GENERAL EDUCATION CORE

Communication (6 hours)
(010)_____English 1310
(010)_____English 1320

Mathematics (3 hours)
(020)_____Math 1312, 1315, or above (except 1316)

Physical Science (6-8 hours)
Choose one pair from the following:
(030)_____Biology 1320 and
(030)_____Biology 1421
OR
(030)_____Biology 1330/1130 (Biology Minor) and
(030)_____Biology 1331/1131 (Biology Minor)

Philosophy and Creative Arts (6 hours)
(040)_____Philosophy 1305 (WI) or 1320 (WI)
(050)_____Art, Music, Dance, or Theatre 2313

American History/Political/ Social/Behavioral Science (15 hours)
(060)_____History 1310 (WI)
(060)_____History 1320 (WI)
(070)_____Political Science 2310
(070)_____Political Science 2320
(080)_____Anthropology 1312, Economics 2301 or 2314, Geography 1310, or Sociology 1310

Texas State Component (6 hours)
(090)_____Communication 1310
(090)_____English 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2359, or 2360

MINOR (15-33 hours)
For a full list of minors, please see the Undergraduate Catalog
www.txstate.edu/curriculumservices/catalogs/undergraduate/catalogs

Minors Commonly Paired with Psychology BA:
Business Administration (18 hours), Communication Studies (21 hours), Criminal Justice (18 hours), Family & Child Development (18 hours), Forensic Psychology (21 hours), Social Work (18 hours), Sociology (18 hours), Spanish (15 hours)

Science Minor Required with Psychology BS:
Biology (21 hours), Biochemistry (24 hours), Chemistry (21 hours), Computer Science (22 hours), Physics (21 hours), Math (20 hours), Geology (19 hours), Geography (19 hours), Anthropology with 9 advanced science-based hours (20 hours)

ADDITIONAL BA REQUIREMENTS
Non-Science Minors

Additional Science (3 hours)
Choose one from the following:
_____Any Geology, Chemistry, or Physics
_____Additional Biology (cannot use same biology from Core)
_____Anthropology 2414, 2415, or Advanced Forensic, Archaeology, or Physical Anthropology
_____Computer Science 1319 or higher
_____Math 1317 or higher
_____Philosophy 2330
_____Geography 1305 or 2410

Modern Language (6 hours)
(American Sign Language, Arabic, French, German, Italian, Japanese, or Spanish)
(1410*) _____ 2310
(1420*) _____ 2320
*Most students will need to complete 1410 and 1420 as prerequisites before attempting 2310.

Additional English Literature (3 hours)
_____English 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2359, or 2360

ADDITIONAL BS REQUIREMENTS
Science Minors

Modern Language (8 hours)
(American Sign Language, Arabic, French, German, Italian, Japanese, or Spanish)
_____1410 _____ 1420

Additional English Literature (3 hours)
_____English 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2359, 2360, or 3303 (Technical Writing)

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
_____2.00 Texas State GPA
_____2.25 Major GPA
_____2.00 Minor GPA
_____120 Total Hours
_____30 Hours at Texas State
_____36 Advanced Hours
_____24 Advanced Hours at Texas State
_____18 Advanced Hours in Psychology
_____12 Advanced Hours in Psychology at Texas State
_____24 of the last 30 Hours at Texas State
_____9 Writing Intensive (WI) Hours at Texas State
**Psychology Bachelor of Arts / Bachelor of Science**  
**Catalog Year 2014**  
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### Psychology Major (36 Hours)

**Prerequisite Timeline (minimum 4 semesters)**

1. PSY 1300 & Math 1312 or 1315 →
2. PSY 2301/2101 →
3. PSY 3402 →
4. Group C course & PSY 4391

(courses need grade of C or higher, except PSY 4391 or Group C)

### Core Courses (18 Hours)

- **1300 Introduction to Psychology**
- **2100 Professional Seminar**
- **2301 Intro to Statistics – Prerequisite: C or better in PSY 1300 and Math 1312 or above (except MATH 1316)**
- **2101 Intro to Statistics Lab - Concurrent enrollment in PSY 2301 or previous credit in PSY 2301 is required**
- **3402 Experimental & Research Methods (WI) – Prerequisite: C or better in PSY 2101 and PSY 2301**
- **3322 Brain & Behavior**
- **4391 History & Theory (WI)**

### Grouped Courses (9 Hours)

**Group A: Human Development**

*Choose one from the following:*

- **3300 Lifespan Development**
- **3312 Adolescent Psychology***
- **3313 Adulthood & Aging**

**Group B: Individual Differences / Social Behavior**

*Choose one from the following:*

- **3315 Abnormal Psychology**
- **3316 Personality Psychology**
- **3331 Social Psychology**

**Group C: Cognitive & Learning**

*(All courses in Group C require a grade of C or better in PSY 3402)*

*Choose one from the following:*

- **3321 Sensation & Perception (WI)**
- **3341 Cognitive Processes (WI)**
- **4342 Learning & Memory (WI)**

### Elective Courses (9 Hours)

Choose 3 from the elective options list or any additional from the grouped courses

### Elective Options

- **2311 Psychology of Human Sexuality**
- **3314 Psychology of Consciousness (WI)**
- **3323 Evolution and Behavior***
- **3325 Psychology of Persuasion**
- **3332 Psychology of Women (WI)**
- **3333 Industrial Psychology**
- **3334 Psychology of Human Diversity (WI)**
- **3335 Forensic Psychology**
- **3336 Sport Psychology**
- **3337 Psychology of Prejudice**
- **3338 Psychology & Law – Protecting the Vulnerable***
- **3350 Behavior Modification & Cognitive Therapies (WI)**
- **3352 Group Processes (WI)**
- **3353 Computer Applications / Social Behavioral***
- **3361 Health Psychology (WI)**
- **4318 Psychological Measurements***
- **4350 Reality Therapy / Choice Therapy (WI)**
- **4352 Introduction to Clinical Psychology (WI)**
- **4390B Emotional & Human Behavior**
- **4390C Interpersonal Relationships**
- **4390M Psychology and Opera**
- **4390N Psychopharmacology**
- **4390P Human Factors**
- **4390Q Introduction to Developmental Disabilities**
- **4390R Intermediate Statistics**
- **4393 International Psychology (WI)**
- **4395 Individual Study (WI)**
- **4396 Internship***

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*Courses have special holds, prerequisites or require interview*

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