

**Western Michigan University
Department of Psychology
Undergraduate General Psychology Major Requirements**

Introductory Core 3 classes (9 credits)	Number	Title	Prerequisites	Hrs
	PSY 1000	General Psychology	None	3
	PSY 1400	Introduction to Behavior Analysis	None	3
	PSY 1600	Child Psychology	PSY 1000	3

Admission to the General Psychology Major will require a minimum grade of "C" or better in all three Introductory Core Courses (PSY 1000, PSY 1400, PSY 1600); therefore, upon completion of the above three courses, please declare your major by contacting an Undergraduate Psychology Advisor. Contact information can be found at the bottom of this form.

Research Methods Core 2 classes (6 credits)	Number	Title	Prerequisites	Hrs
	PSY 3000	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	PSY 1000; 1400; 1600	3
	PSY 3300	Behavioral Research Methods	PSY 3000*	3

* You can sign up for PSY 3300 concurrent with PSY 3000

Practicum or Laboratory Experience 1 class (3 credits)	Number	Title	Prerequisites	Hrs
	PSY 3550	TA: Psychology	Instructor permission	3
	PSY 3570	Early Childhood Developmental Delays	PSY 1400**	3-9
	PSY 3780	Physiological Psychology: Lab	PSY 3720***	3
	PSY 3970	Practicum in Psychology	Please see practicum handout	3
	PSY 5470	Industrial/Organizational Practicum	Please see practicum handout	3
	PSY 5990	Advanced Practicum in Psychology	Instructor permission	3

**PSY 3570 requires a minimum grade of B for the prerequisite of PSY 1400

***Requires class as a prerequisite or concurrent enrollment.

Based on the semester, certain practicum opportunities may be available that are not listed above; please see your psychology advisor for an updated psychology practicum handout.

Approved Electives 4 classes (12 credits)	Number	Title	Prerequisites	Hrs
	PSY 2500	Abnormal Psychology	PSY 1000	3
	PSY 3240	Abnormal Child Psychology	PSY 1000; 1600	3
	PSY 3260	Forensic Psychology	PSY 1000; 2500	3
	PSY 3720	Physiological Psychology	PSY 3300	3
	PSY 3960	Topical Studies in Psychology	PSY 1000	3
	PSY 3980	Independent Study	Instructor Permission	3
	PSY 4280	Psychology of Aging	PSY 1000; 1600; 2500	3
	PSY 4440	Industrial/Organizational Behavior	PSY 3600; minors and other non-majors not allowed to enroll	3
	PSY 4630	Health Psychology	PSY 1000; 1600	3
	PSY 4700	ABA in Developmental Disabilities	PSY 3300; 3600	3
	PSY 5170	Psychology in the Schools	****Must Be Junior Status	3
	PSY 5240	Human Sexuality	****Must Be Junior Status; minors and other non-majors not allowed to enroll	3
	PSY 5260	Human Drug Use and Abuse	****Must Be Junior Status	3
	PSY 5610	Introduction to Clinical Psychology	****Must Be Junior Status	3
	PSY 5740	Cross Cultural Psychology	****Must Be Junior Status	3
	PSY 5950	History of Psychology	****Must Be Junior Status	3

****Need to have junior status or above to take 5000-level courses.

All course work in Psychology must be completed with a grade of C or better to count towards the Psychology Major requirements.

Total: 30 Credit Hours

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