



Psychology Transfer

Program: Liberal Arts

Program Code:

LA_LAPY

Academic Area:

Behavioral and Social Sciences and Education

Type:

Associate in Arts

CIP Code:

24.0101

Program Statement

The Liberal Arts/Psychology Transfer Concentration provides a comprehensive and rigorous foundation for students who plan to transfer to a four-year institution to complete a baccalaureate degree in psychology or a related field. The program prepares students with the core knowledge and skills by providing foundational courses that parallel the first two years in a four-year institution and prepares students for success in more advanced psychology classes in the future.

Program Information

- The Liberal Arts Psychology Transfer Concentration is fully available on campus and online.
- BIO 111 is the recommended Biology elective.
- Students with an interest in a specific area of psychology should work with their advisor to choose electives that best align with their area of interest in psychology.
- Students must complete PSY 230: Statistics for Psychology with a C+ or better to complete the program.

After Bristol

Bristol participates in the statewide MassTransfer program and has developed many program-to-program transfer articulation agreements which guarantee admission and credit transfer. For a complete listing of eligible MassTransfer programs, current Bristol articulation agreements, and to complete an A2B Program Search, visit the Transfer Services website to review which credits will be transferred and applied to your degree.

Degree Requirements



General Courses

Course #	Title	Credits
COM 104	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
ENG 101	Composition I: College Writing	3
ENG 102	Composition II: Writing about Literature	3
MTH 119	Fundamental Statistics	3
PSY 101	General Psychology	3
PSY 165	Psychology of Learning, Motivation, and Achievement	3
PSY 230	Statistics for Psychology	4
PSY 232	Research Methods in Psychology	3
	Two-course History Sequence	6

Elective Courses

Course #	Title	Credits
	Biology Elective	4
	Science Elective	3
	Multicultural and Social Perspectives Elective	3
	Global and Historic Awareness Elective	3

Program Electives

Course #	Title	Credits
	Psychology A2B Pathway Electives	12
	Psychology Program Electives	6

Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 1

Course #	Title	Credits
ENG 101	Composition I: College Writing	3
PSY 101	General Psychology	3
PSY 165	Psychology of Learning, Motivation, and Achievement	3
COM 104	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
MTH 119	Fundamental Statistics	3



Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 2

Course #	Title	Credits
ENG 102	Composition II: Writing about Literature	3
	HST 111 or HST 113	3
PSY 230	Statistics for Psychology	4
	Multicultural and Social Perspectives Elective	3
	Program Elective	3

Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 3

Course #	Title	Credits
	HST 112 or HST 114	3
PSY 232	Research Methods in Psychology	3
	Biology Elective	4
	Global and Historic Awareness Elective	3
	Program Elective	3

Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 4

Course #	Title	Credits
	Science Elective	3
	Program Elective	3
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	Program Elective	3
	Total credits:	62

Category Descriptions

Two-course History Sequence

Credits: 6

Choose one two-course history sequence.

Course #	Title	Credits
	HST 111 and HST 112	6
	HST 113 and HST 114	6



Biology Elective

Credits: 4

Choose one of the following:

Course #	Title	Credits
BIO 111	General Biology I	4
BIO 115	Survey of Human Anatomy and Physiology	4
BIO 121	Fundamentals of Biological Science I	4
BIO 122	Fundamentals of Biological Science II	4

Science Elective

Credits: 3

Choose one [MassTransfer](#) Science elective.

Multicultural and Social Perspectives Elective

Credits: 3

Choose one [Multicultural and Social Perspectives](#) elective.

Global and Historic Awareness Elective

Credits: 3

Choose one [Global and Historic Awareness](#) elective.

Psychology A2B Pathway Electives

Credits: 12

Choose four of the following courses to meet the MassTransfer A2B Mapped Psychology Pathway.

Course #	Title	Credits
PSY 252	Child Development	3
PSY 253	Adolescent Psychology	3
PSY 254	Psychology of Personality	3
PSY 255	Abnormal Psychology	3
PSY 257	Social Psychology	3
PSY 290	Psychology of Learning	3



Psychology Program Electives

Credits: 6

Choose two additional electives from the MassTransfer A2B Mapped Psychology Pathway courses or MassTransfer Behavioral and Social Sciences Electives that meet the general education and program guidelines of the desired transfer school(s).