

**REQUIREMENT WORKSHEET FOR A BACHELOR'S DEGREE
FROM UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY WITH A
PSYCHOLOGY TEACHING MAJOR**

Effective for students entering
Fall 2004 or later

University Studies		33-38 credits
General Education	27-31 credits	
Depth Education (DHA & DSC)	6- 7 credits	
Psychology Major		43 credits
Required Courses	27 credits	
Primary Electives	16 credits	
Secondary Teacher Education Program (STEP)		35 credits
Minor in another field of study (minimum)		12 credits

Total specified credits		123-128 credits
(40 credits must be upper division, numbered 3000 or above)		
*CI and QI requirements are met by required courses in the Psychology major and STEP.		

*Students are admitted to the Department of Psychology
as Pre-psychology majors by meeting the
Utah State University admission requirements.*

To be a Psychology major, a student must make written application the Department after all four of the following prerequisites have been met:

1. Completion of at least 40 semester credits with a USU GPA of 2.75 or higher.
 2. Completion of at least 18 semester credits of the University Studies requirement with a GPA of 2.75 or higher.
 3. Completion of Psy 1010, 1100, 1400/1410 and 2800 (effective Fall 2005) with a GPA of 3.00 or higher.
 4. Psychology Competency Test must be taken and reported to Psychology Undergraduate Advising Office.
- No Psychology courses numbered 3000 or above may be taken until a student has been admitted as a Psychology major, or has completed at least 45 semester credits with a 3.00 GPA.
 - No Psychology courses numbered 4000 or above may be taken until a student has been admitted as a Psychology major, or has completed at least 60 semester credits with a 3.00 GPA.
 - GPA required for graduation with a major in Psychology **
 - USU TOTAL UNDERGRADUATE GPA must be 2.75 or higher.
 - GPA on USU Psychology courses must be 3.00 or higher.
 - GPA on all Psychology courses, USU and transfer, must be 3.00 or higher.
 - Students must receive a grade of C- or higher in all psychology courses (USU and transfer) in order to have them counted toward graduation.
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**See page 300, *USU General Catalog, 2004-2005* for information regarding Psychology graduation competency requirement information.

Requirements for a teaching major in Psychology consist of a broad preparation of 27 credits of specified coursework and 16 credits of elective coursework, for a total of at least 43 credits of psychology coursework. Twenty Psychology credits must be completed in upper-division courses, 12 credits of which must be taken at USU. An approved teaching minor in another field of study is required, as well as completion of the Secondary Teacher Education Program.

REQUIREMENT WORKSHEET FOR MAJOR IN PSYCHOLOGY

TOTAL 43 PSY CREDITS + Secondary Teacher Education Program (STEP)

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A. Required Courses for Psychology Major*			27 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 1010	General Psychology (BSS: F,Sp)	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 1100	Developmental Psychology: Infancy & Childhood (F,Sp)	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 1400	Analysis of Behavior: Basic Principles (F,Sp)	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 1410	Analysis of Behavior: Basic Principles Lab (F,Sp)	1 cr
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 2100	Developmental Psychology: Adolescence	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 2800	Psychological Statistics (QI: F,Sp)	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 3500	Scientific Thinking and Methods in Psychology (F,Sp)	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 3660	Educational Psychology for Teachers	2 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 5100	History and Systems of Psychology (Sp)	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 5330	Psychometrics (F)	3 crs

Note. Summer courses are not indicated here; check the Summer bulletin or contact the Psychology Undergraduate Advising Office.

B. Primary Elective Courses for Psychology Major*			16 crs
Group 1 Take 3 credits from: (These are non-laboratory courses.)			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 3510	Social Psychology	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 4210	Personality Theory	3 crs
Group 2 Take 3 credits from:			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 3450	Perception and Psychophysics	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 3460	Physiological Psychology	3 crs
Group 3 Take 4 credits from:			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 3400	Analysis of Behavior: Advanced	4 crs
(For this course, one of the 4 credits is devoted to a lab session)			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 4420	Cognitive Psychology AND	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 4430	Cognitive Psychology Lab	1 cr
Group 4 Take 6 credits from:			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 3110	Health Psychology	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 3120	Abuse and Neglect	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 3210	Abnormal Psychology	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy 5200	Introduction to Interviewing and Counseling	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Psy TBA	Drugs and Behavior	3 crs

Secondary Teacher Education Program			35 crs
Level 1 (15-week courses)			11 hrs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	INST 3500	Technology Tools for Secondary Teachers	1 cr
<input type="checkbox"/>	SCED 3100	Motivation and Class Management	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	SCED 3210	Educational and Multicultural Foundations	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Various Dept*	Clinical Experience I (30 hours minimum in the field)	1 cr
<input type="checkbox"/>	Various Dept*	Special Methods I (major or minor)	3 crs
Level 2 (15-week courses)			12 hrs
<input type="checkbox"/>	SPED 4000	Education of Exceptional Individuals (may be taken any time)	2 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	SCED 4200	Reading, Writing and Technology	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	SCED 4210	Cognition and Evaluation of Student Learning	3 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	Various Dept*	Clinical Experience II (30 hours minimum in the field)	1 cr
<input type="checkbox"/>	Various Dept*	Special Methods II (major or minor)	3 crs
Level 3 (Includes 13 weeks of student teaching and 10 weeks of Student Teaching Seminar)			12 hrs
<input type="checkbox"/>	SCED 5500	Student Teaching Seminar (10 weeks)	2 crs
<input type="checkbox"/>	SCED 5630	Student Teaching (13 weeks, full time)	10 crs

*Students must complete a methods course and a clinical experience course for each of their teaching subjects. Students should check with the department offering their other teaching subject for methods and clinical experience course numbers in that subject. Students electing Psychology at Level 1 should register for SCED 3500 (methods course) and SCED 3300 (clinical course); students selecting Psychology at Level 2 should register for SCED 3500 (methods course) and SCED 4300 (clinical course).

*Most psychology courses list Psy 1010 as a prerequisite. Many of these psychology courses also have additional prerequisites as listed in the General University Catalog.

This document is intended to serve as a general guide for the student to follow in order to meet the requirements for a Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology. It does not constitute a contract, nor does it imply assurance of graduation. Consult the current catalog or the Psychology Undergraduate Advising Office for any new updates.