

# PSYCHOLOGY

Associate in Arts

**NEW  
DEGREE**

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**Through the application of scientific reasoning and research, students will understand, predict and effectively address the behavior of individuals and groups. The curriculum in this program provides a foundation for employment in public service or transfer to a four-year institution.**

Upon completion the graduate will be able to:

- Describe major concepts, principles and themes that explain human thought and behavior
- Utilize behavioral science reasoning to understand, predict and effectively address the behavior of individuals and groups
- Apply foundational theory and conceptual frameworks to social issues through analysis and research
- Develop strategies for effective communication in professional settings
- Understand the complexity of socio-cultural diversity and social inequality in the inquiry and analysis of psychological issues

**Graduates may pursue careers in the following fields:**

- Behavioral Health
- Community or Home Health
- Corrections
- Family Advocacy
- Youth Counseling

## Degree Requirements

Semester I		Credit Hours
SSC 100	Public Service and Social Sciences Seminar	1
PSY 101	Introduction to Psychology	3
ENG ____*	Select one of the following:	
	ENG 101 College Writing	3
	ENG 105 College Writing Seminar	(4)
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	3
MAT ____*	MAT 115 or higher	3
COM 100	Public Speaking	3
Semester II		
PSY 111	Developmental Psychology	3
SOC 200	Issues in Diversity	3
PSY 201	Social Psychology	3
PHI 111	Introduction to Ethics	3
MAT 135	Statistics	3
Semester III		
SSC 200	Research Methods for Social Sciences	3
PSY 114	Child Development	3
PSY 208	Theories of Personality	3
SOC 220	Sociology of Family	3
_____	Elective: Humanities	3
Semester IV		
JUS 232	Criminal Psychology	3
PSY 260	Abnormal Psychology	3
_____	Elective: Open	6
	Recommended:	
	SOC 203 Crime and Social Policy	
	JUS 205 Crisis Intervention for Justice Studies	
	JUS 252 Offender Rehabilitation	
	PSY 210 Behavior Analysis and Management	
	PSY 212 Abuse, Trauma and Recovery	
_____	Elective: Science with Lab	4
<b>Total Credit Hour Requirements</b>		<b>62-63</b>

\*Placement determined by assessment test scores and/or prior college coursework

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