

Psychology Major Tracking Sheet (Rev. 04/21/20)
(For students who enrolled at Duke prior to Summer 2018)

AB Requirements – Eleven (11) courses

Breadth:

- PSY 101** **or** AP or IPC credit (AP/IPC credit allows students to place out of having to take PSY 101 at Duke, but student still must complete 11 courses, per Trinity's guidelines)

Two (2) Survey Courses, as follows:

- One survey course in either the Biological (B 106/107) or Cognitive (C 102) area
 One survey course in either the Abnormal/Health (A 105), Developmental (D 103), or Social (S 104) area

Depth: See [Courses Listed by Area of Depth](#); At least 3 courses in 2 areas where a survey course was completed. Can include 1 Independent Study (391, 392, 491, 492) **or** 1 Research Independent Study (393, 394, 493, 494).

- Depth 1: _____ (Area: A B C D S) Depth 3: _____ (Area: A B C D S)
 Depth 2: _____ (Area: A B C D S)

Instruction in Small Groups: At least 1 seminar. It is recommended that the seminar be taken in an area where a survey course was completed.

- Course #: _____ (Area: A B C D S)

Quantitative Techniques (take before Research Methods):

- PSY 201/201L (last offered spring 2020) **or** any 1 of the following:
 STA 101 STA 102 STA 111 STA 198L STA 199L STA 250 STA 432 MATH 342

Research Methods (take after Quantitative Techniques):

- PSY 202/202L **or** PSY 302-315 **or** SOCIOL 332: Course #: _____

Additional Electives to bring total to 11 courses: Of the 11 courses required for the major, at least 9 must be taken at Duke; others, if approved, may count toward the 34 credits needed for graduation but will **not** count toward the major. At most, only 1 Independent Study (391, 392, 491, 492) or Research Independent Study (393, 394, 493, 494) may count toward the depth requirement and only 2 may count toward the major. **First-year seminar (PSY 89S) and FOCUS courses do not count towards the major or minor degrees in psychology.**

- Elective 1: _____ Elective 2: _____ Elective 3 if AP or IPC credit was earned for PSY 101: _____

BS Requirements – 17 courses

The BS degree requires completion of all requirements for the AB degree plus additional courses in the quantitative studies (QS) and natural sciences (NS).

Additional Quantitative Studies (QS). Any 1 of the following: MATH 22 MATH 112 MATH 122 STA 210* STA 340*

*Psychology 201/201L, the statistics class in psychology, will not enable students to enroll in Statistical Science 210 or 340, and students should review the Statistical Science website for the prerequisites for these classes.

Two (2) required NS courses in Psychology: This requirement became a moot point once PSY 101 was recoded as NS. Students can ignore this requirement as it will automatically show as fulfilled for everyone. Students should focus on completing the QS requirement above and the Natural Science electives below.

Natural Sciences (NS) Electives: 5 elective courses from an approved list (see [Natural Sciences Elective Options](#)) that meet the following criteria: (a) classes come from at least two external departments **and** (b) at least 3 of the 5 are at or above the 200 level. Psychology courses that are cross-listed with another department do not count as a second department.

- Course 1: _____ Course 2: _____ Course 3: _____ Course 4: _____ Course 5: _____

Minor (MIN) Requirements – 5 Courses

- PSY 101** **or** AP or IPC credit (AP/IPC credit allows students to place out of having to take PSY 101 at Duke, but student still must complete 5 courses, per Trinity's guidelines)
- Survey course in the Biological (B PSY 106/107) or Cognitive (C PSY 102) area
- Survey course in the Abnormal/Health (A PSY 105), Developmental (D PSY 103), or Social (S PSY 104) area
- PSY course numbered 200 or higher
- Elective _____ may be one of the following:
- An additional survey course (PSY 102-107)
 - One (only one!) course in Statistics or Math selected from: STA 101, 102, 111, 198L, 199L, 250, 432 or MATH 342
 - Up to two transfer credits
 - Independent Study (PSY 391-394 and PSY 491-494)
- Additional elective if AP credit was earned for PSY 101: _____

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