



**California State Polytechnic University, Pomona  
Degree Curriculum Sheet**

Plan (Major) **PSYCHOLOGY**

Catalog Year **2016 - 2017**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Subplan/Option \_\_\_\_\_

Minimum Units Required **180**

Student ID \_\_\_\_\_

**Required Core Courses**

A 2.0 cumulative GPA is required in core courses, including subplan courses, in order to receive a degree in the major.

PSY 202 - Principles of Psychology (4)  
PSY 204 - Research Methods in Psychology I (4)

PSY 307/307A - Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences (3/1) or  
SOC 307/307A - Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences (3/1)

PSY 433/433L - Experimental Psychology: Research Methodology and Design (4/1)

PSY 461 - Senior Project (2) and  
PSY 462 - Senior Project (2)  
or  
PSY 498 - Senior Seminar (4)

**Total Units 21**

**Elective Core Courses**

**Electives in PSY 300-400 level (not to include PSY 400 or PSY 498) (12)**

**Electives in PSY, SOC, SW, 300-400 level (not to include PSY 400/SOC 400, SW 402, SOC 380, and PSY 498/SOC 498) (8)**

Electives in group A-F (see back for course listings) (24-25)

**Total Units 44-45**

**Required Support Courses**

The following major support courses should be used to satisfy the indicated GE requirements. If these courses are not used to satisfy GE, the total units to degree may be more than 180 units.

ENG 130 - Freshman English II (4) (A3)  
PHL 202 - Critical Thinking (4) (A3)  
PSY 210 - Mind, Brain, and Behavior: An Integrated View (4) (E)  
SOC 201 - Principles of Sociology I (4) (D3)  
STA 120 - Statistics with Applications (4) (B4)

**Total Units 20**

**Unrestricted Electives**

Select a sufficient number of courses so that the total from "Elective Core", "Required Support", "GE", and "Unrestricted Electives" is at least 159 units.

**Total Units 26-43**

**Interdisciplinary General Education**

An alternate pattern for partial fulfillment of GE Areas A, C, D, and E available for students is the Interdisciplinary General Education (IGE) program. Students should see an advisor for specific GE coursework required by their major. Students must be exempt from or score at least 147 on the EPT to qualify for IGE. Please refer to the University Catalog General Education Program section for additional information.

**How IGE fulfills General Education Requirements:**

| Year      | Completion of IGE Courses | Satisfies GE Requirements              |
|-----------|---------------------------|--|
| Freshman  | IGE 120, IGE 121, IGE 122 | A2 as well as any 2 courses from C1-C3 |
| Sophomore | IGE 220, IGE 221, IGE 222 | D1 (8 units) and D3                    |
| Junior    | IGE 223, IGE 224          | D2 and Area E                          |

**Total Units 32**

**General Education Requirements**

**Area A Communication & Critical Thinking (12 units)**

1. Oral Communication
2. Written Communication
3. Critical Thinking

**Area B Mathematics & Natural Sciences (16 units)**

1. Physical Science
2. Biological Science
3. Laboratory Activity
4. Math/Quantitative Reasoning
5. Science & Technology Synthesis

**Area C Humanities (16 units)**

1. Visual and Performing Arts
2. Philosophy and Civilization
3. Literature and Foreign Language
4. Humanities Synthesis

**Area D Social Sciences (20 units)**

1. U.S. History, Constitution, American Ideals
  - a. United States History
  - b. Introduction to American Government
2. History, Economics and Political Science
3. Sociology, Anthropology, Ethnic & Gender Studies
4. Social Science Synthesis

**Area E Lifelong Understanding & Self Development (4 units)**

**Total Units 68**

**American Institutions**

Courses that satisfy this requirement may also satisfy GE Area D1

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**American Cultural Perspectives Requirement**

Refer to the University Catalog General Education Program section for a list of courses that satisfy this requirement. Course may also satisfy major, minor, GE, or unrestricted elective requirements.

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All persons who receive undergraduate degrees from Cal Poly Pomona must pass the Graduation Writing Test (GWT). The test must be taken by the quarter following completion of 120 units for undergraduates.

## **Elective Core Courses**

Choose one from each group below:

### **A. Clinical:**

PSY 403 - Psychology of Personality (4)  
PSY 412 - Theories of Counseling (4)  
PSY 415 - Abnormal Psychology (4)  
PSY 416 - Psychological Testing (4)  
PSY 417 - Basic Counseling Skills (4)  
PSY 425 - Community Psychology (4)  
PSY 435 - Legal and Ethical Issues in the Mental Health Professions (4)

### **B. Developmental:**

PSY 305 - Basic Developmental Psychology (4)  
PSY 310 - Child Psychology: Early Childhood (4)  
PSY 311 - Child Psychology: The Middle Years (4)  
PSY 312 - Adolescent Psychology (4)

### **C. Learning/Cognition:**

PSY 334 - Cognitive Processes (4)  
PSY 335 - Memory and Amnesia (4)  
PSY 402 - Theories of Learning (4)  
PSY 460/460A - Sensation and Perception (3/1)

### **D. Advanced Methods:**

PSY 303/303L - Physiological Psychology (4/1)  
PSY 345/345A - Computer Methods in Behavioral Science (3/1)  
PSY 404 - Qualitative Methods in Psychology (4)  
PSY 430 - Program Evaluation (4)

PSY 444/444A - Survey Research (3/1) or  
SOC 444/444A - Survey Research (3/1)

### **E. Organizational/Social:**

PSY 314 - Human Relations (4)  
PSY 332 - Organizational Psychology (4)  
PSY 401 - Social Psychology (4)  
PSY 452 - Organizational Change and Intervention (4)  
PSY 490 - Leadership and Teams (4)

### **F. Culture/Diversity:**

PSY 322 - Psychology of Women (4)  
PSY 325 - Multicultural Psychology (4)  
SOC 320 - Ethnic Relations in America (4)  
SOC 323 - Sociology of Minority Communities (4)