

Bachelor of Arts, Psychology

Four-Year Academic Plan (Catalog Year 2019-2020)

Freshmen Fall Semester	Completed	Freshmen Spring Semester	Completed	Sophomore Fall Semester	Completed	Sophomore Spring Semester	Completed
WRI 010: College Reading and Composition		PSY 010: Analysis of Psychological Data [^]		PSY 15: Research Methods in Psychology		Psychology Group A (PSY 16*, PSY 18*, or COGS 1**)	
PSY 001: Introduction to Psychology*		Lower Division Social Science (COGS 001, ECON 001, PH 001, POLI 001, PUBP001, SOC 001 OR ANTH 001)*		Natural or Engineering Sciences GE		Lower or Upper Division Elective	
SPRK 001: Spark Seminar		Engineering Sciences GE		Arts or Humanities GE		Lower or Upper Division Elective	
Natural Sciences GE		Language GE		Lower or Upper Division Elective		Lower or Upper Division Elective	
Junior Fall Semester	Completed	Junior Spring Semester	Completed	Senior Fall Semester	Completed	Senior Spring Semester	Completed
WRI 101: Writing in the Disciplines: Psychology		Psychology Group B (PSY 13*, PSY 15*)		Psychology Group C (PSY 12*, PSY 14*, PSY 17*)		Upper Division Psychology Advanced*	
Upper Division Psychology Advanced [†]		Upper Division Psychology Elective [#]		Upper Division Psychology Elective [@]		Culminating Experience	
Upper Division Elective		Upper Division Elective		Upper Division Elective		Upper Division Elective	
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Notes:

*Social Science GE

[^]: Quantitative GE

[#]: Writing in the Discipline

[@]: Crossroads Course

+ : See your catalog (<http://catalog.ucmerced.edu>) for a specific PSY Advanced course list

A list of courses that meet SSHA GE can be found at A list of courses that meet GE can be found at: <http://catalog.ucmerced.edu/content.php?catoid=11&navoid=1053#general-education-requirements>

The four-year plans presented in this sample plan demonstrate the recommended sequencing and timing of the required and elective components within each major. In many cases, a student's academic background will require variations in the timing of the coursework listed in the plan. All students are expected to work with their academic advisor to find their best pathway through the degree requirements of their chosen program.

Additionally, this academic plan is an unofficial document intended to be used for advising / course planning only. This academic plan does not take into account any coursework completed outside of UC Merced by way of transferred credits from other institutions or credit awarded through test scores. This document cannot be used to supersede or waive requirements listed in the UC Merced catalog unless approved by your advisor or the faculty, and course availability is not guaranteed.

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Key	
Upper Division Elective Course (100-199)	A course in any discipline numbered 100-199 that you meet the prerequisite for.
Elective Course (001-199)	A course in any discipline numbered from 001-199 that you meet the prerequisite for