

Advising Course Plan - Psychology Major - Option 1

What follows is *an example* four-year plan for a first-time-in-college student. Other plans will work, too. It is critical, however, that by the end of the second year, you have successfully completed PSYC 101S, MATH 125Q, PSYC 203, *at least* one PSYC Elective, and preferably BIOL 121P. It is also critical that you start the research sequence of courses (PSYC 306Q, PSYC 498, and PSYC 499) sometime during the junior year. These courses must be taken sequentially.

First Year

Fall		Units
PSYC 101S	Introduction to Psychology	1
FSEM 100	First Year Seminar	1
General Education Requirement (Writing, or A, B, H, L, V course)		1
General Elective		1
Term Units		4

Spring		Units
MATH 125Q or BIOL 121P	Introduction to Mathematical and Statistical Modeling The Biological Basis of Behavior	1
PSYC Elective (200-level)		1
General Education Requirement (Writing, or A, B, H, L, V course)		1
General Elective		1
Term Units		4

Second Year

Fall		Units
PSYC 203	Foundations for Psychology Majors: Scientific Inquiry, Information Literacy, and Professional Dev.	1
PSYC Elective		1
General Education Requirement (A, B, H, L, V course)		1
Elective		1
Term Units		4

Spring		Units
BIOL 121P or MATH 125Q	The Biological Basis of Behavior Introduction to Mathematical and Statistical Modeling	1
PSYC Elective		1
General Education Requirement (A, B, H, L, V course)		1
General Elective		1
Term Units		4

Third Year

Fall		Units
PSYC 306Q	Behavioral Statistics	1
PSYC Elective		1
Junior Seminar		1
General Elective		1
Term Units		4

Spring		Units
PSYC 498	Research Methods and Proposal	1
PSYC Elective		1
General Elective		1
General Elective		1
Term Units		4

Fourth Year

Fall		Units
PSYC 499	Senior Project	1
PSYC Elective		1
General Elective		1

General Elective		1
Term Units		4
Spring		
General Elective		1
General Elective		1
General Elective		1
General Elective		1
Term Units		4
Total Unit: 32		