



Psychology A.A.

Career Community: Social Sciences

Curriculum Code: 0215

Effective: Fall 2022 – Summer 2027

Description

This degree is designed for students who intend to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a baccalaureate degree in this subject area. Students completing this curriculum will also satisfy the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) between two-year and four-year institutions in Michigan and qualify for an LCC Transfer Studies Certificate of Achievement (1482).

Milestone

In addition to the required General Education courses in Math and English, completion of PSYC 200 with a 2.0 or higher is a key component for success in completing this program. Knowledge obtained in these courses may be the foundation for learning in other required courses. Students are encouraged to contact their faculty if they need additional assistance with learning the concepts presented in these courses.

Additional Information

A student must earn a minimum grade of 2.0 in all courses.

Contact Information

Contact the Social Science and Humanities Department, Arts and Sciences Building, Room 2203, telephone number 517-483-1061, or the Academic Advising Department, Gannon Building – StarZone, telephone number 517-483-1904.

General Education – Transfer Degrees (MTA), Recommended Courses

(For the full list of options, see [General Education](#))

- English Composition – *Select one*
ENGL 121, Composition I, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
ENGL 131, Honors Composition I, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- English Composition (second course) or Communications – *Select one*
COMM 120, Dynamics of Communication, 3 credits / 3 billing hours
ENGL 122, Composition II, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
ENGL 132, Honors Composition II, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- Humanities and Fine Arts – *Select two, each from a different discipline*
HIST 211, U.S. History to 1877, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
HIST 212, U.S. History: 1877 to Present, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
HUMS 213, World Civilizations to 1600, 4 credits / 4 billing hours

HUMS 214, World Civilizations from 1600, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
 PHIL 151, Intro to Logic & Critical Think, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
 PHIL 152, Introduction to Ethics, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
 RELG 150, Intro to World Religions, 4 credits / 4 billing hours

- Mathematics – *Select one, Students wanting to transfer to MSU should select MATH 120.*
 MATH 120, College Algebra, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
 STAT 170, Introduction to Statistics, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- Natural Sciences – *Select two, each from a different discipline, one must be a **lab** course*
BIOL 120, Environmental Science, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
BIOL 125, Introductory Biology, 4 credits / 5 billing hours
 CHEM 125, Basic Chemistry, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
CHEM 135, Chemistry in Society, 4 credits / 5 billing hours
ISCI 131, Integrated Physical Science, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
 PFWH 123, Human Nutrition, 3 credits / 3 billing hours
- Social Sciences – *Select one from a discipline other than PSYC*
 ANTH 270, Cultural Anthropology, 3 credits / 3 billing hours
 GEOG 200, World Regional Geography, 4 credits / 4 billing hours

Program of Study Required Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
PSYC 200	Introduction to Psychology	4 / 4
PSYC 202	Psychology of Personality	3 / 3
PSYC 203	Social Psychology	3 / 3
PSYC 250	Abnormal Psychology	3 / 3

Program of Study Required Courses – *Select one. Students planning to transfer to MSU or EMU should take PSYC 221; all other students should take PSYC 205.*

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
PSYC 205	Human Growth and Development	3 / 3
PSYC 221	Child Psychology	3 / 3

Elective Courses, Recommended Choices – *Select courses to reach the minimum 60 total credits required for this degree. (For the full list of options, see [AA and AS Degree Electives](#))*

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
PHIL 151	Intro to Logic & Critical Think	4 / 4
PSYC 175	Psyc of Death: Prep for Living	3 / 3
PSYC 180	Intro to Positive Psychology	3 / 3
PSYC 209	Cognitive Psychology	3 / 3
PSYC 210	Brain and Behavior	3 / 3

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
PSYC 221	Child Psychology	3 / 3
PSYC 222	Adolescent Psychology	3 / 3
PSYC 240	Psychology of Human Sexuality	3 / 3
SOCL 120	Introduction to Sociology	4 / 4

Minimum Total Credit Hours

60 credits / 61 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

Semester I
MTA English Composition
MTA Mathematics
PSYC 200 – Milestone course
Electives as needed for total credits

Semester II
MTA English Comp (2nd course) or Communications
MTA Natural Sciences
PSYC 202
PSYC 203
Electives as needed for total credits

Semester III
MTA Humanities and Fine Arts
MTA Natural Sciences
PSYC 205 or PSYC 221
Electives as needed for total credits

Semester IV
MTA Humanities and Fine Arts
MTA Social Sciences
PSYC 250
Electives as needed for total credits

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