BS PSYCHOLOGY

- 60 units upper division
- 2.0 GPA
- USCP

* = Required in Major/Support; also satisfies GE

Note: No major, support or concentration courses may be taken as credit/no credit.

MAJOR COURSES

PSY 201/PSY 202 General Psychology (D4)*........ 4
PSY 252 Social Psychology ................................ 4
PSY 256 Developmental Psychology .................. 4
PSY 305 Personality...................................... 4
PSY 323 The Helping Relationship .................... 4
PSY 329 Research Methods in Psychology .......... 4
PSY 333 Quant. Research Meth.-Behavioral Sci..... 3
PSY 340 Biopsychology (B5)*.......................... 4
PSY 405 Abnormal Psychology ....................... 4

Supervised Fieldwork and/or Research Internship.
Select two courses from the following:
PSY 448, 449, 453, 454............................... 5,5
PSY 457 Memory and Cognition .................... 4
PSY 458 Learning ....................................... 4
PSY 461 Senior Project Seminar..................... 1
PSY 462 Senior Project ................................. 3
PSY 472 Multicultural Psychology and Diversity
(USCP) ..................................................
PSY electives (300–400 level) ......................... 12
Concentration or individualized course of study..... 28

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SUPPORT COURSES

BIO 302 Human Genetics................................. 4
STAT 217/STAT 251/STAT 252 (B1)*............... 4

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GENERAL EDUCATION (GE)

72 units required, 12 of which are specified in Major/Support.
See page 50 for complete GE course listing.
Minimum of 12 units required at the 300 level.

Area A Communication (12 units)

A1 Expository Writing ................................. 4
A2 Oral Communication ............................. 4
A3 Reasoning, Argumentation, and Writing ....... 4

Area B Science and Mathematics (12 units)

B1 Mathematics/Statistics * 4 units in Support plus 4
B2 Life Science ........................................ 4
B3 Physical Science ................................. 4
B4 One lab taken with either a B2 or B3 course
B5 elective
Area B elective (select one course from B1-B5)
* 4 units in Major .................................. 0

Area C Arts and Humanities (16 units)

C1 Literature ........................................... 4
C2 Philosophy ........................................ 4

C3 Fine/Performing Arts .............................. 4
C4 Upper-division elective ........................... 4

Area D/E Society and the Individual (16 units)

D1 The American Experience (40404) .............. 4
D2 Political Economy .................................. 4
D3 Comparative Social Institutions .................. 4
D4 Self Development (CSU Area E) * 4 units in
Major .................................................. 0
D5 Upper-division elective (Not PSY courses)...... 4

Area F Technology Elective (upper division)
(4 units) ............................................... 4

60

FREE ELECTIVES ......................................... 11

180

CONCENTRATIONS OR ELECTIVES (select one)

Applied Social Psychology Concentration

PSY 302 Behavior in Organizations ................ 4
PSY 360 Applied Social Psychology ............... 4
Select two of the following: ........................... 8
PSY 311, 317, 350/351, 352, 359, 432, 465, 494
Advisor approved concentration electives ........ 12

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Counseling and Family Psychology Concentration

PSY 370 Intro. Clinical & Counseling Psychology 4
Select two of the following: ........................... 8
PSY 325, 330, 350/351, 375, 413, 432, 450, 456,
12/15/09
Select one of the following: ........................... 4
PSY 314, 315, 318, 465;
ES 320, 321, 322, 323, 380, 381;
WGS 301, 320, 340, 370
Advisor approved concentration electives .......... 12

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Developmental Psychology Concentration

PSY 419 Self and Identity ............................ 4
PSY 420 Social and Emotional Development ....... 4
PSY 421 Language and Cognitive Development .... 4
Select one of the following: ........................... 4
PSY/CD 431, PSY 310, 318, 413, 422, 456,
459, 460
Advisor approved concentration electives .......... 12

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Individualized Course of Study ........................ 28

Courses are selected by the student with the approval of
the student's academic advisor and the department chair.
The ICS may include a Cal Poly minor, course
prerequisites for graduate study, foreign language
courses, and/or a coherent group of courses including a
minimum of two upper division psychology courses and
no more than nine units of lower division courses.