

Bachelor of Arts

Psychology Major

Counseling Concentration

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Purpose: The Psychology Major, with a Counseling Concentration, provides the student with the academic and professional preparation necessary to work in the field of counseling or to continue studies in graduate school.

Program Outcomes/Goals:

1. Students will have a basic understanding of the major concepts, theoretical perspectives, empirical findings, and historical trends in psychology.
2. Students will have the ability to weigh evidence, act ethically, and integrate Christian values with psychology as a discipline.
3. A student will display professional skills in the area of his or her concentration.

CONCENTRATION REQUIREMENTS

I. General Studies	39 Credits	II. Bible and Theology (continued)	
College and Career Success	3	Systematic Theology IV	3
Freshman Composition I	3	Theology Elective	3
Freshman Composition II	3	World Missions and Religions	3
Introduction to Public Speaking	3		
Introduction to Philosophy	3	III. Major	39 Credits
General Psychology	3	<i>Core Courses:</i>	
Literature Elective	3	Counseling Nontraditional Families	3
Fine Arts Elective	3	Counseling Skills Lab	3
History Elective	3	Crisis Counseling	3
Math Elective	3	Developmental Psychology	3
Science Elective	3	Introduction to Counseling	3
General Education Electives	6	Marriage and Family Communication	3
		Psychopathology	3
		Seminar in Group Dynamics	3
		Social Psychology	3
		Stress Management	3
		Internship (4 semesters)	0
		<i>Elective Courses, 9 credits from among:</i>	9
II. Bible and Theology	45 Credits	Cognitive Psychology	
Apologetics	3	Counseling Adolescents	
Bible or Theology Elective	3	Educational Psychology	
Evangelism and Discipleship	3	Interpersonal Communication	
Hermeneutics	3	Research Methods I	
Life and Revelation of Christ	3	Research Methods II	
New Testament History and Letters	3	Statistics	
Old Testament Law and History	3	Theories of Personality	
Old Testament Poetry and Prophecy	3		
Romans	3		
Systematic Theology I	3		
Systematic Theology II	3		
Systematic Theology III	3		

TOTAL REQUIRED CREDITS: 123

Suggested Four-Year Program

for the Psychology Major Counseling Concentration

Freshman Year

Fall Semester - 15 credits

<i>SLS</i>	1501	College and Career Success	3
GNMN	1302	Evangelism and Discipleship	3
BIBL	1311	O.T. Law and History	3
<i>ENC</i>	1101	Freshman Composition I	3
COUN	2301	Introduction to Counseling	3

Spring Semester - 15 credits

MISS	1301	World Missions and Religions	3
BIBL	1322	O.T. Poetry and Prophecy	3
<i>ENC</i>	1102	Freshman Composition II	3
<i>PSY</i>	1012	General Psychology	3
DEP	2004	Developmental Psychology	3

Sophomore Year

Fall Semester - 15 credits

BIBL	2301	Life and Revelation of Christ	3
BIBL	2331	Hermeneutics	3
<i>SPC</i>	1608	Introduction to Public Speaking	3
<i>HSEL</i>	xxxx	History Elective	3
COUN	2302	Crisis Counseling	3

Spring Semester - 15 credits

BIBL	2321	N.T. History and Letters	3
BTEL	xxxx	Bible or Theology Elective	3
<i>SCEL</i>	xxxx	Science Elective	3
<i>GEEL</i>	xxxx	General Education Elective	3
SYG	1431	Marriage & Family Communication	3

Junior Year

Fall Semester - 15 credits

THEO	3301	Systematic Theology I	3
<i>LTEL</i>	xxxx	Literature Elective	3
<i>PHI</i>	1010	Introduction to Philosophy	3
COUN	3314	Counseling Nontraditional Families	3
CLP	3146	Psychopathology	3
COUN	3081	Counseling Internship	0

Spring Semester - 15 credits

THEO	3302	Systematic Theology II	3
<i>MTEL</i>	xxxx	Math Elective	3
<i>XXXX</i>	xxxx	Major Elective	3
COUN	3332	Stress Management	3
COUN	4312	Seminar in Group Dynamics	3
COUN	3082	Counseling Internship	0

Senior Year

Fall Semester - 18 credits

THEO	4321	Systematic Theology III	3
THEO	4311	Apologetics	3
THEO	xxxx	Theology Elective	3
<i>FAEL</i>	xxxx	Fine Arts Elective	3
<i>XXXX</i>	xxxx	Major Elective	3
SOP	4004	Social Psychology	3
COUN	4081	Counseling Internship	0

Spring Semester - 15 credits

THEO	4331	Systematic Theology IV	3
BIBL	4301	Romans	3
<i>GEEL</i>	xxxx	General Education Elective	3
<i>XXXX</i>	xxxx	Major Elective	3
COUN	4302	Counseling Skills Lab	3
COUN	4082	Counseling Internship	0

Bold indicates courses in the Bible and Theology Core.

Italics indicates courses in the General Studies Core. Regular type indicates courses in the major.

Following Admissions Assessment, the following courses:

BIBL1101 Basics of Biblical Living (Fall), **BIBL1102 Christian Belief and Scripture** (Spring) may be required during the freshman year in lieu of Bible/Theology electives. Adjustments will be made to satisfy all other course requirements of the degree.