Psychology Program Pathway

The Online Bachelor of Arts in Psychology at Ohio University is designed for students who have completed an Associate’s degree and wish to further their education. You will have access to the highest quality instructors and courses to prepare you for your next step in life. Whether that is promotion in a current career, exploration of a new career field, achievement of a life-long goal to earn a university degree, or even just a better understanding of people and their behavior, our program is designed to help you achieve your goals.

If you are interested in securing a job in a psychology-related field, with this bachelor’s degree you will be prepared to seek a career in areas such as:

- Human services (counseling, crisis work, performance enhancement)
- Business (personnel, sales, advertising/marketing, public relations, consumer research, customer service)
- Health services (public health, health prevention programs, prevention research)

While completing the online B.A. in psychology, you will explore the field of psychology, gain valuable experience with a diverse online student body, develop relationships with faculty, and participate in practical field experience that will enhance your knowledge of psychology. You will be encouraged to explore service activities and can explore opportunities to participate in psychological research.

Online Convenience. Ohio University Quality.

- Review study materials and submit assignments online.
- Learn from distinguished professors.
- Progress through the degree in consultation with an Ohio University academic advisor.
- Engage in active learning and peer discussion

Admission Requirements

- Conferred associate degree or a minimum 60 semester hours completed from a regionally accredited college or university
- Combined 2.0 gpa from all prior college-level coursework
- All official transcripts submitted to Ohio University at the time of application

Application Information

Apply online: https://www.applyweb.com/ohiolife/ ($25 application fee due at application)

Submit all college-level transcripts to:
Undergraduate Admissions
Chubb Hall 120
1 Ohio University Drive
Athens, OH 45701

Ohio University Contact Information

Veronica Hiner, hiner@ohio.edu
740.597.7992

E-mail general questions to
transfer@ohio.edu

For more information on the partnership with Washington State Community College, visit
www.ohio.edu/wscc
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Degree Requirements

To qualify for the Bachelor of Arts in Psychology, a student must have completed all Ohio University graduation requirements. You may have met many of these requirements during your associate degree program. Students must earn a minimum of 30 semester credit hours of Ohio University credit and complete a minimum of 50% of the Psychology course requirements at Ohio University. Students must also complete a minimum of 60 semester hours equivalent to Ohio University 2000-level or above Arts & Sciences coursework.

General Education Requirements (33)

General education requirement courses that also satisfy Psychology major courses or college-level requirements have been marked in GREEN.

Tier I English Composition and Quantitative Skills: 1E, 1M, and 1J (Can be completed at Washington State Community College or OHIO)
- WSCC ENGL 1510 or ENGL 151H or (OHIO ENG 1510)
- WSCC MATH 2130 or (OHIO MATH 1200 or (OHIO math placement level 2)
- Select available junior composition course (OHIO Online only)

Tier II: Complete 21 semester hours with a minimum of 2 credit hours in each of the 6 areas. (Complete at Washington State Community College)
  BIOL 1510, BIOL 2110, BIOL 2550; ENGR 2310; HLTH 1100, MATH 2260, MATH 2263, MATH 2254, MATH 2265
- 2CP: Cross-Cultural Perspectives
  ANTH 1510; HIST 1010, HIST 1020; SPAN 2110, SPAN 2130
- 2FA: Fine Arts
  ARTS 1000, ARTS 2010, ARTS 2020; MUSC 1200
- 2HL: Humanities & Literature
  HIS 1010, HIST 1020; HUMN 1300; PHIL 1010, PHIL 1300; SPCH 1510
- 2NS: Natural Sciences
- 2SS: Social Sciences
  ECDV 1020; ECON 2120, ECON 2130; GEOG 1210; HIST 2110, HIST 2120; POLS 1020; PSYC 1010, SOCI 1010, 2010; SOSV 1110

Tier III:
- Complete at OHIO

Arts & Sciences Distribution Requirement (33 Hours)

Select a minimum 9 semester hours from each distribution area below for a minimum of 33 total hours. These course options will also satisfy the Tier 2 General Education requirements as outlined above. Courses completed through Washington State Community College or OHIO online.

- Humanities Area Requirement: ARTS 2010, ARTS 2020; HIST 1010, HIST 1020; LITR 2010, LITR 2020; MUSC 1200; PHIL 1200, PHIL 1300
- Natural Sciences Area Requirement: PHYS 1210; BIOL 1010; BIOL 1100+110L, BIOL 1110+111L, BIOL 1310+131L, BIOL 1320+132L; CHEM 1210, CHEM 1510+151L, CHEM 1520+152L, GEOS 1010; PHYS 1100+110L, PHYS 1210+121L, PHYS 2100+201L, PHYS 2510+251L, PHYS 2530+253L
- Social Sciences Area Requirement: ANTH 1510; BIOL 2110; ECON 2120, ECON 2130; GEOG 1210; HIST 2110, HIST 2120; POLS 1020; PSYC 1010, SOCI 1010, 2010; SOSV 1110

Arts & Sciences Foreign Language Requirement (14 Hours)

Complete through intermediate level of a foreign language. Courses completed through Washington State Community College or OHIO online.

- SPAN 1110, SPAN 1130, SPAN 2110, SPAN 2130

Psychology Core Requirements (35 Hours)

Courses completed through Washington State Community College or OHIO online (must complete at least 50% of major requirements through OHIO)

- General Psychology (3): WSCC PSYC 1010 or OHIO PSY 1010
- Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences (4): OHIO PSY 2110
- Research Methods in Psychology (4): OHIO PSY 2120
- Physiological Psychology (3): OHIO PSY 2210
- Cognitive Psychology (3): OHIO PSY 2310
- Child and Adolescent Psychology (3): WSCC PSYC 2700 or OHIO PSY 2410
- Social Psychology (3): WSCC PSYC 2100 or OHIO PSY 2510
- Abnormal Psychology (3): WSCC PSYC 2320 or OHIO PSY 2710
- PSY Electives – Complete three courses at the 3000-level or higher (Excluding PSY 3910, 3920, 3940, 3970T, 3980T, 4930, 4970H, 4970T, 4980H, 4980T, and 4990H)

The information on this guide is based off of the catalog requirements posted in the 2017-2018 Ohio University catalog and related Washington State Community College equivalents as of the Last Updated date. All information is subject to change without notice. Students are responsible for tracking their degree completion on their DARS and are encouraged to work with an Ohio University academic advisor in their degree planning. Courses are subject to availability at each institution. Updated 12/4/2017