







2022 - 2023 Major Map

Psychology, BS

School/College: New College of Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences
ASPGSBS



Available accelerated bachelor's/master's degree program options may vary by modality (online vs. on-campus). Students should contact their academic advisor for more information.

Term 1 - A 0 - 7 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 PSY 101: Introduction to Psychology (SB)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ASU 101 or college-specific First-Year Seminar is required of all first-year students. NEW 101 fulfills this requirement. SBS 300 (3 credits) is required for all transfer students in place of NEW 101. Select your Career Interest Communities and play me3@ASU. Activate your Handshake account and build out your profile.
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR			
ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR	3	C	
ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition			
NEW 101: The ASU New College Experience	1		
Term hours subtotal:	7		
Term 1 - B 7 - 13 Credit Hours	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
ENG 101 or ENG 102: First-Year Composition OR			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students may elect to take an MA course in Term 1-B to prepare for MAT 170 in Term 2-A. View ASU Online first-year student registration information here.
ENG 105: Advanced First-Year Composition OR	3	C	
ENG 107 or ENG 108: First-Year Composition			
Interdisciplinary Computer Science Course	3	C	
Term hours subtotal:	6		
Term 2 - A 13 - 20 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 MAT 170: Precalculus (MA)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Psychology BS majors are required to complete one Life Science lecture/lab course (BCH, BIO, FOR, LSC, or MIC - four credit hours) in addition to the General Studies Natural Science (SQ) and (SG) requirements (eight credit hours). PSY 290 may be used to fulfill the SG requirement.
Life Science Lecture and Lab Course	4	C	
Term hours subtotal:	7		
Term 2 - B 20 - 26 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
Social-Behavioral Sciences (SB)	3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a first draft resume.
Historical Awareness (H)	3		
 Complete ENG 101 OR ENG 105 OR ENG 107 course(s).			
Term hours subtotal:	6		
Term 3 - A 26 - 33 Credit Hours	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes

Literacy and Critical Inquiry (L)	3
Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ)	4
Term hours subtotal:	7

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- Develop your **professional skills**.

Term 3 - B 33 - 39 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 PSY 230: Introduction to Statistics (CS)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Build your professional connections -- join the ASU Mentor Network.
Humanities, Arts and Design (HU)	3		
 Complete First-Year Composition requirement.			
Complete Mathematics (MA) requirement.			
Term hours subtotal:	6		

Term 4 - A 39 - 46 Credit Hours Critical course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 PSY 290: Research Methods (L or SG)	4	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Psychology BS majors are required to complete one Life Science lecture/lab course (BCH, BIO, FOR, LSC, or MIC - four credit hours) in addition to the General Studies Natural Science (SQ) and (SG) requirements (eight credit hours). PSY 290 may be used to fulfill the SG requirement. Explore an IGLE international experience or ASU Study Abroad.
Global Awareness (G)	3		
Term hours subtotal:	7		

Term 4 - B 46 - 52 Credit Hours	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C)	3		
Humanities, Arts and Design (HU)	3		
Term hours subtotal:	6		

Term 5 - A 52 - 59 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by 	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
 PSY 330: Statistical Methods (CS)	3	C	
Upper Division Social/Developmental Focus Area Course	3	C	
Elective	1		
Term hours subtotal:	7		

Term 5 - B 59 - 65 Credit Hours	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
Upper Division Elective OR SBS 300: Careers in Psychology	3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SBS 300 (3 credit hours) is required for all transfer students in place of NEW 101.
Elective	3		
Term hours subtotal:	6		

Term 6 - A 65 - 71 Credit Hours	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
Upper Division Cognitive Science Focus Area Course	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upper division (C) and (G) courses used to fulfill the New College Proficiency - Languages and Cultures requirement may not also be used to fulfill the General Studies Awareness Areas (C) and (G) requirements.
Upper Division Language and Cultures: Requirement satisfied through the following: * Completion of six semester hours of upper-division courses that have a Global Awareness (G) or Cultural Diversity (C) designation, in addition to the courses used to meet the University General Studies requirements or four (4) sequential semesters of one foreign	3	C	

language or two (2) semesters of a current computer language.
Adjustment to upper division hours is required if lower division courses are used.

Term hours subtotal: 6

Term 6 - B 71 - 77 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
Upper Division Language and Cultures: Requirement satisfied through the following: * Completion of six semester hours of upper-division courses that have a Global Awareness (G) or Cultural Diversity (C) designation, in addition to the courses used to meet the University General Studies requirements or four (4) sequential semesters of one foreign language or two (2) semesters of a current computer language. Adjustment to upper division hours is required if lower division courses are used.	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upper division (C) and (G) courses used to fulfill the New College Proficiency - Languages and Cultures requirement may not also be used to fulfill the General Studies Awareness Areas (C) and (G) requirements.
Elective	3		
★ Complete Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C) AND Global Awareness (G) AND Historical Awareness (H) course(s).			
Term hours subtotal:	6		

Term 7 - A 77 - 84 Credit Hours	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
Upper Division Psychology Elective	3	C	
Elective	4		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upper Division Psychology Electives must be taken from the course lists below. Thinking about graduate school? Consider registering for a grad school test prep course.
Term hours subtotal:	7		

Term 7 - B 84 - 90 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ Upper Division Social/Developmental Focus Area Course AND Upper Division Social-Behavioral Sciences (SB)	3		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create your professional online presence.
Elective	3		
Term hours subtotal:	6		

Term 8 - A 90 - 96 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ Upper Division Cognitive Science Focus Area Course	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use Handshake to research employment opportunities.
Elective	3		
Term hours subtotal:	6		

Term 8 - B 96 - 102 Credit Hours	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
Upper Division Psychology Elective	3	C	
Related Coursework Elective	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upper Division Psychology Electives must be taken from the course lists below. Additional subjects may be used to fulfill the Related Coursework requirement with academic advisor approval. Complete an in person or virtual practice interview.
Term hours subtotal:	6		

Term 9 - A 102 - 108 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ Upper Division Psychology Elective	3	C	
Upper Division Literacy and Critical Inquiry (L)	3	C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upper Division Psychology Electives must be taken from the the course lists below.
Term hours subtotal:	6		

- PSY 304 may be used to fulfill the upper division General Studies Literacy and Critical Inquiry (L) and the upper division Psychology Elective requirement in the major.
- Gather **professional references**.

Term 9 - B 108 - 114 Credit Hours	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
Upper Division Psychology Elective	3	C	
Upper Division Elective	3		
Term hours subtotal:	6		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Upper Division Psychology Electives must be taken from the course lists below. • Apply for full-time career opportunities.

Term 10 - A 114 - 120 Credit Hours Necessary course signified by ★	Hours	Minimum Grade	Notes
★ Upper Division Psychology Elective	3	C	
Elective	3		
Term hours subtotal:	6		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Upper Division Psychology Elective must be taken from the course list below.

- Courses used to fulfill Psychology Elective requirements may not be used to fulfill multiple psychology major requirements.

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Upper Division Cognitive Science Focus Area	Upper Division Social/Developmental Focus Area	Upper Division Psychology Electives
PSY 320: Learning and Motivation	PSY 315: Personality Theory and Research (SB)	PSY 304: Effective Thinking (L)
PSY 323: Sensation and Perception	PSY 341: Developmental Psychology (SB)	PSY 315: Personality Theory and Research (SB)
PSY 324: Memory and Cognition	PSY 350: Social Psychology (SB)	PSY 320: Learning and Motivation
	PSY 366: Abnormal Psychology (SB)	PSY 323: Sensation and Perception
		PSY 324: Memory and Cognition
		PSY 394: Positive Psychology: The Science of Happiness
		PSY 394: Positive Psychology of Emotional Intelligence
		PSY 394: Psychology of Academic Success
		PSY 341: Developmental Psychology (SB)
		PSY 350: Social Psychology (SB)
		PSY 366: Abnormal Psychology (SB)
		PSY 385: Psychology of Gender (SB)
		PSY 443: Abnormal Child Psychology (L or SB)
		PSY 453: Organizational Behavior (SB)
		PSY 462: Health Psychology
		PSY 468: Psychology and Law

Related Coursework Electives	Interdisciplinary Computer Science Requirement	Life Science Lecture and Lab Course
ASB Elective		BCH Elective
ASM Elective	ACO 100: All About Data: Design, Query, and Visualization (CS)	BIO Elective
COM Elective	CIS 105: Computer Applications and Information Technology (CS)	FOR Elective
JHR Elective	CSE 180: Computer Literacy (CS)	LSC Elective
PSY Elective	EDT 180: Technology Literacy: Problem Solving using Digital Technology Applications (CS)	MIC Elective
SBS Elective		
SOC Elective		

Notes:

- First-Year Composition: All students are placed in ENG 101 unless submission of SAT, ACT, Accuplacer, IELTS, or TOEFL score, or college-level transfer credit or test credit equivalent to ASU's first-year composition course(s), determine otherwise. Students on Polytechnic, Downtown Phoenix and West Campuses are encouraged to complete the Directed Self-Placement survey to choose the first-year composition option they believe best suits their needs. Visit: <https://cisa.asu.edu/DSP>
- Mathematics Placement Assessment score determines placement in first mathematics course.

Total Hours: 120**Upper Division Hours:** 45 minimum**Major GPA:** 2.00 minimum**Cumulative GPA:** 2.00 minimum**Total hrs at ASU:** 30 minimum**Hrs Resident Credit for****Academic Recognition:** 56 minimum**Total Community College Hrs:** 64 maximum**Total College Residency Hrs:** 12 minimum**General University Requirements Legend**

General Studies Core Requirements:

- Literacy and Critical Inquiry (L)
- Mathematical Studies (MA)
- Computer/Statistics/Quantitative Applications (CS)
- Humanities, Arts and Design (HU)
- Social-Behavioral Sciences (SB)
- Natural Science - Quantitative (SQ)
- Natural Science - General (SG)

General Studies Awareness Requirements:

- Cultural Diversity in the U.S. (C)
- Global Awareness (G)
- Historical Awareness (H)

First-Year Composition

General Studies designations listed next to courses on the major map were valid for the 2022 - 2023 academic year. Please refer to the course catalog for current General Studies designations at time of class registration. General Studies credit is applied according to the designation the course carries at the time the class is taken.