# Bachelor of Arts (BA) – Psychology

## Catalog Year 2021

For Advising Purposes Only

## General Education Core Curriculum

42 hours

### COMMUNICATION – Code 010 (6 hours)
- ENG 1310, ENG 1320, ENG 1321
- HON 2301A
- HON 2301B
- or any 010 coded course

### MATHEMATICS – Code 020 (3 hours)
- MATH 1312, MATH 1315, MATH 1317, MATH 1319, MATH 1329
- MATH 2321, MATH 2417, or MATH 2471

### LIFE AND PHYSICAL SCIENCE – Code 030 (6 hours)
- Choose two: BIO 1320, BIO 1321, BIO 1330, BIO 1331, or any 030 coded BIO course

### LANGUAGE, PHILOSOPHY, AND CULTURE – Code 040 (3 hours)
- ENG 2310
- ENG 2320
- ENG 2330
- ENG 2340
- ENG 2359
- or any 040 coded course

### Creative Arts – Code 050 (3 hours)
- ART 2313
- DAN 2313
- MU 2313
- TH 2313
- HON 2305A
- HON 2305B
- HON 2305C
- HON 2305D
- or any 050 coded course

### American History – Code 060 (6 hours)
- HIST 1310
- HIST 2371
- HIST 2381
- HON 2306D
- HON 2306E
- or any 060 coded course

### Political Science – Code 070 (6 hours)
- POSI 2310
- POSI 2320
- HON 2307A
- HON 2307B
- or any 070 coded course

### Social and Behavioral Sciences – Code 080 (3 hours)
- ANTH 1312
- CA 2351
- ECO 2301
- GEO 1310
- PFW 1301
- SOCI 1310
- HON 2308A
- or any 080 coded course excluding PSY 1300

### Texas State Area Option – Code 090 (6 hours)
- COMM 1310
- HON 2309B
- HON 2309F
- or any 090 coded course excluding
- MATH 2472, MATH 2473, PHYS 2425
- or any 091/092/093 coded course

### Languages and Culture

*Can be satisfied by taking sophomore literature courses for the 040 and 090/094 components of the core curriculum.

Note: Honors course options are available to members of the Honors College. Visit www.txstate.edu/honors for more info.

## Additional BA Requirements

11 hours

### Modern Language (8 hours)
- Choose: American Sign Language, Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Latin, Portuguese, Russian, or Spanish
- 1410
- 1420

### Additional English Literature (3 hours)
- Choose one:
- ENG 2310
- ENG 2320
- ENG 2330
- ENG 2340
- ENG 2359
- or ENG 2360

*Can be satisfied by taking sophomore literature courses for the 040 and 090/094 components of the core curriculum.

## Minor

18-29 hours

Students seeking a BA in Psychology must declare one of the following minors: Anthropology*, Biology, Biochemistry, Chemistry, Computer Science, Geography, Geology, Mathematics, or Physics. For a full list of minors, please visit the Undergraduate Catalog page at http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/undergraduate/minors/

*Anthropology advanced electives may not include cultural courses; see degree audit for an approved list of physical, forensic, or archaeological options.

Note: A course cannot satisfy both major and minor requirements.

## Minimum Graduation Requirements

- 120 total hours
- 36 advanced hours
- 30 hours taken at Texas State
- 24 advanced hours taken at Texas State
- 18 advanced hours in Psychology major
- 12 advanced hours in major taken at Texas State
- 24 of the last 30 hours taken at Texas State
- 9 Writing Intensive (WI) hours taken at Texas State
- 2.00 Texas State GPA
- 2.25 Major GPA
- 2.00 Minor GPA

Note: Depending on major and minor combination, some students may need to take open electives to reach the required number of total and/or advanced hours.

1 Indicates a writing intensive (WI) course
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**PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR**
36 HOURS

**PREREQUISITE TIMELINE:**
PSY 1300 → PSY 2301 + 2101 → PSY 3402 → PSY 4391 + PSY Group C
All courses in the timeline require a C or higher except 4391 and Group C.

**PSYCHOLOGY CORE (18 HOURS)**
- [ ] PSY 1300 Introduction to Psychology
- [ ] PSY 2100 Professional Seminar
- [ ] PSY 2301 Introduction to Psychology Statistics
  (Prerequisites: PSY 1300 with C or higher; MATH 1312 or above except MATH 1316 with C or higher; recommend with PSY 2101)
- [ ] PSY 2101 Introduction to Psychology Statistics Lab
  (Prerequisites: PSY 1300 with C or higher; MATH 1312 or higher except MATH 1316 with C or higher; recommend with PSY 2301)
- [ ] PSY 3402 Experimental and Research Methods
  (Prerequisites: PSY 2301 and PSY 2101 with C or higher)
- [ ] PSY 3322 Brain and Behavior
- [ ] PSY 4391 History and Theory
  (Prerequisite: PSY 3402 with C or higher)

**PSYCHOLOGY GROUP COURSES (9 HOURS)**

**GROUP A: HUMAN DEVELOPMENT (CHOOSE ONE)**
- [ ] PSY 3300 Lifespan Development
- [ ] PSY 3312 Adolescent Psychology
- [ ] PSY 3313 Psychology of Adulthood and Aging

**GROUP B: INDIVIDUAL DIFFERENCES/SOCIAL BEHAVIOR (CHOOSE ONE)**
- [ ] PSY 3315 Abnormal Psychology
- [ ] PSY 3316 Personality Psychology
- [ ] PSY 3331 Social Psychology

**GROUP C: COGNITION AND LEARNING (CHOOSE ONE)**
- [ ] PSY 3321 Sensation and Perception
  (Prerequisite: PSY 3402 with C or higher)
- [ ] PSY 3341 Cognitive Processes
  (Prerequisite: PSY 3402 with C or higher)
- [ ] PSY 4342 Learning & Memory
  (Prerequisite: PSY 3402 with C or higher)

**ELECTIVES IN PSYCHOLOGY (9 HOURS)**
- [ ] PSY elective
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**Note:** All 3000/4000 level PSY courses require C or higher in PSY 1300.

**PSYCHOLOGY ELECTIVE OPTIONS**
- [ ] PSY 2311 Psychology of Human Sexuality
- [ ] PSY 3314 Psychology of Consciousness
- [ ] PSY 3323 Evolution and Behavior
- [ ] PSY 3325 Psychology of Persuasion
- [ ] PSY 3332 Psychology of Women
- [ ] PSY 3333 Industrial Psychology
- [ ] PSY 3334 Psychology of Human Diversity
- [ ] PSY 3335 Forensic Psychology
- [ ] PSY 3336 Sport Psychology
- [ ] PSY 3337 Psychology of Prejudice, Discrimination, and Hate
- [ ] PSY 3338 Service Learning: Protecting the Vulnerable
- [ ] PSY 3350 Cognitive Behavioral Therapies
- [ ] PSY 3352 Group Processes
- [ ] PSY 3353 Computer Applications in the Social and Behavioral Sciences and Education
- [ ] PSY 3361 Health Psychology
- [ ] PSY 3404 Advanced Research Methods
- [ ] PSY 4318 Psychological Tests and Measurements
- [ ] PSY 4350 Reality Therapy/Choice Theory
- [ ] PSY 4352 Introduction to Clinical Psychology
- [ ] PSY 4390B Emotion and Human Behavior
- [ ] PSY 4390N Psychopharmacology
- [ ] PSY 4390P Human Factors and Ergonomics
- [ ] PSY 4390Q Introduction to Developmental Disabilities
- [ ] PSY 4390R Intermediate Statistics
- [ ] PSY 4390S Latinx Psychology
- [ ] PSY 4393 International Psychology
- [ ] PSY 4395 Individual Study
- [ ] PSY 4396 Internship in Psychology

1 Indicates a writing intensive (WI) course

2 Course has additional pre-reqs or departmental restrictions; refer to the undergraduate catalog or contact the Department of Psychology for more information.

Note: Electives may also be selected from additional group courses.

To meet with an academic advisor, please contact:

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