



Bachelor of Science 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		27
TOTAL CREDITS FOR ARTS AND SCIENCES REQUIREMENTS At least 21 credits at the upper level		60
OTHER REQUIREMENTS		CREDIT HOURS
▶ Applied Professional Credits or Additional Arts and Sciences ^④		59
▶ Information Literacy		1
TOTAL CREDITS FOR OTHER REQUIREMENTS At least 9 credits at the upper level		60
<p>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.</p>		
▶ 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 3 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.