

# Transfer Planning Guide 2022-2023

## Major in Psychology

## Bachelor of Science Degree (BS)

## 120 Credit Hours

Texas Education Code Section 61.822 requires that Texas public institutions facilitate the transferability of lower-division course credit through the **Core Curriculum**. The [Core Curriculum](http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/undergraduate/general-education-core-curriculum/) contains nine Foundational Component Areas (42 hours), which every Texas State student must satisfy to graduate.

Texas State is a participant in the **Texas Common Course Numbering System** [(TCCNS).](https://www.tccns.org/) Use the TCCNS to find courses you can take at your institution to ensure transfer of credit toward freshman- and sophomore- level degree requirements at Texas State.

| Code | Course | Required Hours |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 010 | Communication | 6 required hours |
| 020 | Mathematics | 3 required hours *(see Recommended Core Curriculum Choices below)* |
| 030 | Life and Physical Sciences | 6 required hours *(see Recommended Core Curriculum Choices below)* |
| 040 | Language, Philosophy & Culture | 3 required hours *(see Recommended Core Curriculum Choices below)* |
| 050 | Creative Arts | 3 required hours |
| 060 | American History | 6 required hours |
| 070 | Government/Political Science | 6 required hours |
| 080 | Social and Behavioral Sciences | 3 required hours *(see Recommended Core Curriculum Choices below)* |
| 090 | Component Area Option | 6 required hours *(see Recommended Core Curriculum Choices below)* |

*Students will receive core credit at Texas State for any course successfully completed in the Core Curriculum of the sending institution.*

## RECOMMENDED CORE CURRICULUM CHOICES FOR THE BS in PSYCHOLOGY

This degree requires specific courses for degree completion, and with wise planning, you may take courses that satisfy both the Core Curriculum and the BS requirements:

| Courses | TCCN | TEXAS STATE |
| --- | --- | --- |
| 020 Mathematics | MATH 1314 | MATH 1315 |
| 030 Life and Physical Sciences | BIOL 1308 & 1309 or | BIO 1320 & 1321 or |
| 030 Life and Physical Sciences cont. | BIOL 1306/1106 & 1307/1107 | BIO 1330/1130 & 1331/1131 |
| 040 Language, Philosophy & Culture | ENGL 2322, 2323, 2332, 2333,  2327, or 2328 | ENG 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340,  2359, or 2360 |
| 080 Social and Behavioral Sciences | ANTH 2351, ECON 1301, ECON 2302, GEOG 1303, or SOCI 1301 | ANTH 1312, ECO 2301, ECO 2314, GEO 1310, or SOCI 1310 |
| 090 Component Area Option | ENGL 2322, 2323, 2332, 2333,  2327, or 2328 | ENG 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340,  2359, or 2360 |

## ADDITIONAL LOWER-DIVISION REQUIREMENTS

| TCCN | TEXAS STATE |
| --- | --- |
| MOD LANG 1411 & 1412 | MOD LANG 1410 & 1420 |
| PSYC 2301 | PSY 1300 |
| PSYC 2306  PSYC 2314 | PSY 2311  PSY ELNA (substitutes for PSY 3300) |
| PSYC 2317  PSYC 2319  PSYC 2320  PSYC 2330 | PSY 2301  PSY ELNA (substitutes for PSY 3331)  PSY ELNA (substitutes for PSY 3315)  PSY ELNA (substitutes for PSY 3322) |

## Please note that in order to graduate from Texas State University, students are required to earn a minimum of 36 advanced hours (24 of which must be from Texas State) and 18 advanced hours of PSY coursework (12 of which must be from Texas State). Prospective students should use caution when transferring in an excessive amount of lower-level coursework as they may be required to take additional classes at Texas State to meet the advanced hour requirement.

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UNIVERSITY ADMISSION:

1. Submit a completed [application,](https://www.admissions.txstate.edu/apply) all supporting documents, including an official high school transcript and transcript(s) from every institution attended and application fee, to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions by the stated [priority date.](http://www.admissions.txstate.edu/future/application-dates.html)
2. Students with **1-15 transferable hours** must have a minimum 2.0 GPA in all transferable course work and meet [freshman admission standards.](http://www.admissions.txstate.edu/future/freshman/admissions-requirements) Students with **16-29 transferable hours** must have a minimum 2.5 GPA in all transferable course work. Students with **30 or more transferable hours** must have a minimum 2.25 GPA in all transferable course work. All students must be eligible to return to all previous institutions and be at least one full semester out of high school.

Students transferring to Texas State from a community college may elect to follow the [Texas State](http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/) [Undergraduate Catalog](http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/) that was in effect at the time they enrolled at their community college. Students may also, with the approval of their College Dean, follow a subsequent catalog. Students are reminded to refer to their designated catalog for information related to University requirements for curriculum, graduation, probation/suspension, and other general information.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

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***Texas State reserves the right to withdraw courses at any time, to change its fees or tuition, calendar, curriculum, degree requirements, graduation procedures, and any other requirements affecting students. Changes will become effective whenever authorities determine and will apply to both prospective students and those already enrolled.***

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