

PROGRAM OF STUDY

Associate in Arts in Psychology for Transfer AA-T

Students who complete Psychology courses will be able to use the scientific model to understand the behavior of individuals and groups in contemporary society.

This program is designed for students intending to major in any type of Psychology at a four-year institution, and for students interested in studying Psychology for a general understanding of human behavior useful in any career or life area. A major in psychology provides a study of the behavior of individuals and groups in contemporary society. The graduate in this major is prepared for positions in research and teaching, counseling, and service in clinical settings. The major also provides a background for graduate study in the field of psychology and related specialties.

The Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T) is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in Psychology, or a similar major at a CSU campus. Students completing the AA-T degree in Psychology are guaranteed admission to the CSU system, but not to a particular campus or major of their choice. Students should consult with a counselor for more information on university admission and transfer requirements as this AA-T in Psychology may not be the best option for students intending to transfer to a particular CSU campus or to a college or university that is not part of the CSU system.

To earn an Associate in Arts Degree in Psychology for Transfer, students must complete the following:

1. 60 semester of CSU transferable.
2. Minimum grade point average (PA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU transferable coursework. While a minimum of 2.0 is required for admission, some majors may require a higher GPA.
3. 19 specified major units.
4. Certified completion of either the California State University (CSU) GE Breadth or Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC-for CSU).

REQUIRED CORE:

		Units
PSY M01	Introduction to Psychology	3
	or	
PSY M01H	Honors: Introduction to Psychology	3
PSY M02	Introduction to Behavioral Neuroscience	3
	or	
PSY M02H	Honors:Behavioral Neuroscience	3
PSY M06	Introduction to Behavioral Research Methods	3
MATH M15	Introductory Statistics	4
	or	
MATH M15H	Honors:Introductory Statistics	4

LIST A: Select and complete one or two course(s) from the following

		Units
PSY M04	Child Psychology	3
PSY M05	Social Psychology	3
	or	
SOC M05	Social Psychology	3
PSY M07	Developmental Psychology (Life Span)	3
PSY M08	Abnormal Psychology	3
PSY M16	Personality Theories	3

LIST B: If only one course was selected from List A, the student may select one course from the following List B of transferable psychology courses:

		Units
PSY M03	Personal Growth and Social Awareness	3
PSY M09	Introduction to Gerontology	3
PSY M10	Dying and Death	3
PSY M11	Psychology of Communication	3
PSY M13	Human Sexuality	3

PSY M14	Cross-Cultural Psychology	3
PSY M19	Cognitive Psychology	3
PSY M20	Intimacy, Relationship, and Commitment	3
	or	
SOC M04	Intimacy, Relationship and Commitment	3
PSY M25	Forensic Psychology	3

Total Units **19**