

Psychology, AS



Laramie County Community College

FRESHMAN YEAR

| Fall Semester | | | Hrs | Spring Semester | | | Hrs |
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| | | Human Culture Requirement | 3 | | | Human Culture Requirement | 3 |
| COLS | 1000 | Intro to College Success: First-Year Seminar | 3 | | | US & Wyoming Constitution Requirement | 3 |
| CO/M | 2010 | Public Speaking | 3 | BIOL | 1010 | General Biology | 4 |
| ENGL | 1010 | English I: Composition | 3 | | | OR | |
| PSYC | 1000 | General Psychology | 3 | BIOL | 1003 | Current Issues in Biology (4 hrs) | |
| | | | | MATH | 1010 | Problem Solving | 3 |
| | | | | | | OR | |
| | | | | MATH | 1400 | College Algebra (3 hrs) | |
| | | | | PSYC | 2300 | Developmental Psychology ^a | 3 |
| TOTAL | | | <u>15</u> | TOTAL | | | <u>16</u> |

SOPHOMORE YEAR

| Fall Semester | | | Hrs | Spring Semester | | | Hrs |
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| | | Lab Science Requirement | 4 | ANTH | 1200 | Introduction to Cultural Anthropology ^b | 3 |
| PSYC | 2080 | Psychobiology ^a | 3 | PSYC | 2000 | Research Methods | 4 |
| | | OR | | PSYC | 2380 | Social Psychology ^a | 3 |
| PSYC | 2210 | Drugs and Behavior (3 hrs) | | SOC | 1000 | Sociological Principles ^b | 3 |
| PSYC | 2340 | Abnormal Psychology ^a | 3 | | | Elective (recommend course to meet UW ASD) | 3 |
| STAT | 2050 | Fundamentals of Statistics | 4 | | | | |
| | | OR | | | | | |
| STAT | 2070 | Intro Statistics for the Social Sciences (4 hrs) | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | <u>14</u> | TOTAL | | | <u>16</u> |
| TOTAL LCCC AS DEGREE HOURS | | | | | | | <u>61</u> |

Successful completion of the 2+2 plan requires that a student remain continuously enrolled and graduate with the associate's degree from his or her respective community college. • This is a guide for course work in the major; actual course sequence may vary by student. Please refer to the online student degree evaluation. • Not all courses are offered every semester and some electives may have prerequisites. Students should review the course descriptions in the catalogs of their respective institutions and consult with their academic advisor to plan accordingly. • Academic plans and course schedules may need to be altered if ACT or Math Placement scores require a student to take pre-college courses (e.g., MATH 0900, 0921, or 0925) before taking required math or English courses.

Laramie County Community College requirements:

In order to graduate, students must successfully complete a minimum of 60 credit hours, 15 of which must be from Laramie County Community College, with a grade point average of 2.0 or better at course level of 1000 or higher (ENGL 1001 does not apply).

University of Wyoming requirements:

Students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 to graduate. • Students must complete 42 hours of upper division (3000-level or above) coursework, 30 of which must be from the University of Wyoming. • Courses must be taken for a letter grade unless offered only for S/U.

UW College of Arts and Sciences requirements:

Students must take two "core" courses in addition to UW's University Studies Program requirements: Diversity in the United States (ASD) and Global Awareness (ASG). • No more than 60 hours in the major subject may be used toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation. • At least 30 hours in the major subject must be completed with a grade of C or better (the major may require more).

JUNIOR YEAR

| Fall Semester | | Hrs | Spring Semester | | Hrs |
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| Major STEM Course ^c | | 3 | A&S Global Awareness | ASG | 3 |
| Upper Division Psychology Electives | | 6 | PSYC 3120 | Cognitive Psychology ^a | 3 |
| Upper Division Non-Major Elective | | 3 | | Upper Division Psychology Elective | 3 |
| Elective | | 3 | | Upper Division Non-Major Elective | 3 |
| | | | | Elective | 3 |
| TOTAL | | <u>15</u> | TOTAL | | <u>15</u> |

SENIOR YEAR

| Fall Semester | | Hrs | Spring Semester | | Hrs |
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| USP Communication 3 | C3 | 3 | Upper Division Psych Rest Enroll Course ^d | | 3 |
| Upper Division Psychology Elective | | 3 | Upper Division Electives | | 6 |
| Upper Division Non-Major Elective | | 3 | Electives | | 6 |
| Upper Division Electives | | 6 | | | |
| TOTAL | | <u>15</u> | TOTAL | | <u>15</u> |
| TOTAL UW HOURS | | | | | <u>60</u> |
| TOTAL UW BS DEGREE HOURS | | | | | <u>121</u> |

UW Psychology Program Notes:

A minimum of 33 hours in psychology are required for majors but the total cannot exceed 60 hours. • Eighteen (18) of these psychology credit hours must be at the 3000-level or above to graduate. Also, the upper division courses must be taken from at least two different members of the psychology department faculty listed in the *UW University Catalog*. • All major courses require a grade of C or better to graduate.

a **Introductory courses** in all five (5) of the psychology core areas (biological, social, developmental, clinical, and cognitive) are represented in this plan. However, courses in only four (4) of the five (5) areas are needed to meet UW degree requirements.

b Six (6) hours of **social science courses** from the disciplines of anthropology, communication/journalism, criminal justice, economics, political science, and/or sociology are required for the UW psychology major. ANTH 1200 and SOC 1000 are shown here as examples; other courses may be available. Please discuss with an academic advisor.

c One (1) approved three to four (3-4) credit hour **UW STEM** course is required from among the following: CHEM 1000, CHEM 1020, COSC 1010, COSC 1100, KIN/ZOO 2040, KIN/ZOO 2041, LIFE 2002, LIFE 2022, LIFE 2023, LIFE 2050, MATH 1050, MATH 1405, MATH 2200, MICR/MOLB 2021, PHYS 1050, PHYS 1110, STAT 2000, STAT 3050, or ZOO 3600.

d One of the following **restricted enrollment** (seminar or writing intensive) courses is required for UW psychology majors:

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| PSYC 4060 | History and Systems | PSYC 4380 | Death and Dying |
| PSYC 4150 | Cognitive Development | PSYC 4390 | Personality Science |
| PSYC 4220 | Psychopharmacology | PSYC 4440 | Principles of Psychological Testing |
| PSYC 4250 | Psychological Aspects of Chronic Illness | PSYC 4740 | Advanced Social Psychology |
| PSYC 4320 | Intellectual Disability | PSYC 4860 | Seminar |
| PSYC 4350 | Psychology of Adulthood | | |