

**Graduation Checklist for Psychology Major/Minor  
FA2008 through Current Catalog**

**Criteria for Admission to the Psychology Major:**

1. Completion of MAT 1271 or higher level math course, with a grade of C or better; or ACT math score of 26 or higher.
2. Completion of PSY 1879G (or equivalent) with a grade of C or better.

**Major in Psychology: A grade of C or better is required in all Psychology courses counting towards the major.**

**Core Requirements:**

- \_\_\_ **MAT1271** or higher level math course, with grade of C or better, or ACT math score of 26 or higher: 0-3 credits
- \_\_\_ **PSY1879G** Introductory Psychology: 3 CR
- \_\_\_ **PSY2610** Statistical Methods of Psychology (prereq. PSY1879G & Math above): 4 CR
- \_\_\_ **PSY2999** Psychological Forum (prereq. PSY1879G): 1 CR
- \_\_\_ **PSY3805** Research Methods & Experimental Design (prereq. PSY1879G & PSY2610 (w/ grade of C or better): 4 CR
- \_\_\_ **PSY4xxx** Capstone Course\* 3 CR (prereq. PSY2610, PSY 3805, and senior standing); See online catalog for details.
- \_\_\_ Complete the Psychology Comprehensive Exam at least 10 days prior to the closing date of the term of graduation.
- \_\_\_ Complete the Graduating Senior Exit Survey by the closing date of the term of graduation. **EXAM & SURVEY:** <http://psych.eiu.edu/>

**Group A: Abnormal/Social Group – Minimum of two from:**

- \_\_\_ **PSY3590** Theories of Personality (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ **PSY3780** Abnormal Psychology (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ **PSY3870** Social Psychology (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR

**Group B: Biopsychology Group – Minimum of one from:**

- \_\_\_ **PSY3310** Biological Psychology (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ **PSY3680** Sensation & Perception (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR

**Group C: Cognitive/Learning Group – Minimum of one from:**

- \_\_\_ **PSY3620** Psychology of Learning (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ **PSY3830** Cognitive Processes (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR

**Group D: Developmental Group – Minimum of one from:**

- \_\_\_ **PSY3515** Child Psychology (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ **PSY3521** Psychology of Adolescence & Young Adulthood (prereq PSY1879G): 3 CR
- \_\_\_ **PSY3525** Psychology of Maturity & Old Age (prereq. PSY1879G): 3 CR

**Electives:** 6 credits from any Psychology Courses except PSY4274 & PSY4275. No more than 3 credits each of PSY 3900 or 4100 may count toward this requirement. May include any courses from Groups A, B, C & D above the minimum requirement. Please read catalog for course prerequisites.

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| ___ PSY3260 Group Dynamics: 2 CR       | ___ PSY4100* Supervised Res: 1-6 CR     | ___ PSY4590* Psy Seminar: 3 CR        |
| ___ PSY3530 Ind/Org Psy: 3 CR          | ___ PSY4250* History & Systems: 3 CR    | ___ PSY4515* Children w/ Except: 3 CR |
| ___ PSY3690 Controversial Topics: 3 CR | ___ PSY4260* Crisis Intervention: 3 CR  | ___ PSY4610 Adv Statistics: 4 CR      |
| ___ PSY3720 Psy of Gender: 3 CR        | ___ PSY4270* Theories Psychother: 3 CR  | ___ PSY4644* Honors Thesis: 3 CR      |
| ___ PSY3765 Methods in Beh Mgt: 3 CR   | ___ PSY4274 Orient. to Internship: 1 CR | ___ PSY4666* Honors Seminar: 3 CR     |
| ___ PSY3900 Ind Study: 1-6 CR          | ___ PSY4275 Internship: 3/6 CR          | ___ PSY4620 Psy Measurements: 3 CR    |
| ___ PSY4000 Prob Solv & Reas: 3 CR     | ___ PSY4444 Honors Ind Study: 3 CR      | ___ PSY4700* Prejudice & Disc: 3 CR   |
|                                        | ___ PSY4585 Special Topics: 3 CR        | OTHER: _____                          |

**MAJOR TOTAL: 36-39 credits**

**Minor in Psychology: A grade of C or better is required in all Psychology courses counting towards the minor.**

- \_\_\_ PSY 1879G Introductory Psychology: 3 CR
- \_\_\_ Electives in Psychology selected to meet the particular educational goals of individual students in consultation with a Psychology advisor. Must include at least nine CR. of courses numbered 3000 or above: 15 CR

**MINOR TOTAL: 18 HOURS**

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