities / Fine Arts (see GE)	3

Junior Year (30 Hours)

Fall Semester (15 Hours)		Spring Semester (15 Hours)	
PSYC 230 (Black Psychology)	3	PSYC ELEC (Clinical / Testing / Treatment)	3
PSYC ELEC - (Learning / Memory / Animal)	3	PSYC ELEC – (Sensation / Biological / Neuroscience)	3
PSYC 350 (Methods of Psychological Research)	3	PSYC ELEC (General - #1)	3
PSYC 352 (Applications of Psyc. Res. Methods)	3	FREE ELEC 3	3
FREE ELEC 2	3	FREE ELEC 4	3

Senior Year (28 Hours)

Fall Semester (15 Hours)		Spring Semester (13 Hours)	
PSYC 492 (Seminar in Psychology)	3	PSYC ELEC (General - #3)	3
PSYC ELEC (General - #2)	3	FREE ELEC 8	3
FREE ELEC 5	3	FREE ELEC 9	3
FREE ELEC 6	3	FREE ELEC 10	3
FREE ELEC 7	3	FREE ELEC 11	1

Total Credit Hours: 120

* Students should take the appropriate course based on test score placement. Consult with an academic advisor if you have questions about which MATH course(s) you should take.

Note for students who completed MATH 099 (no longer offered): MATH 099 does not count towards the 120 hours required for graduation. You must subtract three (3) credit hours from your overall “EARNED HOURS” on your transcript, in order to correctly determine how many credit hours you have earned toward graduation.

** Students must take two courses from the same language

GE = General Education List

For more information go to the departmental website: <https://www.ncat.edu/chhs/departments/psychology/index.php>