

Suggested Curriculum for the BA*/BS in Psychology for Transfer Students with the AA* or AS Degree

Year 1		Year 2	
First Semester		First Semester	
PSY 300.....	3 hrs	PSY 303 or PSY 307 ^{††}	3 hrs
PSY 301.....	3 hrs	PSY 414 or PSY 415 ^{††}	3 hrs
PSY elective.....	3 hrs	PSY elective.....	3 hrs
Minor ^{°°}	3 hrs	Minor ^{°°}	3 hrs
Minor ^{°°}	3 hrs	Minor ^{°°}	3 hrs
Semester Total.....	15 hrs	Semester Total.....	15 hrs
Second Semester		Second Semester	
PSY 315	3 hrs	PSY Capstone [#]	3 hrs
PSY 307 or PSY 303	3 hrs	PSY elective.....	3 hrs
PSY 415 or PSY 414.....	3 hrs	Minor ^{°°}	3 hrs
Minor [°]	3 hrs	Free elective [†]	3 hrs
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Semester Total	15 hrs	Semester Total	15 hrs

Total = 120 hours.

This suggested curriculum assumes that at the previous institution the student has completed 60 credit hours that include the equivalent of BIO 101 (General Biology) or BIO 221 (Zoology), PSY 180 (General Psychology), and PSY 260 (Lifespan Development).

* **NOTE for the BA:** This suggested curriculum assumes that the student pursuing the BA is transferring in at least 6 credits of foreign language that culminate in proficiency at the 202 level or above. Students who have not completed foreign language proficiency through the 2nd year at their previous institution should consult with their MSU academic advisor for options (e.g., taking the language at MSU or pursuing the BS degree instead)

^{°°} These are the courses needed to complete the minor. Most minors are 21 credit hours (7 courses) but some are more. Refer to the MSU *Bulletin* for the necessary courses.

[†] A free (unrestricted) elective is any course for which the student has completed the prerequisites; free electives may include but are not limited to additional PSY courses and/or courses in the student's minor.

^{††} Whichever course the student did not take in a previous semester.

[#] Capstone to be chosen from: PSY 402, PSY 403, PSY 408, PSY 460, PSY 487, PSY 499. Check MSU *Class Schedule* for which options will be offered in a given semester.

Note. Prior to enrolling in PSY 315 the student must have completed PSY 301 and 6 additional credits in PSY and have completed or concurrent enrollment in PSY 300 (or equivalent). All capstone courses require senior standing, prior completion of PSY 300 and 315, and completed or concurrent enrollment in PSY 260, PSY 303, PSY 307, PSY 414, and PSY 415; PSY 460, 487, and 499 have additional requirements (see current MSU *Bulletin*).

Additional requirements for graduation:

- Minimum of 120 hrs earned (exclusive of non-degree credit)
- Minimum of 42 upper-level credits
- 2.0 GPA in courses taken at MSU
- Minimum of 40 hrs earned at MSU
- 2.0 Cumulative GPA
- 2.0 GPA in both the major and minor (some minors require higher)

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PSY 301.....	3 hrs	PSY 414 or PSY 415 ^{††}	3 hrs
PSY 331 or PSY 332	3 hrs	PSY 332 or PSY 331 ^{††}	3 hrs
PSY 334 or Minor ^{°°}	3 hrs	Minor ^{°°} or PSY 334 ^{††}	3 hrs
Minor ^{°°}	3 hrs	Minor ^{°°}	3 hrs
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Second Semester		Second Semester	
PSY 315	3 hrs	PSY Capstone [#]	3 hrs
PSY 307 or PSY 303	3 hrs	PSY 333 or PSY 335 ^{††}	3 hrs
PSY 415 or PSY 414.....	3 hrs	Minor ^{°°}	3 hrs
PSY 335 or PSY 333	3 hrs	Minor ^{°°}	3 hrs
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