

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology

Program Curriculum

120 credits

DSU General Education Requirements

All DSU General Education requirements must be fulfilled. A previously earned degree may fulfill those requirements, but courses must be equivalent to DSU's minimum General Education standards in American Institutions, English, and Mathematics.

Code	Title	Hours
General Education Core Requirements (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/generaleducation/#gerequirementstext)		
	English	3-7
	Mathematics	3-5
	American Institutions	3-6
	Life Sciences	3-10
	Physical Sciences	3-5
	Laboratory Science	0-1
	Fine Arts	3
	Literature/Humanities	3
	Social & Behavioral Sciences	3
	Exploration	3-5

Code	Title	Hours
Bachelor of Arts: Foreign Language Requirement		3-16
Complete one of the following:		
- Complete 16 credits in a single foreign language, through earned credit (grade C or higher), credit by examination, or vertical credit from the courses listed on the GE Foreign Language Requirement page ¹		
- Complete a 2020 or higher foreign language course (grade C or higher)		
- Complete a 3060 foreign language course listed below (grade C or higher)		
- Receive 16 transfer credits for GEFL 1000 (8) and GEFL 2000 (8) in a single foreign language (grade C or higher)		

OR

Complete a 1020 course listed below in a second foreign language (grade C or higher) AND one of the following:

- In a language not taught at DSU, receive 12 FLATS exam credits for FLAT 1000 (8) and FLAT 2000 (4)
or
- In a language not taught at DSU, receive 12 transfer credits articulated as GEFL 1000 (8) and GEFL 2000 (4) (all grade C or higher)

OR

Available only to students who are nonnative English speakers, complete one of the following:

- Complete 16 credits of ESL courses listed below (grade B or higher)
- Complete ESL 2750 or ESL 2760 (grade B or higher).
- Submit one of the following test scores required for unconditional DSU admission: TOEFL (61 iBT, 173 CBT, or 500 PBT); or Michigan (70); or USU-IELE equivalent score. Other tests may be accepted for admission to DSU but will not fulfill this requirement. Official scores must be submitted to the Registrar's Office.

Total Hours	3-16
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¹ General Education Foreign Language Classes may be found on the General Education page (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/generaleducation/#foreignlanguage requirementstext).

Code	Title	Hours
Core Psychology Requirements		
MATH 1040	Introduction to Statistics (MA) (meets GE Mathematics requirement)	3
PSY 1010	General Psychology (SS, GC) (meets GE Social & Behavioral Sciences requirement)	3
PSY 1100 or FSHD 1500	Human Development Through Lifespan (SS) (GC) Human Development Lifespan (SS, GC)	3
PSY 2000	Writing in Psychology: APA Style	3

PSY 3120	Cognitive Psychology	3
PSY 3400	Psychology of Abnormal Behavior	3
PSY 3410	Social Psychology	3

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PSY 3020	Applied Research Methods in Psychology	3
PSY 3460	Health Psychology	3
PSY 4000	History of Psychology	3
PSY 4920	Capstone Seminar in Psychology	3

Writing Intensive Depth Requirements

Complete one (1) course each from at least three (3) categories

Developmental:

PSY 3200	Development in Infancy & Childhood	3
or PSY 3220	Adolescence and Emerging Adulthood	
or PSY 3230	Adult Development & Aging	

Cognitive:

PSY 3712	Human Learning & Memory	3
or PSY 4140	Cognitive Neuroscience	
or PSY 4150	Sensation & Perception	

Clinical:

PSY 3320	Survey of Clinical Psychology	3
or PSY 3440	Child & Family Mental Health	
or PSY 4300	Introduction to Counseling & Psychotherapy	
or PSY 4350	Introduction to Marriage and Family Therapy	

Social:

PSY 3420	Psy of Culture & Diversity	3
or PSY 3700	Personality Theory	
or PSY 4200	Psychology of Morality	

Applied:

PSY 3480	Psychology of Sports & Exercise	3
or PSY 4440	Addiction	
or PSY 4510	Industrial-Organizational Psychology	

Psychology Electives

Complete a minimum of 6 credits of additional PSY courses; (3 credits must be upper-division)

Graduation Requirements

1. Complete a minimum of 120 college-level credits (1000 and above).
2. Complete at least 40 upper-division credits (3000 and above).
3. Complete at least 30 upper-division credits at DSU for institutional residency.
4. Cumulative GPA 2.0 or higher.
5. Grade C or higher in each Core Discipline, Research Area, and Psychology Elective course.

Course	Title	Hours
1st Year		
Fall Semester		
First Year Recommended Elective		2
PSY 1010	General Psychology (SS, GC) (meets General Education (Social & Behavioral Sciences) (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/generaleducation/#gerequirementstext))	3
ENGL 1010	Introduction to Writing (EN)	3
MATH 1000	Transitional Mathematics II	4
Foreign Language 1010		4
Hours		16

Spring Semester

PSY 1100	Human Development Through Lifespan (SS) (GC) (GLOCUP (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/generaleducation/#gerequirementstext))	3
ENGL 2010	Intermediate Writing Selected Topics: (EN)	3
Foreign Language 1020		4
General Education (Life Sciences) (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/generaleducation/#gerequirementstext)		3
Hours		13

2nd Year

Fall Semester

PSY 2000	Writing in Psychology: APA Style	3
MATH 1040	Introduction to Statistics (MA)	3
General Education (Fine Arts) (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/generaleducation/#gerequirementstext)		3
General Education (Literature / Humanities) (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/generaleducation/#gerequirementstext)		3
Foreign Language 2010		4
Hours		16

Spring Semester

PSY 3120	Cognitive Psychology	3
PSY 3400	Psychology of Abnormal Behavior	3
PSY 3410	Social Psychology	3
General Education (American Institutions) (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/generaleducation/#gerequirementstext)		3
Foreign Language 2020		4
Hours		16

3rd Year

Fall Semester

PSY 3020	Applied Research Methods in Psychology	3
PSY Writing Intensive Depth Req.		3
Upper Division Elective		3
General Elective		3
General Education (Physical Sciences/Lab) (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/generaleducation/#gerequirementstext)		4
Hours		16

Spring Semester

PSY 3460	Health Psychology	3
PSY Writing Intensive Depth Req.		3
General Education (Exploration) (catalog.dixie.edu/programs/generaleducation/#gerequirementstext)		3
General Elective		3
General Elective		3
Hours		15

4th Year

Fall Semester

PSY 4000	History of Psychology	3
PSY Writing Intensive Depth Req.		3
Psychology Elective: Upper Division		3
Upper Division Elective		3
Psychology Elective		3
Hours		15

Spring Semester

PSY 4920	Capstone Seminar in Psychology	3
Upper Division Elective		3
Upper Division Elective		1
General Elective		3

General Elective	3
Hours	13
Total Hours	120