

Associate in Arts to Bachelor in Arts in Psychology

The following is presented as an articulation agreement between City Colleges of Chicago (CCC) and Governors State University (GSU) for the Psychology degree program based on the current catalogs of both schools. The student would receive an Associate in Arts (AA) degree from one of the CCC and a Bachelors of Arts (BA) degree in Psychology from GSU.

I. TRANSFERABLE GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CURRICULUM: (38-39 Hours) Communications (9 hours)

- ENG 101 - Composition (3)
- ENG 102 - Composition (3)
- SPEECH 101 - Fundamentals of Speech Communications (3)

Humanities and Fine Arts (9 hours)

- Fine Arts Course (3)*
- Humanities Course (3)*
- Humanities or Fine Arts Course (3)*

Mathematics (4 hours)

- MATH 125 - General Statistics (4) (recommended)

Physical and Life Sciences (7-8 hours)

Select one life science course and one physical science course. One course must have a lab.

- Life Science Course (3-4)*
- Physical Science Course (3-4)*

Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 hours)

- PSYCH 201 - General Psychology (3) (Meets PSYC 1101)
- PSYCH 211 - Social Psychology (3) (Meets PSYC 2345)
- Social and Behavioral Science courses other than Psychology (3)*

II. AREA OF CONCENTRATION/MAJOR FIELD (15 Hours)

- PSYCH 224 - Life-Span (3) (Meets PSYC 2201)
- PSYCH 213 - Abnormal Psychology (3) (Meets PSYC 3430)
- PSYCH 215 - Psychology of Personality (3) (Meets PSYC 2410)
- PSYCH 217 - Brain, Mind and Behavior (3) (Meets PSYC 3675)
- PSYCH 240 - Research and Statistical Methods in Behav Sci (3) (meets PSYC 2150)

III. ADDITIONAL COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS (0)*

Human Diversity Requirement (0) (This requirement can be fulfilled within the humanities or social behavioral sciences category by selecting a course with an IAI code ending in *N* or *D*.)

IV. ELECTIVES (6-7 Hours)

REQUIRED A.A. DEGREE PROGRAM TOTAL: 60 Hours

* Refer to the CCC AA/AS guidelines for a list of course choices in Section I-IV.

V. TO BE COMPLETED AT GSU (60 Hours)

Psychology Core (19-22 Hours)

- PSYC 2102 - Thinking and Writing in Psychology (4)
- PSYC 2150 - Introduction to Research Methods (3)
- PSYC 3099 - Ethics in Psychology (3)
- PSYC 3150 - Psychology Statistics (3)
- PSYC 4950 - Psychological Issues and Social Values (3)

Cognitive/Behavioral Psychology: (select **one** of the following*)

- PSYC 3520 - Cognitive Psychology (3)
- PSYC 3524 - Principles of Learning and Behavior (3)

Biological Psychology: (select **one** of the following*)

- PSYC 3675 - Biopsychology (3) [met if PSYCH 217 completed at CCC]
- PSYC 3680 - Introduction to Neuropsychology (3)

(*If both are completed, one can be used towards the Psychology Electives)

Psychology Concentration (0-15 Hours)

(Adding a concentration is optional)

- Forensic Psychology (15)*
- Mindfulness Studies (10)*
- Pre-Clinical Concentration (12)*

Psychology Electives (6-12 Hours)

A minimum of 6 hours must be at the 3000-4000 level.

(See GSU catalog for a list of courses that meet the Psychology Electives and credits required for individual concentration options.)

Electives (11-35 Hours)

A minimum of 9-27 hours must be at the 3000-4000 level. (Amounts will vary based on concentration if selected and psychology electives completed.)

Minimum Required for the BA in Psychology: 120 Hours

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