

ACADEMIC ROADMAP
JUNIOR TRANSFERS
Applied Psychology BA
2025-2026

Junior Year (30 credits)

FIRST SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Introduction to Psychology (if needed)	PSY 101	
OR		
Psychological Statistics (if needed)	PSY 350	Can be taken ONLY if transferring PSY 101 (or equivalent) with a minimum C grade and MAT 114 or higher
OR		
Evaluating Psychological Science	PSY 360	Can be taken ONLY if transferring PSY 350 (or equivalent), plus MAT 114 or higher (or equivalent)
PLUS		
1 or 2 300-Level PSY Electives		PSY 101
General Education courses (if needed)		
All-College Electives		

SECOND SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Psychological Statistics (if needed)	PSY 350	Can be taken ONLY if transferring PSY 101 (or equivalent) with a minimum C grade and MAT 114 or higher
OR		
Evaluating Psychological Science (if needed)	PSY 360	Can be taken ONLY if transferring PSY 350 (or equivalent), plus MAT 114 or higher (or equivalent)
PLUS		
2 300-Level PSY Electives		PSY 101
General Education courses (if needed)		
All-College Electives		

Notes and recommendations:

- Important Note: Minimum grade of C required in PSY 101 for all Applied Psychology majors (even if transferred).
- You should attend at least one faculty office hour, visit Academic Excellence Center (math, writing, and general tutoring), and view your degree audit sheet in Degree Works this year.
- Speak with your advisor about minors, microcredentials (e.g. Spanish for Mental Health Professionals), or certificates (e.g. Child Advocacy Studies).
- Visit the Career & Professional Education Center to discuss appropriate career options.
- By second semester, speak with your faculty advisor about graduate school plans and options.

- By second semester, speak with your faculty advisor about individualized research project options if interested (PSY 495 Special Project or PSY 499 Independent Study).
- 300-level PSY electives: one course must be taken in each required category (Bio/Cognitive, Social/Personality, Clinical, Developmental, Applied Psychology & Diversity).
- At least one PSY elective course must be a Service-Learning course (PSY 304 Psychology of Learning, PSY 310 Behavior Modification, PSY 381 Psychology of Culture, PSY 415 Competent Infant, PSY 417 Atypical Infant, PSY 442 Tests & Measure) or an Internship (PSY 488) or a Special Project course (PSY 495).

Senior Year (120 credits)

THIRD SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Evaluating Psychological Science (if needed)	PSY 360	PSY 350
1 or 2 300-Level PSY Electives (if needed)		PSY 101
400-Level PSY Elective		Each 400-level course has specific prerequisites. See the course catalog for details and speak with your advisor.
All-College Electives		

FOURTH SEMESTER

Course Title	Catalog Number	Prerequisite(s)
Professional Skills in Psychology	PSY 468	PSY 360
400-level PSY Elective		Each 400-level course has specific prerequisites. See the course catalog for details and speak with your advisor.
All-College Electives courses		

Notes and recommendations:

- Apply for graduation; apply to graduate school, if applicable; visit the Career & Professional Education Center to have your resume reviewed.
- Speak with your advisor about graduate school plans and options; applications are typically due December through March depending on program specific requirements.
- PSY 468 (Professional Skills in Psychology) can be taken in either senior semester (if PSY 360 is completed).
- Speak with your faculty advisor about individualized research project options if interested (PSY 495 Special Project or PSY 499 Independent Study).
- PSY 488 (Internship), PSY 499 (Independent Study), PSY 496 (Honors Thesis 1), and PSY 495 (Independent Project) can count for 400-level PSY elective (see your advisor).

General Electives Recommendations for Applied Psychology BA Majors

THE ARTS

ENG 170 Introduction to Creative Writing

ENG 255 The Short Story

DIVERSITY: EQUITY, INCLUSION AND SOCIAL JUSTICE

AAS 100 Introduction to Africana Studies
EXE 100 Nature and Needs of Individuals with Special Needs
ANT 301 Indigenous Peoples of Eastern North America
CAS 302 Global Child Advocacy Issues
ENG 147 Introduction to Diverse Literatures
PSY 387 Psychology of Gender
SWK 230 Intersectionality and Difference
SWK 301 Poverty and Public Policy
SWK 302 Social Justice Advocacy
WGS 101 Introduction to Women and Gender Studies

HUMANITIES

COM 100 Media Literacy
PHI 102 Introduction to Ethics
PHI 111 Ethics for Scientists
PHI 115 Minds and Machines
SPC 103 Introduction to Human Communication

MATHEMATICS AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING

MAT 114 Functions and Modeling I
MAT 124 Functions and Modeling II
MAT 311 Introductory Probability and Statistics

NATURAL SCIENCES AND SCIENTIFIC REASONING

ANT 100 Human Origins
BIO 101 Human Biology
CHE 111 Fundamentals of Chemistry
NFS 102 Introductory Nutrition
PHY 100 Physics for Non-science Majors

SOCIAL SCIENCES

ANT 101 Understanding Culture
CRJ 101 Introduction to Criminal Justice
ECO 101 The Economic System
SWK 101 Introduction to Social Work
SPF 203 School and Society

U.S. HISTORY AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

ECO 103 Economic History of the United States
HIS 106 History of American Life I

WORLD HISTORY AND GLOBAL AWARENESS

HIS 115 Foundations of Western Civilization
ANT 301 Indigenous Peoples of Eastern North America
PHI 301 Justice: Liberty v. Equality
(although anything in this category would be OK for Applied Psychology students to take)