

FACULTY OF ARTS AND SCIENCE ARTS PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR

2020/21 Academic Year

42-60 non-duplicative psychology credits A minimum of 36 senior-level credits A minimum of 9 credits at the 300-level in either PSYC or PABA At least 6 credits at the 400-level in either PSYC or PABA (PSYC 439 does not satisfy this requirement) The Arts Psychology major is a competitive major. Students must complete PSYC 104, PSYC 105, STAT 151 or STAT 161, and one 200-level PSYC course with no grade lower than C- in any of them. Students in good academic standing will be considered, but preference will be given to those students with an AGPA of 2.3 or higher. The number of new seats available in the Arts Psychology major will be determined by the Psychology department annually. Students will submit their declaration by January 15. Students who apply will be ranked by their admissions GPA, which is calculated using their most recent 24 credits of university-level course work, without breaking up a term. The applicants with the highest GPA will be admitted to the program first, until no seats remain. Students will be notified of the success or denial of their application to the Arts Psychology major no later than February 1. Students who have completed the above criteria and submit their declaration prior to January 15, may be considered and have their declaration processed before the deadline. Required Course for the Arts Sychology Major Sychology Sych	Overall Major Requirements													
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Genera	al Major Requ	iirements*		15 to 33 Credits						
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* Students may also use PABA courses to fulfill the General Major as well as the 300- and 400-level requirements.										
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Important Planning Notes

- 1. Courses required for the major may be used to satisfy the breadth requirements in a Bachelor of Arts or Science degree. Please refer to the applicable degree planner for details.
- 2. Students are required to consult the MacEwan University academic calendar to ensure they meet prerequisites for all courses they enrol in.
- 3. PSYC 241 and SOCI 241 are equivalent courses. Credit can be obtained in only one of the two courses. SOCI 241 can be used towards a Psychology major. The course can only be credited once towards a degree.
- 4. PSYC 439, which is a field placement course, does not satisfy this major's 400-level requirements. Please see an advisor in the psychology department for more information.
- 5. Please keep in mind that course offerings will vary from academic year to academic year.
- 6. For a sample study plan, please refer to page 3 of this planning guide.

Psychology Course Offerings

Please refer to the academic calendar or MacEwan.ca/Arts > Disciplines > Psychology for further information regarding course offerings.