PSYCHOLOGY, B.S. (BEHREND)

Begin Campus: Any Penn State Campus

End Campus: Erie

Suggested Academic Plan

The suggested academic plan(s) listed on this page are the plan(s) that are in effect during the 2025-26 academic year. To access previous years' suggested academic plans, please visit the archive (https://bulletins.psu.edu/undergraduate/archive/) to view the appropriate Undergraduate Bulletin edition.

Psychology, B.S. at Erie Campus

The course series listed below provides **only one** of the many possible ways to move through this curriculum. The University may make changes in policies, procedures, educational offerings, and requirements at any time. This plan should be used in conjunction with your degree audit (accessible in LionPATH as either an **Academic Requirements** or **What If** report). Please consult with a Penn State academic adviser on a regular basis to develop and refine an academic plan that is appropriate for you.

First Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
First Year Seminar	1	Psychology Area Selection*	3
ENGL 15 or 30H†	3	General Education	3
PSYCH 100	3	General Education	3
General Education	3	General Education	3
General Education	3	General Education	3
General Education	1.5		
	14.5		**15**

Second Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
Psychology Area Selection*	3	Psychology Area Selection*	3
Psychology Area Selection*	3	PSYCH 200 or STAT 200	4
General Education	3	Psychology in the Workplace or Human Factors and Design or Science or Data Analytics Selection*	3
CAS 100†‡	3	General Education	1.5
General Education	3	ENGL 202A or 202C†‡	3
	15		**14.5**

Third Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
PSYCH 301W*	4	PSYCH 406W*	4
400-Level Psychology Selection	3	General Education	3
Psychology in the Workplace or Human Factors and Design or Science or Data Analytics Selection*	3	Psychology Area Selection*	3
General Education	3	Elective	3
400-Level Psychology Selection	3	Elective	3
PSYCH 489*	1		
	16		**17**

Fourth Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
400-Level Psychology Selection	3	PSYCH 494*	3
Psychology in the Workplace or Human Factors and Design or Science or Data Analytics Selection*	3	Psychology in the Workplace or Human Factors and Design or Science or Data Analytics Selection*	3
Psychology in the Workplace or Human Factors and Design or Science or Data Analytics Selection*	3	Psychology in the Workplace or Human Factors and Design or Science or Data Analytics Selection*	3
Elective	3	General Education	3
General Education	3	Elective	3
	15		**15**

Total Credits 122

* Course requires a grade of C or better for the major
‡ Course requires a grade of C or better for General Education
# Course is an Entrance to Major requirement
† Course satisfies General Education and degree requirement

University Requirements and General Education Notes:

US and IL are abbreviations used to designate courses that satisfy Cultural Diversity Requirements (United States and International Cultures).

W, M, X, and Y are the suffixes at the end of a course number used to designate courses that satisfy University Writing Across the Curriculum requirement.

General Education includes Foundations (GWS and GQ), Knowledge Domains (GHW, GN, GA, GH, GS) and Integrative Studies (Inter-domain) requirements. N or Q (Honors) is the suffix at the end of a course number used to help identify an Inter-domain course, but the inter-domain attribute is used to fill audit requirements. Foundations courses (GWS and GQ) require a grade of 'C' or better.