Course Title Hours
Semester 1
ENGLISH 101 Composition 1 3
MATH 125 Introductory Statistics 1 4
PSYCH 201 General Psychology 1 3
Social and Behavioral Sciences course 1 3
Elective 2 3

Hours 16

Semester 2
ENGLISH 102 Composition 1 3
Life Sciences course 1 4
SPEECH 101 Fundamentals of Speech Communication 1 3
Fine Arts course 1 3
Select one of the following: 3

PSYCH 213 Abnormal Psychology 2 2
Pathway Elective (p. 2) 2 2

Hours 16

Semester 3
Physical Sciences course 1 4
Fine Arts & Humanities course 1 3
Select one of the following: 3
PSYCH 207 Child Psychology 2 2
Pathway Elective (p. 2) 2 2
World Language course 2 4

Hours 14

Semester 4
Social and Behavioral Sciences course (HD) 1 3
World Language course 2 4
Humanities course 1 3
Select one of the following: 3
PSYCH 211 Social Psychology 2 2
Pathway Elective (p. 2) 2 2

College(s): DA, HW, KK, MX, OH, TR, WR
Program Code: 0210

Pathway

The psychology pathway examines the way humans feel, think, and learn. Today’s psychologists study all sorts of fascinating questions, such as: Why is learning a language as an infant easier than as a teenager? What are the roots of violence? What is the best way to help someone with depression, or grief? But psychologists also look on the bright side. They encourage, coach and motivate people to change their lives for the better.

This is an example course sequence for students interested in pursuing Psychology. This does not represent a contract, nor does it guarantee course availability. If this pathway is followed as outlined, you will earn an AA degree. One course will satisfy the Human Diversity (HD) requirement, and is labeled with an (HD) in the sequence below. Following this pathway will help you get your associate degree, which will increase your chances of transfer to Bachelor’s-level programs of study. Choose Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI) courses to fulfill general education requirements whenever possible. Visit www.itransfer.org (http://www.itransfer.org) and speak with your college advisor to learn more about IAI.

As of July 2014, World Language courses are no longer a degree requirement. In the sequence below, World Language courses are called out as suggested electives. Please talk with your College Advisor to determine the best education plan for you.

Semester-by-Semester Program Plan for Full-Time Students

All plans can be modified to fit the needs of part-time students by adding more semesters.
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Any Anthropology course  
Any Criminal Justice course  
Any Political Science course  
Any Sociology course  

World Languages courses

Choose your courses with your College Advisor.