# **Bachelor of Arts Psychology Major**

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Purpose: The Psychology Major provides the student with the academic and professional preparation necessary to work in the field of psychology or to continue studies in graduate school.

#### Program Outcomes/Goals:

- 1. Students will have a basic understanding of the major concepts, theoretical perspectives, empirical findings, and historical trends in psychology.
- 2. Students will have the ability to weigh evidence, act ethically, and integrate Christian values with psychology as a discipline.
- 3. A student will display professional skills in the area of his or her concentration.

## PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

I.	<b>General Studies</b>	39 Credits	II. Bible and Theology (continued)	
	College and Career Success	3	Systematic Theology I	3
	Darwinism and Intelligent Design	3	Systematic Theology II	3
	Fine Arts Elective	3	Systematic Theology III	3
	Freshman Composition I	3	Systematic Theology IV	3
	Freshman Composition II	3	Theology Elective	3
	General Psychology	3	World Missions and Religions	3
	History Electives	6	III. Major	39 Credits
	Introduction to Philosophy	3	Core Courses:	
	Introduction to Public Speaking	3	Cognitive Psychology	3
	Literature Electives	6	Counseling Elective	6
	Math Elective	3	Developmental Psychology	3
II.	Bible and Theology	45 Credits	Educational Psychology	3
	Apologetics	3	Psychology of Religion and Spirituality	3
	Bible or Theology Elective	3	Psychology Seminar	3
	Evangelism and Discipleship	3	Psychopathology	3
	Hermeneutics	3	Research Methods I	3
	Life and Revelation of Christ	3	Research Methods II	3
	New Testament History and Letters	3	Social Psychology	3
	Old Testament Law and History	3	Statistics	3
	Old Testament Poetry and Prophecy	3	Theories of Personality	3
	Romans	3	Internship (2 semesters)	0

**TOTAL REQUIRED CREDITS: 123** 

## Suggested Four-Year Program

## for the Psychology Major

## Freshman Year

Fall Semester - 12 credits				Spring Semester - 15 credits			
SLS	1501	College and Career Success	3	MISS	1301	<b>World Missions and Religions</b>	3
<b>GNMN</b>	1302	<b>Evangelism and Discipleship</b>	3	<b>BIBL</b>	1322	O.T. Poetry and Prophecy	3
<b>BIBL</b>	1311	O.T. Law and History	3	ENC	1102	Freshman Composition II	3
ENC	1101	Freshman Composition I	3	PSY	1012	General Psychology	3
				COUN	XXXX	Counseling Elective	3

## Sophomore Year

Fall Semester - 15 credits			Spring Semester - 18 credits				
BIBL	2301	Life and Revelation of Christ	3	<b>BIBL</b>	2321	N.T. History and Letters	3
BIBL	2331	Hermeneutics	3	DEP	2004	Developmental Psychology	3
SPC	1608	Introduction to Public Speaking	3	ISC	1502	Darwinism and Intelligent Design	3
EXP	3604	Cognitive Psychology	3	HIST	xxxx	History Elective	3
EDP	2002	Educational Psychology	3	PPE	3003	Theories of Personality	3
				STA	2026	Statistics	3

## **Junior Year**

Fall Semester - 18 credits				Spring Semester - 15 credits			
THEO	3301	Systematic Theology I	3	THEO	3302	Systematic Theology II	3
XXXX	XXXX	Theology Elective	3	XXXX	xxxx	Math Elective	3
LIT	xxxx	Literature Elective	3	HIST	xxxx	History Elective	3
PHI	1010	Introduction to Philosophy	3	COUN	XXXX	Counseling Elective	3
PSY	3213	Research Methods I	3	PSY	3215	Research Methods II	3
CLP	3146	Psychopathology	3				- 1

## **Senior Year**

Fall Semester - 15 credits				Spring Semester - 15 credits			
THEO	4321	Systematic Theology III	3	THEO	4331	Systematic Theology IV	3
THEO	4311	Apologetics	3	BIBL	4301	Romans	3
SOP	4451	Psychology of Religion/Spirituality	3	XXXX	XXXX	<b>Bible or Theology Elective</b>	3
FNAR	xxxx	Fine Arts Elective	3	LIT	xxxx	Literature Elective	3
SOP	4004	Social Psychology	3	PSYC	4104	Psychology Seminar	3
PSYC	4081	Psychology Internship	0	PSYC	4082	Psychology Internship	0

**Bold indicates courses in the Bible and Theology Core.** 

Italics indicates courses in the General Studies Core. Regular type indicates courses in the major.

Following Admissions Assessment, the following courses: BIBL1101 Basics of Biblical Living (Fall), BIBL1102 Christian Belief and Scripture (Spring) may be required during the freshman year in lieu of Bible/Theology electives. Adjustments will be made to satisfy all other course requirements of the degree.