PSYCHOLOGY B.S. - By Invitation Only
(effective Fall 2022)

Please refer to the UCR General Catalog for a complete explanation of the following requirements, including course prerequisites and descriptions. Each course chosen must be worth 4 or more units. For further explanation, please contact the Office of Undergraduate Advising for the Department of Psychology.

LOWER DIVISION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR

The lower division requirements listed below must be completed by the end of the sophomore year, with an average grade of "C" or better, with no grade below "C-", and before upper division Psychology courses are taken. All courses must be taken for a letter grade. Transfer students and others entering the major after achieving sophomore standing must complete the requirements within one year by enrolling in applicable courses every quarter until the requirements are met. Students who do not complete the lower division requirements in this timely fashion and with the minimum grade average will not be permitted to continue in the Psychology major. Students must check course descriptions for prerequisite requirements.

A. One course selected from MATH 4, MATH 5A, MATH 6A, or MATH 9A
B. Biological Science: One course from any BCH, BIOL, BPSC, ENTM, NEM, or PLPA
C. Physical Science: One course from any CHEM, PHYS, EARTH SCIENCE with the exception of cultural geography.
D. Two additional courses selected from the CHASS Natural Science and Mathematics breadth requirements

The following courses must be completed with grades of B- or better, with no repeats:

E. Psychology lower division
   PSYC 1
   PSYC 11
   PSYC 12

UPPER DIVISION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BS in PSYCHOLOGY

Required Courses (37-43 units):

1. PSYC 110 or CBNS 106
2. PSYC 132 or 134
3. PSYC 140
4. PSYC 150
5. PSYC 160, 161, 162 or 163
6. Three of the following:
   PSYC 109, PSYC 120L, PSYC 180, PSYC 181, PSYC 182(E-Z),
   PSYC 195, PSYC 197(a total of 4 units/letter grade),
   PSYC 199H
7. One of the following:
   PSYC 136, PSYC 139, PSYC 148, PSYC 169,
   PSYC 190 (a total of 4 units/letter grade)
   (Check catalog for acceptable graduate seminars that can be substituted)
8. 1 Upper Division Psychology Elective
   (PSYC courses numbered 100+ completed for one, four-unit block can be applied; letter grades required)

NOTE: You must have a 2.0 major GPA as well as a 2.0 cumulative GPA and a minimum of 180 completed units to graduate.

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