



Bachelor of Arts in Psychology

120 CREDITS

At least 30 credits must be at the upper level

ARTS AND SCIENCES REQUIREMENTS	CREDIT HOURS
▶ Written English Requirement	6
▶ General Education Requirement Distribution Areas (27 credits minimum) ^①	
Humanities ^②	9
Social Sciences/History	9
Natural Sciences/Mathematics ^③	9
▶ Arts and Sciences Electives ^④	57
TOTAL CREDITS FOR ARTS AND SCIENCES REQUIREMENTS AT LEAST 30 CREDITS AT THE UPPER LEVEL	90

OTHER REQUIREMENTS	CREDIT HOURS
▶ Applied Professional Credits or Additional Arts and Sciences ^④	29
▶ Information Literacy	1
TOTAL CREDITS FOR OTHER REQUIREMENTS	30

Within the required 120 degree credits, the psychology component will be:

Required: 33 credits minimum with at least 18 at the upper (advanced) level and a minimum 2.0 GPA.

▶ I. Core Requirements		
A. General Psychology/ Introductory Psychology	C. Research Methods/Experimental Psychology/Experimental Design	E. Research and Writing in the Degree
B. Statistics (psychological or equivalent)	D. History and Systems/ History of Psychology/ Psychological Foundations	F. Psychology Capstone ^⑤
▶ II. Intermediate and Upper-Level Courses (One course in each of the five areas listed below)		
A. Biological and Physiological Foundations	C. Social Influences	E. Cognitive Bases
B. Developmental Perspectives	D. Abnormal Psychology	
▶ III. Electives		
▶ IV Optional Concentration: Industrial/Organizational Psychology and Strategic Sales		
TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS REQUIRED		120

^① Credits used to satisfy requirements in one area may simultaneously satisfy requirements in another area.

^② Three (3) credits are required in disciplines such as art, music, and philosophy. A 3-credit ethics course may fulfill the ethics requirement and the humanities requirement. (Refer to the general education section on catalog page 2 for a detailed explanation of the humanities requirement.)

^③ A minimum of 2 credits must be in mathematics and 2 credits must be in the natural sciences.

^④ A portion of these credits will be used to complete credits needed for the degree component.

^⑤ Capstone course must be taken at Excelsior College and cannot be transferred in.