

ADT IN PSYCHOLOGY

Psychology is defined as the scientific study of behavior. The Associate in Arts in Psychology for Transfer degree program (AA-T) allows students to utilize research methods; evaluate the credibility of research, theories, and applications; understand the core fields, paradigms and theories; apply psychological concepts, theoretical perspectives, empirical findings, and historical trends to questions and issues in personal experience and contemporary society; recognize the complexity of social, cultural, and international diversity; and understand the ethical standards in academic and applied psychology.

This degree provides lower division preparation for students planning to transfer into Psychology programs. Students will take courses in psychology as well as related fields required for psychology majors. Students who complete this degree will be guaranteed admission with junior status to the California State University system, though not to a particular campus or major, and will be given priority admission to our local CSU campus.

Learning Outcomes

A.A.-Transfer Degree Level Student Learning Outcomes

Students completing the Psychology A.A.-Transfer Degree will:

1. Demonstrate analytical and critical analysis skills using college level vocabulary and writing skills.
2. Demonstrate proficiency in analyzing or manipulating numerical data in order to critique scientific study.
3. Analyze a variety of behavioral science research designs.
4. Demonstrate analytical thinking by comparing and applying psychological theories to human behavior.

Requirements

Students receiving this transfer degree must meet the following requirements:

1. Completion of 60 semester units or 90 quarter units that are eligible for transfer to the California State University, including both of the following:
 - a. The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) (<http://catalog.citruscollege.edu/programs-study/graduation-requirements-associate-degree/general-education-requirements-transfer-csu-uc-igetc-option-iii/>) or the California State University General Education - Breadth Requirements (<http://catalog.citruscollege.edu/programs-study/graduation-requirements-associate-degree/general-education-requirements-transfer-csu-csuge-option-ii/>).
 - b. A minimum of 18 semester units or 27 quarter units in a major or area of emphasis, as determined by the community college district.
2. Obtainment of a minimum grade point average of 2.0.

ADTs also require that students must earn a "C" (or "P") or better in all courses required for the major or area of emphasis.

Code	Title	Units
Required courses:		
MATH 165	Introductory Statistics ¹	4
PSY 101	Introduction to Psychology	3
or PSY 101H	Introduction to Psychology - Honors	
PSY 203	Research Methods in Psychology	4
Select one (1) of the following courses:		
BIOL 105	General Biology	4
PSY 102	Psychobiology	3
Select one (1) of the following courses:		
PSY 205	Developmental Psychology	3
PSY 206	Child Growth and Development	3
Select one (1) of the following courses:		
ANTH 210	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	3
ANTH 210H	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology - Honors	3
ANTH 212	Introduction to Physical Anthropology	3
MATH 190	Calculus with Analytic Geometry I	5
PSY 110		3
PSY 212	Psychological Disorders	3
PSY 213		3
PSY 220	Introduction to Social Psychology	3
PSY 225	Psychology of Human Sexuality	3
PSY 226	Psychology of Women	3
SOC 201	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOC 201H	Introduction to Sociology - Honors	3
Total Units		20-23

¹ MATH 165 is degree applicable with or without MATH 065. If taken with MATH 065, only the units for MATH 165 will be counted towards the degree.

Curriculum Map

2-Year Curriculum Map Example

This map represents one possible pathway through the program and is only for reference.

*It is highly recommended that you make an appointment (<https://www.citruscollege.edu/stdntsrvcounsel/Pages/ApptSchedule.aspx>) to create a customized education plan that fits your needs.

Note: Co-requisite MATH course (2 units) and/or substitute ENGL 101E (5 units) may be needed based on placement.

CSU 2-Year Map:

Course	Title	Units
Fall Term 1		
COUN 160	Strategies for College Success	3
PSY 101 or PSY 101H	Introduction to Psychology or Introduction to Psychology - Honors	3
ENGL 101 or ENGL 101H	Reading and Composition or Reading and Composition - Honors	4
MATH 165 or MATH 165H	Introductory Statistics or Introductory Statistics - Honors	4
Units		14
Winter Term 1		
HIST 107 or HIST 107H or HIST 108 or HIST 108H or HIST 160	History of the United States before 1877 or History of the United States before 1877 - Honors or History of the United States since 1877 or History of the United States since 1877 - Honors or History of Women in the United States	3
Units		3
Spring Term 1		
PSY 203	Research Methods in Psychology	4
ENGL 104 or ENGL 104H	Argumentative Writing and Critical Thinking or Argumentative Writing and Critical Thinking - Honors	3
SOC 201 or SOC 201H	Introduction to Sociology or Introduction to Sociology - Honors	3
SPCH 100 or SPCH 100H or SPCH 101 or SPCH 101H or SPCH 106	Interpersonal Communication or Interpersonal Communication - Honors or Public Address or Public Address - Honors or Small Group Communication	3
Units		13
Summer Term 1		
POLI 103 or POLI 103H	American Government and Politics or American Government and Politics - Honors	3
Units		3
Fall Term 2		
PSY 102	Psychobiology	3
PSY 220	Introduction to Social Psychology	3
ART 100 or ART 100A or ART 100AH or ART 100B or ART 100BH or ART 108 or ART 199 or ART 199H or MUSE 113	Art History - Fundamentals of Global Art History or Survey of Western Art from Prehistory through the Middle Ages or Survey of Western Art from Prehistory through the Middle Ages - Honors or Survey of Western Art from Renaissance to Contemporary or Survey of Western Art from Renaissance to Contemporary - Honors or History of Photography or Motion Picture Appreciation or Motion Picture Appreciation - Honors or History of Rock and Roll	3
PSY 205 or PSY 206	Developmental Psychology or Child Growth and Development	3
Units		12
Winter Term 2		
ETHN 101 or ETHN 116	Introduction to Ethnic Studies or Introduction to Chicano/Latino Studies	3
Units		3
Spring Term 2		
BIOL 125	Evolution, Ecology & Biodiversity	5

Course	Title	Units
ART 100 or ART 100A or ART 100AH or ART 100B or ART 100BH or ART 105 or ART 108 or ART 199 or ART 199H or HIST 102 or HIST 103 or HIST 103H or HIST 104 or HIST 104H or HIST 130 or HIST 131 or HIST 132	Art History - Fundamentals of Global Art History or Survey of Western Art from Prehistory through the Middle Ages or Survey of Western Art from Prehistory through the Middle Ages - Honors or Survey of Western Art from Renaissance to Contemporary or Survey of Western Art from Renaissance to Contemporary - Honors or Art History - Topics in Contemporary Art or History of Photography or Motion Picture Appreciation or Motion Picture Appreciation - Honors or Western Civilization 1715 to the Present or History of World Civilization up to 1500 C.E. or History of World Civilization up to 1500 C.E./Honors or History of World Civilization since 1500 or History of World Civilization since 1500 - Honors or Latin American Culture and Civilization or History of Latin America to 1825 or History of Modern Latin America	3
ASTR 116 or ESCI 120 or PHYS 110 or PHYS 110H	Stellar Astronomy or Physical Geology or Physics in Everyday Life or Physics in Everyday Life - Honors	4
PSY 212 or PSY 220 or PSY 226	Psychological Disorders or Introduction to Social Psychology or Psychology of Women	3
ANTH 216 or ANTH 216H or PSY 220 or SOC 114 or SOC 118 or SOC 202 or SOC 220	Sex and Gender in Cross Cultural Perspectives or Sex and Gender in a Cross Cultural Perspective - Honors or Introduction to Social Psychology or Marriage, Family, and Intimate Relations or Race and Ethnicity or Contemporary Social Problems or Introduction to Gender	3
Units		18
Total Units		66

UC 2-Year Map:

Course	Title	Units
Fall Term 1		
MATH 175	Pre-Calculus	6
ENGL 101 or ENGL 101H	Reading and Composition or Reading and Composition - Honors	4
COUN 160 or COUN 204	Strategies for College Success or Pathways to Careers in the Social and Behavioral Sciences	3
Units		13
Winter Term 1		
ARCH 250 or ARCH 251 or ART 100 or ART 105 or ART 108 or ART 110 or ART 199 or ART 199H or DANC 102 or MUSE 113 or THEA 101 or THEA 101H	History of Architecture: Prehistory to Mannerism or History of Architecture: Baroque to the Present Day or Art History - Fundamentals of Global Art History or Art History - Topics in Contemporary Art or History of Photography or Introduction to the Visual Arts or Motion Picture Appreciation or Motion Picture Appreciation - Honors or History of Dance or History of Rock and Roll or Introduction to Theatre Arts or Introduction to Theatre Arts - Honors	3
HIST 107 or HIST 107H or HIST 108 or HIST 108H or HIST 160	History of the United States before 1877 or History of the United States before 1877 - Honors or History of the United States since 1877 or History of the United States since 1877 - Honors or History of Women in the United States	3
Units		6

Course	Title	Units
Spring Term 1		
MATH 190	Calculus with Analytic Geometry I	5
PSY 101 or PSY 101H	Introduction to Psychology or Introduction to Psychology - Honors	3
ENGL 103 or ENGL 103H or ENGL 104 or ENGL 104H	Composition and Critical Thinking or Composition and Critical Thinking - Honors or Argumentative Writing and Critical Thinking or Argumentative Writing and Critical Thinking - Honors	3
Units		11
Summer Term 1		
MATH 165 or MATH 165H	Introductory Statistics or Introductory Statistics - Honors	4
ETHN 101 or ETHN 116	Introduction to Ethnic Studies or Introduction to Chicano/Latino Studies	3
Units		7
Fall Term 2		
PSY 203	Research Methods in Psychology	4
UC prefers BIOL 124 or BIOL 125 vs BIOL 105		
PHIL 106 or PHIL 106H or PHIL 108 or PHIL 131	Introduction to Philosophy or Introduction to Philosophy - Honors or Philosophy - Ethics or History of Modern Philosophy	3
BIOL 105 or BIOL 105H	General Biology or General Biology - Honors	4
Units		11
Winter Term 2		
POLI 103 or POLI 103H	American Government and Politics or American Government and Politics - Honors	3
ANTH 210 or ANTH 210H or PSY 212 or PSY 220 or PSY 226 or SOC 201 or SOC 201H	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology or Introduction to Cultural Anthropology - Honors or Psychological Disorders or Introduction to Social Psychology or Psychology of Women or Introduction to Sociology or Introduction to Sociology - Honors	3
Units		6
Spring Term 2		
BIOL 125	Evolution, Ecology & Biodiversity	5
CHEM 110	Beginning General Chemistry	5
SPCH 100 or SPCH 100H or SPCH 101 or SPCH 101H or SPCH 106	Interpersonal Communication or Interpersonal Communication - Honors or Public Address or Public Address - Honors or Small Group Communication	3
PSY 205 or PSY 206	Developmental Psychology or Child Growth and Development	3
Units		16
Total Units		70

Career Information

Career Opportunities

There are a variety of careers you can do with this major.

To explore more about this major, schedule an appointment (<https://www.citruscollege.edu/stdntsrv/ctcenter/Pages/ApptSchedule.aspx>) with a career counselor.