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## BA-Psychology-Major Code: 2552

This degree is available in a guaranteed 8-semester plan for qualified freshmen. **See your advisor to declare your major and sign an official degree plan.**  
*The prerequisites and corequisites of the degree requirements are subject to change.*

MATH/ENGL prerequisite/co-requisite courses if student does not meet placement requirements:

**Prerequisites:** MATH 0304 \_\_\_\_\_ **Corequisites:** ENGL 0201 \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 0202 \_\_\_\_\_ MATH 0301 \_\_\_\_\_ MATH 0201 \_\_\_\_\_

### FRESHMAN YEAR- FALL SEMESTER: 16 hours

**Courses**

English composition requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade _____
Mathematics requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade _____
SPCH 1203 Intro to Speech Communication	3 Hours		Grade _____
Fine Arts/Humanities/Social Sciences requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade _____
PSYC 1001 Psychology Orientation	1 Hour	Note 2	Grade _____
PSYC 1163 General Psychology	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade _____

### FRESHMAN YEAR- SPRING SEMESTER: 15 hours

**Courses**

English composition requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade _____
Lab Science requirement	4 Hours	Note 1	Grade _____
World Language requirement	4 Hours	Note 5	Grade _____
Additional degree requirement	1 Hour	Note 4	Grade _____
PSYC 2803 History and Systems of Psychology	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade _____

### SOPHOMORE YEAR- FALL SEMESTER: 17 hours

**Courses**

PSYC 2513 Introduction to Behavioral Statistics	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade _____
PSYC 2963 Developmental Psychology: A Life Span	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade _____
World Language requirement	4 Hours	Note 5	Grade _____
Lab Science requirement	4 Hours	Note 1	Grade _____
Fine Arts/Humanities/Social Sciences requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade _____

### SOPHOMORE YEAR- SPRING SEMESTER: 15 hours

**Courses**

PSYC 2613 Research Methods in Psychology	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade _____
PHIL 2753 Introduction to Philosophy	3 Hours		Grade _____
Fine Arts/Humanities/Social Sciences requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade _____
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World Language requirement	3 Hours	Note 5	Grade _____

### JUNIOR YEAR- FALL SEMESTER: 15 hours

**Courses**

PHIL 3203 Ethics Across the Disciplines	3 Hours		Grade _____
PSYC 3613 Experimental Psychology	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade _____
PSYC 3503 Behavioral Statistics	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade _____
History/Government Requirement	3 Hours	Note 1	Grade _____
Additional degree requirement	3 Hours	Note 4	Grade _____

### JUNIOR YEAR- SPRING SEMESTER: 15 hours

**Courses**

PSYC 3133 Social Psychology	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade _____
PSYC 4133 Physiological Psychology	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade _____
PSYC 3183 Cognitive Psychology	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade _____

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Additional degree requirement	3 Hours	Note 4	Grade_____
Additional degree requirement	3 Hours	Note 4	Grade_____

**SENIOR YEAR- FALL SEMESTER: 15 hours**

**Courses**

PSYC 4223 Psychology of Personality	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade_____
PSYC 4303 Sensation and Perception	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade_____
PSYC 4153 Conditioning and Learning	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade_____
Additional degree requirement	3 Hours	Note 4	Grade_____
Additional degree requirement	3 Hours	Note 4	Grade_____

**SENIOR YEAR- SPRING SEMESTER: 12 hours**

**Courses**

PSYC 4953 Psychology Capstone	3 Hours	Note 2	Grade_____
Psychology requirement	3 Hours	Note 2 & 3	Grade_____
Additional degree requirement	3 Hours	Note 4	Grade_____
Additional degree requirement	3 Hours	Note 4	Grade_____

**Total Hours: 120 At least 40 hours must be upper level**

**NOTES**

1. Follow the State General Education Core Requirements, see Graduation Requirements section of this catalog. Follow requirements with the following stipulations: lab science BIOL 1153/1151 is required and select either CHEM 1303/1301 or PHSC 2713/2711; humanities-select one course other than PHIL 2753; social sciences-select two courses other than PSYC 1163.
2. These courses are used to determine major courses in residency, see Graduation Requirements section of this catalog. Must earn a grade of C or better in all PSYC courses applied toward the major.
3. Psychology requirement, three hours: Consult with faculty advisor. Select from PSYC 3123, 3173, 3414, 3653, 3703, 3763, 4233, 4243, 4613, 4803, 4823, 4923, or 493V.
4. Additional degree requirement, 22 hours-at least seven hours must be upper-level. Consult with faculty advisor. A minor is required; follow the respective minor requirements. Remaining hours may be additional PSYC courses or other electives.
5. World language requirement, 11 hours- Must complete through Intermediate I of a world language.

**Prior to graduation students must demonstrate competency in financial literacy by satisfactory completion of FIN 1521 Personal Finance Applications (or an approved substitution) with a grade of C or better, or by a score of 70% or more on a challenge exam for FIN 1521.**

**Transfer Course Information**

The Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) contains information about the transferability of courses within Arkansas public colleges and universities. Students are guaranteed the transfer of applicable credits and the equitable treatment of the application of credits for the admissions and degree requirements. Courses transferability is not guaranteed for courses listed in ACTS as "No Comparable Courses." ACTS-Arkansas Course Transfer System <http://acts.adhe.edu> -select Course Transfer. See Acceptance of Transfer Credits section of the current academic catalog for a complete list of transfer provisions.

**Student Degree Program Requirements**

A student's degree program requirements are those specified in the catalog in effect at the time of declaration of program major. If not on the Guaranteed 8-semester degree plan, students may choose to meet the program requirements specified in the catalog for a later year from when they began their program of study. Students must meet the above program requirements and the graduation requirements as indicated by institutional and college policy. The program can be changed only with the approval of the official advisor. If original courses are eliminated, students may be required to meet new curriculum requirements in the degree program. If students are not enrolled for two or more consecutive terms (excluding summer terms), they must re-enter under the program requirements of the current catalog. Students are responsible for understanding program requirements and changes.

Guaranteed 8-Semester Degree Completion Program Pursuant to Act 1014 of 2005, qualified first-time freshmen with a declared major may elect to participate in the guaranteed 8-semester degree completion program. Students must follow the above degree plan and meet all requirements as outlined in the Guaranteed 8-semester Degree Completion Program contract. The contract and this degree plan must be signed and filed with the advisor before the first day of classes for the student's first term of attendance. The official copy of the contract and degree plan are filed in the Records Office.

Approved by Dr. Georgia Hale, March 1, 2022-Catalog Year 2022-2023. This document is not official until signed and dated by both the student and an authorized university representative.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_