



Bachelor of Arts

Major: Psychology

2018-2019 Sample 4-Year Plan

Taylor's University

Total Degree Requirements: 120 credits

Students are not limited to this plan; it is meant to be used as a guide for planning purposes in consultation with your advisor. The sample schedule is one possible path to completing your degree within four years. For official program requirements, please refer to the [Undergraduate Catalog](#).

First Year

Fall

| Prefix + Number | Course Title | Prerequisites/Comments | Credits | College | Course |
|--------------------------------|---|---|---------|---------|-----------|
| PSYC 101 | General Psychology (SGR #3) | | 3 | TU | PSYC 201 |
| ACS 119 | First Year Seminar | Suggested | 2 | SDSU | |
| ENGL 101 | English Composition I (SGR #1) | p. Placement | 3 | TU | ENGL 101 |
| Modern Foreign Language Course | Students must complete through the 202 level in an approved Modern Language (SGR #4). | Placement testing is required to determine proficiency level. | 4 | TU | See notes |
| SGR #5 | Mathematics | p. Placement, MATH 102 suggested | 3 | TU | MATH 110 |
| Total Credit Hours | | | 15 | | |

Spring

| Prefix + Number | Course Title | Prerequisites/Comments | Credits | College | Course |
|--------------------------------|---|-------------------------|---------|---------|-----------|
| PSYC 201 | The Field of Psychology | p. PSYC 101 | 1 | SDSU | |
| PSYC 210 | Introduction to Biopsychology | p. PSYC 101 | 3 | SDSU | |
| AHSS 111 | Introduction to Global Citizenship and Diversity | | 3 | SDSU | |
| Modern Foreign Language Course | Students must complete through the 202 level in an approved Modern Language (SGR #4). | p. 101 | 4 | TU | See notes |
| SGR #2 | Oral Communication | | 3 | TU | SPCH 105 |
| SGR #6 | Natural Sciences | BIOL 101-101L suggested | 4 | TU | See notes |
| Total Credit Hours | | | 18 | | |

Second Year

Fall

| Prefix + Number | Course Title | Prerequisites/Comments | Credits | College | Course |
|--------------------------------|--|--|---------|---------|-----------|
| PSYC 375-375L | Research Methods in Psychology and Lab | p. PSYC 101, MATH 102, ENGL 101 | 4 | SDSU | |
| PSYC electives (Domains I-IV) | | p. PSYC 101; complete two courses in each domain | 3 | TU | PSYC 226 |
| Modern Foreign Language Course | Students must complete through the 202 level in an approved Modern Language. | | 3 | SDSU | |
| SGR #1 | Written Communication | p. ENGL 101 | 3 | TU | ENGL 102 |
| SGR #6 | Natural Sciences | | 4 | TU | See notes |
| Total Credit Hours | | | 17 | | |

Spring

| Prefix + Number | Course Title | Prerequisites/Comments | Credits | College | Course |
|--------------------------------|--|---|---------|---------|-----------|
| PSYC 376-376L | Research Methods II and Lab | p. PSYC 375-375L | 4 | SDSU | |
| PSYC electives (Domains I-IV) | | p. PSYC 101; complete two courses in each domain | 6 | SDSU | |
| Modern Foreign Language Course | Students must complete through the 202 level in an approved Modern Language. | | 3 | SDSU | |
| SGR #3 | Social Sciences/Diversity | SGR #3 satisfied by coursework from 2 different disciplines | 3 | TU | See notes |
| Total Credit Hours | | | 16 | | |



Third Year

Fall

| Prefix + Number | Course Title | Prerequisites/Comments | Credits | College | Course |
|-------------------------------|--------------|--|---------|---------|--------|
| PSYC electives (Domains I-IV) | | p. PSYC 101; complete two courses in each domain | 6 | SDSU | |
| Minor/2nd Major Course | | | 6 | SDSU | |
| General Electives | | 300-400 level courses recommended to meet career goals | 3 | SDSU | |
| Total Credit Hours | | | 15 | | |

Spring

| Prefix + Number | Course Title | Prerequisites/Comments | Credits | College | Course |
|-------------------------------|--------------|--|---------|------------|--------|
| PSYC electives (Domains I-IV) | | p. PSYC 101; complete two courses in each domain | 6 | SDSU | |
| Minor/2nd Major Course | | | 6 | SDSU | |
| General Electives | | Taken as need to reach 120 credits. | 3 | TU or SDSU | |
| Total Credit Hours | | | 15 | | |

Fourth Year

Fall

| Prefix + Number | Course Title | Prerequisites/Comments | Credits | College | Course |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|---------|---------|--------|
| PSYC 409 | History & Systems of Psychology | p. PSYC 375-375L, Capstone | 3 | SDSU | |
| PSYC Major elective (Domain I-IV) | | p. PSYC 101; complete two courses in each domain | 3 | SDSU | |
| Minor/ 2nd Major Course | | | 6 | SDSU | |
| Total Credit Hours | | | 12 | | |

Spring

| Prefix + Number | Course Title | Prerequisites/Comments | Credits | College | Course |
|---------------------------|--------------|------------------------------------|---------|------------|--------|
| General Electives | | Taken as need to reach 120 credits | 12 | TU or SDSU | |
| Total Credit Hours | | | 12 | | |

Comments/Notes

Students from all academic majors can pursue graduation with Fishback Honors College distinction. View the [Honors program requirements](#).

As part of the College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, students in this program must complete/earn:

- a minimum of 33 upper division credits (300-400 level courses)
- a capstone course in the major
- a designated diversity, equity, and inclusion course – AHSS 111 (or AIS 211 for teaching specialization students only)
- a minor, second major, or teaching specialization
- 6+ credits of Modern Foreign Language coursework, including completion of the 202-Level



General Education Requirements for the System General Education Requirement 3, 4 and 6:

System General Requirement #3 Social Sciences/Diversity Three Credits Required

Choose one class (three credits) from the classes below (this assumes the student has taken PSYC 101 at Taylors):

- ECON 202 (Microeconomics) or ECON 203 (Macroeconomics)
- HIST 105 (US History to 1877) or HIST 106 (US History since 1877)
- POLS 101 (American Government)
- PSYC 101 (General Psychology)
- SOC 101 (Sociology I) or SOC 102 (Sociology II)

System General Requirement #4 Arts & Humanity/Diversity Six Credits Required

Choose two classes (six credits) from the classes below and the classes must be from different departments (unless two French or Spanish classes are taken). Choose any two Taylors classes from the list below:

- ENGL 202 (Literary Appreciation) or ENGL 201 (Introduction to World Poetry) Or ENGL 200 (Introduction to American Literature)
- UCM00703U2 (French for Communication and Culture 1)
- UCM00803U2 (French for Communication and Culture 2)
- HIST 101 (World Civilizations I (to 1500)) or HIST 102 (World Civilizations (from 1500))
- COMM 101 (Introduction to Communication) or FILM 101 (Introduction to Film Studies)
- MUSC 103 (Introduction to Music)
- PHIL 101 (Introduction to Philosophy) or PHIL 203 (Introduction to Logic) or UCU60303U2 (Introduction to Philosophy)
- WREL 105 (World Religion)
- UCM00103U2 (Spanish for Communication and Culture 1)
- UCM00203U2 (Spanish for Communication and Culture 2)
- UCM60203U2 (Introduction to Acting) or THTR 101 (Foundation of Acting I)

NOTE: Students may do the first half of their foreign language requirement by taking:

French for Communication and Culture 1 and French for Communication and Culture 2

Or, Spanish for Communication and Culture 1 and Spanish for Communication and Culture 2

System General Education Requirement #6 Natural Sciences Six or more Credits Required

- BIO 160 (Biological Science with lab)
- CHEM 101 (Fundamental of Chemistry with Lab)
- CHEM 105 (General Chemistry 1 with Lab)
- CHEM 106 (General Chemistry 2 with Lab)
- PHYS 211 (Physics for Science & Engineering with Lab)
- PHYS 212 (Physics for Science & Engineering with Lab)