



This program roadmap represents one possible pathway to complete the program. **Please see a counselor** to create an education plan that is customized to meet your needs. This roadmap is not a guarantee of course availability or financial aid applicability.

Catalog: 2024-25**GE Pattern:** local AA/AS**Total Units:** 60

First Year

Semester 1

8 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	PSYC 300 / 480 ^H	General Principles	3	Vb
GE	ENGWR 300 / 480 ^H	College Composition	3	Ila WC
GE		any Area IIIb (Life Development Skills) course	2	IIIb

Semester 2

7 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	PSYC 330	Introductory Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	3	IIb MC
GE		any Area I (Humanities) course	3	I
GE		any Area IIIa (Physical Education) course	1	IIIa

Second Year

Semester 3

6 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	PSYC 335	Research Methods in Psychology	3	
Elec		any elective course numbered 300-499	3	

Semester 4

9 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
RE	PSYC 356 ¹	Human Sexuality	3	
Elec		any elective course numbered 300-499	3	
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¹ or PSYC 305, 320, 340, 354, 361, 365, 370, 373, 390, 400 or 481

Third Year

Semester 5

9 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	PSYC 310	Biological Psychology	3	IV
Elec		any elective course numbered 300-499	3	

TRANSFER PATH

Potential Transfer Majors:

- Psychology B.A.

Potential Career/Options After Completing a Bachelor's Degree:

The [American Psychological Association website](#) includes a long list of potential careers after completing a Bachelor's degree.

Advising Notes:

- Students can substitute ESLW 340 for ENGWR 300/480.
- Students are assumed to be ready for PSYC 330 by the second semester. PSYC 330 requires prerequisite knowledge of intermediate algebra.
- Students are encouraged to take PSYC 365/HSER 330 (*Issues of Diverse Populations*) for GE Area VI.

Other Notes to Students Preparing to Transfer:

- Students who meet the eligibility criteria for ARC Psi Beta (Psychology Honors Club) are encouraged to join in their second semester.
- See [ASSIST.ORG](#) for the transfer requirements of the institution to which you plan to transfer
- The UC system requires proficiency in a language other than English equivalent to two years of high school study. [See a counselor](#) about fulfilling this requirement.

Honors Courses (H):

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Elec		any elective course numbered 300-499	3	

Semester 6

6 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
RE	PSYC 373 ²	Child Psychology	3	
GE		any Area Va (American Institutions) course	3	Va

² or PSYC 320 or 370, if not already taken

Students with a cumulative GPA of 3.2 or better who complete 15 or more units of Honors coursework earn an Honors Transfer Certificate and can take advantage of honors-to-honors transfer agreements with highly selective colleges and universities, both public and private.

Fourth Year

Semester 7

9 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
GE	PSYC 365 / HSER 330	Issues of Diverse Populations	3	VI
Elec	PSYC 400 / HSER 340	Introduction to Chemical Dependency	3	
Elec	GEOG 300	Physical Geography: Exploring Earth's Environmental Systems	3	

Semester 8

6 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Elec	PSYC 340 / 481 ^H	Abnormal Behavior	3	
Elec	POLS 301 / 481 ^H	Introduction to Government: United States	3	

EXPLANATION OF CATEGORIES

Req	Required Core	A course that is required for this program
GE	General Education	A course that fulfills a specific general education requirement for a degree, which can be replaced with another course that meets the same requirement
Elec	Degree Elective	A degree-applicable course that is part of a degree roadmap to ensure that there is a total of at least 60 units, which is a requirement for an associate degree
RE	Restricted Elective	A course selected from a list of elective courses specified for this program in the course list in the catalog, which can be replaced with another course from the same list

Graduation Requirement

A course that fulfills a specific graduation requirement which can be replaced by another course that meets the same graduation requirement.

MC = Math Competency

WC = Writing Competency