

# Associate in Arts in Psychology for Transfer Degree

The Associate in Arts in Psychology for Transfer Degree is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in Psychology or a related major in the California State University (CSU) system. Students who complete this degree and transfer to a participating CSU campus will be required to complete no more than 60 units after transfer to earn a bachelor's degree. It may not be appropriate preparation for students transferring to a CSU campus that does not accept the degree. Students who plan to complete this degree should consult a counselor for additional information about participating CSU campuses as well as university admission, degree, and transfer requirements.

**This degree is accepted by some but not all CSU campuses.**

<b>Courses Required for the Major:</b>	<b>Units</b>
PSYC 101 General Psychology	3
PSYC 255 Introduction to Psychological Research	3
PSYC 258 Behavioral Science Statistics	3
<b>and</b>	
PSYC 259 Behavioral Science Statistics Laboratory	1
<b>or</b>	
MATH 119 Elementary Statistics	3

**Select 3 to 4 units from the following courses:**

PSYC 260 Introduction to Physiological Psychology	3
BIOL 107 General Biology – Lecture and Laboratory	4

**Select at least 3 units from the following courses (not already selected above):**

BIOL 107 General Biology-Lecture and Laboratory	4
BIOL 210A Introduction to the Biological Sciences I	4
CHEM 100 Fundamentals of Chemistry	3
<b>and</b>	
CHEM 100L Fundamentals of Chemistry Laboratory	1
CHEM 130 Introduction to Organic and Biological Chemistry	3
<b>and</b>	

CHEM 130L Introduction to Organic and Biological Chemistry Laboratory	1
ENGL 101 Reading and Composition	3
<b>or</b>	
ENGL 105 Composition and Literature	3
ENGL 205 Critical Thinking and Intermediate Composition	3
MATH 104 Trigonometry	3
MATH 116 College and Matrix Algebra	3
MATH 121 Basic Techniques of Applied Calculus I	3
MATH 141 Precalculus	5
MATH 150 Calculus with Analytic Geometry I	5
MATH 151 Calculus with Analytic Geometry II	4
PHIL 100 Logic and Critical Thinking	3
PHIL 205 Critical Thinking and Writing in Philosophy	3
PHYS 125 General Physics	5
PHYS 126 General Physics II	5
PSYC 166 Introduction to Social Psychology	3
PSYC 201 Academic and Career Opportunities in Psychology	1
PSYC 211 Learning	3
PSYC 230 Psychology of Lifespan Development	3
PSYC 260 Introduction to Physiological Psychology	3
SOCO 101 Principles of Sociology	3
SOCO 110 Contemporary Social Problems	3

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BIOL 107 General Biology-Lecture and Laboratory	4
BIOL 210A Introduction to the Biological Sciences I	4
CHEM 100 Fundamentals of Chemistry	3
<b>and</b>	
CHEM 100L Fundamentals of Chemistry Laboratory	1
CHEM 130 Introduction to Organic and Biological Chemistry	3
<b>and</b>	
CHEM 130L Introduction to Organic and Biological Chemistry Laboratory	1
ENGL 101 Reading and Composition	3
<b>or</b>	
ENGL 105 Composition and Literature	3
ENGL 205 Critical Thinking and Intermediate Composition	3
MATH 104 Trigonometry	3
MATH 116 College and Matrix Algebra	3
MATH 121 Basic Techniques of Applied Calculus I	3
MATH 141 Precalculus	5
MATH 150 Calculus with Analytic Geometry I	5
MATH 151 Calculus with Analytic Geometry II	4

PHIL 100	Logic and Critical Thinking	3
PHIL 205	Critical Thinking and Writing in Philosophy	3
PHYS 125	General Physics	5
PHYS 126	General Physics II	5
PSYC 133	Psychology of Women	3
PSYC 135	Marriage and Family Relations	3
PSYC 137	Human Sexual Behavior	3
PSYC 166	Introduction to Social Psychology	3
PSYC 201	Academic and Career Opportunities in Psychology	1
PSYC 211	Learning	3
PSYC 230	Psychology of Lifespan Development	3
PSYC 245	Abnormal Psychology	3
PSYC 260	Introduction to Physiological Psychology	3

**Total Units 18–24**

**General Education:** In addition to the courses listed above, students must complete one of the following general education options:

- The IGETC pattern is accepted by all CSU campuses and most UC campuses and majors. It is also accepted by some private/independent or out of state universities.
- The CSU GE pattern is accepted by all CSU campuses and some private/independent or out of state universities. It is not accepted by the UC system.

It is strongly recommended that students consult with a counselor to determine which general education option is most appropriate for their individual educational goals.

**Note:** It is recommended that students select courses that meet lower division major preparation requirements for their transfer university.

**Electives as needed to meet maximum of 60 CSU-transferable units required for the degree.**