

College of Arts and Sciences 2025-2026 Degree Worksheet

B.A. PSYCHOLOGY

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COLLEGE of ARTS & SCIENCES
Language Requirement

All students who major in the College of Arts & Sciences are required to demonstrate competence in a second language. For complete details:

<https://www.gonzaga.edu/college-of-arts-sciences/about/information-for-students/language-requirement-information>

Credits Sem/Yr

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UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS:

► FUNDAMENTAL CORE COURSES

Year 1: Understanding & Creating

		Credits	Sem	Yr
<i>Writing</i>				
ENGL 101 Writing	<i>(fulfills 3 credits Writing Enriched)*</i>	3		
<i>Reasoning</i>				
PHIL 101 Reasoning		3		
<i>First Year Seminar</i>				
Dept. 193		3		
<i>Communication & Speech</i>				
COMM 100 Communication & Speech		3		
<i>Math</i>				
MATH	<i>(must be above Math 100)</i>	3		
<i>Scientific Inquiry (2cr + 1cr lab)</i>				
BIOL or CHEM or PHYS 104/104L	<i>(taken year 1 or 2)</i>	3		

Year 2: Being & Becoming

		Credits	Sem	Yr
<i>Christianity & Catholic Traditions</i>				
RELI	<i>(see approved list)**</i>	3		
<i>Philosophy of Human Nature</i>				
PHIL 201 Philosophy of Human Nature		3		

Year 3: Caring & Doing

		Credits	Sem	Yr
<i>World/Comparative Religion</i>				
RELI	<i>(see approved list)** (fulfills 3cr Global Studies)*</i>	3		
<i>Ethics</i>				
PHIL 301 Ethics or RELI 330 Principles-Christian Morality		3		

Year 4: Imagining the Possible

		Credits	Sem	Yr
<i>Core Integration Seminar</i>				
Dept. 432		3		

NOTE: some courses have pre-requisites, check the catalog carefully!

► BROADENING COURSES - see approved list**

		Credits	Sem	Yr
Social & Behavioral Science		3		
Literature		3		
History		3		
Fine Arts & Design		3		

► REQUIRED COURSE DESIGNATIONS - see approved list**

		Credits	Sem	Yr
*Writing Enriched		9 total		
Social Justice		3 total		
*Global Studies		6 total		

****for list of approved RELI, Broadening & Designated courses, see :**

<https://my.gonzaga.edu/academics/undergraduate-programs/general-degree-requirements-procedures/university-core>

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33 CREDITS

LOWER DIVISION

9 Credits

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade
PSYC 101	General Psychology	3	
PSYC 202	Statistics for Psychology	3	
PSYC 206	Scientific Principles of Psychology	3	

(Psychology majors must earn a B- or better in PSYC 206)

UPPER DIVISION

minimum 24 Credits

Biological Psychology Cluster:

3 Credits

		Credits	Grade
PSYC 300 or PSYC 305			
PSYC		3	

Learning and Cognition Cluster:

3 Credits

		Credits	Grade
PSYC 310 or PSYC 315			
PSYC		3	

Social and Personality Cluster:

6 Credits

		Credits	Grade
PSYC 318, PSYC 335, PSYC 340 (select two)			
PSYC		3	
PSYC		3	

Developmental Cluster:

3 Credits

		Credits	Grade
PSYC 345, PSYC 350, PSYC 352, PSYC 355, or PSYC 357			
PSYC		3	

Clinical Health Cluster:

3 Credits

		Credits	Grade
PSYC 364, PSYC 390, PSYC 395, PSYC 396, or PSYC 399			
PSYC		3	

Electives:

PSYC 300-497* (One must be 400-level)

6 Credits

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade
PSYC		3	
PSYC		3	

One of the following two (2) courses:

Credits Grade

PSYC 498	Comprehensive Alternate**	0	
PSYC 499	Comprehensive	0	

NOTE:

See reverse side for course titles/details of clusters.

***PSYC 300-497:** majors and minors may take either PSYC 460 **or** PSYC 462 (**but not both**) to fulfill upper-division major/minor requirements.

****PSYC 498** Comprehensive Alternate: this course is for students who have taken PSYC 455/455L (**B or better**) **OR** taken the GRE Subject Test in Psychology and scored at or above the 12th percentile (must report test scores) **OR** done independent research and presented this at a conference.

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Listing of course titles for clusters from page 1.

UPPER DIVISION CREDITS Minimum 24 Credits

Biological Psychology Cluster 3 Credits

3 credits from:

- PSYC 300 Biological Psychology
- PSYC 305 Sensation and Perception

Learning & Cognition Cluster 3 Credits

3 credits from:

- PSYC 310 Cognition
- PSYC 315 Learning

Social & Personality Cluster 6 Credits

6 credits from:

- PSYC 318 Cultural Psychology
- PSYC 335 Social Psychology
- PSYC 340 Personality

Developmental Psychology Cluster 3 Credits

3 credits from:

- PSYC 345 Child Psychology
- PSYC 350 Adolescent Psychology
- PSYC 352 Emerging Adulthood
- PSYC 355 Psychology of Aging
- PSYC 357 Lifespan Development

Clinical Health Cluster 3 Credits

3 credits from:

- PSYC 364 Abnormal Child Psychology
- PSYC 390 Psychopathology
- PSYC 395 Clinical Neuropsychology
- PSYC 396 Seminar: Health/Pediatric Psychology
- PSYC 399 Seminar: Clinical/Counseling Psychology

PSYC 300-497 6 Credits

6 credits, at least one must be 400-level.

These credits may come from any 300 & 400-level courses, including General Electives.

General Electives

- PSYC 320 Seminar: Psychophysiology
- PSYC 330 Emotion
- PSYC 334 Comparative Psychology
- PSYC 365 Ethics in Psychology
- PSYC 370 Educational Psychology
- PSYC 375 Cross-Cultural Psychology
- PSYC 376 Forensic Psychology
- PSYC 380 Industrial-Organizational Psychology
- PSYC 385 Behavior Management
- PSYC 397 Children: Risk & Resilience
- PSYC 398 Seminar: Community Psychology
- PSYC 400 Environmental Psychology
- PSYC 416 Psychology of Gender
- PSYC 427 Culture & Mental Health Seminar
- PSYC 434 Cognitive Neuroscience
- PSYC 449 Advanced Special Electives
- PSYC 450 Advanced Statistics in Psychology
- PSYC 454 Judgement & Decision Making
- PSYC 455/455L Graduate Emphasis: Advanced Research Methods & Lab
- PSYC 457 Poverty & Social Class
- PSYC 458 Social Relationships & Health
- PSYC 465 History and Systems
- PSYC 474 Seminar: Attachment Across Lifespan
- PSYC 476 Mindfulness & Psychotherapy
- PSYC 478 Human Flourishing
- PSYC 490 Directed Study (1-3 credits; graded S/NS)
- PSYC 492 Directed Reading (1-3 credits; graded S/NS or standard)
- PSYC 493 Group Research Topics (1-3 credits; graded S/NS)
- PSYC 494 Tutoring (1-3 credits; graded S/NS)
- PSYC 495 Practicum (1-3 credits; graded S/NS)
- PSYC 496 Individual Research Topics (1-3 credits; graded S/NS)
- PSYC 497 Internship/Research (0-6 credits)

[Please note: only 3 credits of coursework graded S/NS may be used to satisfy major elective requirements]