

Suggested Curriculum for the BA in Psychology (2018-2019 *Bulletin*)

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PSY 100T 1 hr	PSY 205..... 3 hrs	PSY 303 or PSY elective.....3 hrs	PSY 415 or PSY 414 ^{††} ...3 hrs
PSY 180 3 hrs	PSY 300..... 3 hrs	PSY 3073 hrs	Minor ^{oo}3 hrs
ENG 105 4 hrs	HUM 211 3 hrs	Minor ^{oo}3 hrs	Minor ^{oo} 3 hrs
BIO 101 or US math ^o ... 3-5 hrs	US elect ^o [or For. Lang if needed**] ..3 hrs	US elect ^o 3 hrs	Free elect [†]3 hrs
Foreign Lang*..... 3 hrs	US elect ^o3 hrs	Free elect [†] 3 hrs	Free elect [†]3 hrs
Semester Total14-16 hrs	Semester Total.....15 hrs	Semester Total15 hrs	Semester Total15 hrs
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PSY elective..... 3 hrs	PSY 3013 hrs	PSY 414 or PSY 415.....3 hrs	Minor ^{oo}3 hrs
US math ^o or BIO 101 ^{††}3-5 hrs	CIV 201 or 2023 hrs	Minor ^{oo}3 hrs	Minor ^{oo} 3 hrs
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** If initial foreign language placement was not at the 200-level or above.

o University Studies electives needed from the following categories:

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One course from World's Historical, Literary, & Philosophical Traditions

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One course from Ethics, Social Responsibility, & Civic Engagement

One course from any university studies category (if student took both the 101 and 102 level courses in the foreign language then the 102 course will count for this)

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Additional requirements for graduation:

• Minimum of 120 hrs earned (exclusive of non-degree credit)

• Minimum of 42 upper-level credits

• Minimum of 40 hrs earned at MSU

• Cumulative GPA of at least 2.0

• GPA of at least 2.0 in courses taken at MSU

• GPA of at least 2.0 in major and minor

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