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Advising forms available online at:
www.jsu.psychology/undergraduate
ADVISEMENT AND PRAXICUM INFORMATION

Summer and Fall 2015 Advising

Advising for summer and fall enrollment will be open thru March 20—advising and class seats will be limited after March 20.

- If you are considering registering for summer and/or fall classes, you should seek advisement before March 20. You are not required to register if you have been advised, but you cannot register without advisor approval.
- Undergraduates can begin registering March 17 — see Priority Pre-registration for details

Advising forms (save files to your hard drive & then save changes in Adobe Reader XI):

- Psychology Academic Advising Procedure - describes steps necessary to be cleared for enrollment
- 2009-2014 Psychology Major Advising Checklist
- 2015 Psychology Major Advising Checklist
- Summer Trial Schedule

Practicum Information

- PSY 460 & 461 Instructional Practicum - typically by faculty invitation only
- PSY 480 & 481 Community Practicum - contact Dr. Bayles
- PSY 485 & 486 Applied Behavior Analysis Practicum - contact Dr. Bayles
- PSY 490 & 491 Individual Research - review faculty members’ areas of interest and contact them for availability/approval

Creating a Plan of Study for Financial Aid

- Psychology Plan of Study for 2009-2014 Catalogue Requirements
- Plan of Study Worksheet - Save this form to your computer & then personalize your plan of study. Once complete, send it to your advisor for feedback & approval. Allow at least 48 hours for a response.
# University Core Requirements

## University Core Requirements

### AREA I: Written Composition (6 hours required)
- EH 101 or 103 English Composition I
- EH 102 or 104 English Composition II

### AREA II: Humanities and Fine Arts (12 hours required)
- EH 141 Oral Communication
- Two of the following Literature courses: EH 201, 202, 203, 204, 219, 220, 231, 232
- Literature 1: EH [enter course number]
- Literature 2: EH [enter course number]
- One of the following Fine Arts courses: FH 101, 102, 201, 202; SH 101, 102, 201, 202; ART 202; DR 242; or MU 233
- Fine Art: [enter department & course number]

### AREA III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics (11 hours required)
- If applicable, MS 100
- MS [enter course number]; select from MS 108 or higher
- One of the following sequences: (CY 101/103 & CY 102/104), (CY 103/107 & CY 106/108), (GL 241/243 & GL 242/244), (GY 250/252 & GY 251/253), or (PHS 201/203 & PHS 202/204)
- Natural Science 1st course/lab: [enter department & course number]
- Natural Science 2nd course/lab: [enter department & course number]

### AREA IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences (12 hours required)
- One History sequence: (HY 101/102 Western Civilization) or (HY 201/202 American History)
- History 1: HY [enter course number]
- History 2: HY [enter course number]
- Two of the following Social Science courses: AN 224, EC 221, EC 222, GY 120, GY 220, PSC 100, SY 221
- Social Science: [enter department & course number]

### Area V: Pre-Professional, Major, and Elective Courses (19 hours required)
- PSY 201 or 202 Principles of Psychology (Grade of "C" or better required)
- PSY 205 Orientation to Psychology
- CS 201 Introduction to Information Technology, or higher
- MS 204 Basic Statistics or MS 302 Applied Probability and Statistics
- STU 101 First-Year Experience Course (0) (required for students with <24 earned hours)

Minor courses may be used to meet the remaining 9 elective hours required.

English competency exam (must take between 60 & 80 hours with a "C" or better in EH 101 & 102)
## University Core Requirements

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### University Core Requirements

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**AREA I: Written Composition (6 hours required)**
- EH 101 or 105 English Composition I
- EH 102 or 104 English Composition II

**AREA II: Humanities and Fine Arts (12 hours required)**
- ET 191L Oral Communication
- Two of the following Literature courses: EH 201, 202, 203, 204, 219, 220, 251, 252
- Literature 1: EH (enter course number)
- Literature 2: EH (enter course number)
- One of the following Fine Arts courses: PH 101, 102, 201, 202, SH 101, 102, 201, 202, ART 202
- Drama or MU 258
- Fine Art: (enter department & course number)

**AREA III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics (11 hours required)**
- If applicable, MS 100
- MS (enter course number); select from MS 108 or higher
- One of the following sequences: BY 101/103 & BY 102/104, CY 105/107 & CY 106/108, (GL 241/243 & GL 242/244), (GY 250/252 & GY 251/253), or (PHS 201/203 & PHS 202/204)
- Natural Science 1st course/lab: (enter department & course number)
- Natural Science 2nd course/lab: (enter department & course number)

**AREA IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences (12 hours required)**
- One History sequence: HI 101/102 Western Civilization or HI 201/202 American History
- History 1: HI (enter course number)
- History 2: HI (enter course number)
- Two of the following Social Science courses: AM 224, EC 221, EC 222, GY 120, GY 220, PSC 100, SY 221
- Social Science: (enter department & course number)
- Social Science: (enter department & course number)

**AREA V: Pre-Professional, Major, and Elective Courses (19 hours required)**
- PSY 201 or 202 Principles of Psychology (Grade of “C” or better required)
- PSY 205 Orientation to Psychology
- CS 201 Introduction to Information Technology, or higher
- MS 204 Basic Statistics or MS 302 Applied Probability and Statistics
- STU 101 First-Year Experience Course 0 (Required for students with <24 earned hours)

Minor courses may be used to meet the remaining 9 elective hours required.

**English Competency Exam** (Must take between 60 & 80 hours with a “C” or better in EH 101 & 102)
# University Core Requirements: Area I

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## University Core Requirements

**AREA I: Written Composition (6 hours required)**

- **EH 101 or 105 English Composition I**
- **EH 102 or 104 English Composition II**

**AREA II: Humanities and Fine Arts (12 hours required)**

- **EH 141 Oral Communication**
- **Two of the following Literature courses: EH 201, 202, 203, 204, 219, 220, 231, 232**
  - Literature 1: **EH [enter course number]**
  - Literature 2: **EH [enter course number]**
- **One of the following Fine Arts courses: FH 101, 102, 201, 202; SH 101, 102, 201, 202; ART 202; OR 242; or MU 233**
- **Fine Art: [enter department & course number]**

**AREA III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics (11 hours required)**

- **If applicable, MS 100**
  - [enter course number]; select from MS 108 or higher
- **One of the following sequences: (BY 101/103 & BY 102/104), (CY 105/107 & CY 106/108), (GL 241/243 & GL 242/244), (GY 250/252 & GY 251/253), or (PHS 261/263 & PHS 262/264)**
- **Natural Science 1st course/lab:** [enter department & course number]
- **Natural Science 2nd course/lab:** [enter department & course number]

**AREA IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences (12 hours required)**

- **One History sequence: (HY 101/102 Western Civilization) or (HY 201/202 American History)**
- **History 1:** [enter course number]
- **History 2:** [enter course number]
- **Two of the following Social Science courses: AN 224, EC 221, EC 222, GY 120, GY 220, PSC 100, SY 221**
- **Social Science:** [enter department & course number]
- **Social Science:** [enter department & course number]

**Area V: Pre-Professional, Major, and Elective Courses (19 hours required)**

- **PSY 201 or 202 Principles of Psychology (Grade of “C” or better required)**
- **PSY 205 Orientation to Psychology**
- **CS 201 Introduction to Information Technology, or higher**
- **MS 204 Basic Statistics or MS 302 Applied Probability and Statistics**
- **STU 101 First-Year Experience Course (6) (Required for students with <24 earned hours)**

Minor courses may be used to meet the remaining 9 elective hours required.

**English Competency Exam (Must take between 60 & 80 hours with a “C” or better in EH 101 & 102)**
University Core Requirements: Area II

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University Core Requirements

Area I: Written Composition (6 hours required)
- EH 101 or 103 English Composition I
- EH 102 or 104 English Composition II

Area II: Humanities and Fine Arts (12 hours required)
- EH 141 Oral Communication
- Two of the following Literature courses: EH 201, 202, 203, 204, 219, 220, 231, 232
  - Literature 1: EH _______ (enter course number)
  - Literature 2: EH _______ (enter course number)
- One of the following Fine Arts courses: FH 101, 102, 201, 202, SH 101, 102, 201, 202, ART 202, DR 242, or MU 255
- Fine Art: _______ (enter department & course number)

Area III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics (11 hours required)
- If applicable, MS 100 _______ (enter course number)
- MS _______ (enter course number); select from MS 108 or higher
- One of the following sequences: [BY 101/103 & BY 102/104], [CY 105/107 & CY 106/109], [EN 141/143 & EN 142/144], [GY 250/252 & GY 251/253], or [PMS 201/203 & PMS 202/204]
- Natural Science 1st course/lab: _______ (enter department & course number)
- Natural Science 2nd course/lab: _______ (enter department & course number)

Area IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences (12 hours required)
- One History sequence: (FY 101/102 Western Civilization) or (FY 201/202 American History)
- History 1: HY _______ (enter course number)
- History 2: HY _______ (enter course number)
- Two of the following Social Science courses: AN 224, EC 221, EC 222, GY 120, GY 220, PS 100, SY 221
- Social Science: _______ (enter department & course number)
- Social Science: _______ (enter department & course number)

Area V: Pre-Professional, Major, and Elective Courses (19 hours required)
- PSY 201 or 202 Principles of Psychology (Grade of “C” or better required)
- PSY 205 Orientation to Psychology
- CS 201 Introduction to Information Technology, or Higher
- MS 204 Basic Statistics or MS 302 Applied Probability and Statistics
- STU 101 First Year Experience Course (0) (Required for students with <24 earned hours)
- Minor courses may be used to meet the remaining 9 elective hours required

English Competency Exam (Must take between 60 & 80 hours with a “C” or better in EH 101 & 102)
### University Core Requirements

#### Area III: Written Composition (6 hours required)
- EH 101 or 103 English Composition I
- EH 102 or 104 English Composition II

#### Area II: Humanities and Fine Arts (12 hours required)
- EH 141 Oral Communication
- Two of the following Literature courses: EH 201, 202, 203, 204, 219, 220, 231, 232
- Literature 1: EH [enter course number]
- Literature 2: EH [enter course number]
- One of the following Fine Arts courses: FH 101, 102, 201, 202; SH 101, 102, 201, 202; ART 201; DR 242; or MU 233
- Fine Art: [enter department & course number]

#### Area III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics (11 hours required)
- If applicable, MS 100
- MS [enter course number]; select from MS 108 or higher
  - One of the following sequences: [BY 101/103 & BY 102/104], [CY 105/107 & CY 106/108], [GL 242/243 & GL 244/245], [GY 150/152 & GY 251/253], or [PHS 201/203 & PHS 202/204]
- Natural Science 1st course/lab: [enter department & course number]
- Natural Science 2nd course/lab: [enter department & course number]

#### Area IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences (12 hours required)
- One History sequence: (HY 101/102 Western Civilization) or (HY 201/202 American History)
- History 1: HY [enter course number]
- History 2: HY [enter course number]
- Two of the following Social Science courses: AN 224, EC 221, EC 222, GY 120, GY 220, PSC 100, SY 221
- Social Science: [enter department & course number]
- Social Science: [enter department & course number]

#### Area V: Pre-Professional, Major, and Elective Courses (19 hours required)
- PSY 201 or 202 Principles of Psychology (Grade of “C” or better required)
- PSY 205 Orientation to Psychology
- CS 201 Introduction to Information Technology, or higher
- MS 204 Basic Statistics or MS 302 Applied Probability and Statistics
- STU 101 First-Year Experience Course (0) (Required for students with <24 earned hours)
- Minor courses may be used to meet the remaining 9 elective hours required
# University Core Requirements: Area IV

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## University Core Requirements

### AREA I: Written Composition (6 hours required)
- EH 101 or 103 English Composition I
- EH 102 or 104 English Composition II

### AREA II: Humanities and Fine Arts (12 hours required)
- EH 141 Oral Communication
- Two of the following Literature courses: EH 201, 202, 203, 204, 219, 220, 281, 292
- Literature 1: EH __________ (enter course number)
- Literature 2: EH __________ (enter course number)
- One of the following Fine Arts courses: FH 101, 102, 201, 202, SH 101, 102, 201, 202, ART 202; DR 242; or MU 233
- Fine Art: __________ (enter department & course number)

### AREA III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics (11 hours required)
- If applicable, MS 100
- MS __________ (enter course number), select from MS 103 or higher
- One of the following sequences: BY 101/103 & BY 102/104, CY 105/107 & CY 106/108, (BY 214/216 & BY 218/220), (BY 250/252 & BY 251/253), or (PHS 201/203 & PHS 202/204)
- Natural Science 1st course/lab: __________ (enter department & course number)
- Natural Science 2nd course/lab: __________ (enter department & course number)

### AREA IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences (12 hours required)
- One History sequence: (HY 101/103 Western Civilization) or (HY 201/202 American History)
- History 1: HY __________ (enter course number)
- History 2: HY __________ (enter course number)
- Two of the following Social Science courses: An 224, EC 221, EC 222, BY 120, BY 220, BSC 100, SY 231
- Social Science: __________ (enter department & course number)
- Social Science: __________ (enter department & course number)

### Area V: Pre-Professional, Major, and Elective Courses (19 hours required)
- PSY 201 or 202 Principles of Psychology (Grade of “C” or better required)
- PSY 205 Orientation to Psychology
- CS 201 Introduction to Information Technology, or higher
- MS 209 Basic Statistics or MS 202 Applied Probability and Statistics
- STU 101 First-Year Experience Course (0) (Required for students with <24 earned hours)
- Minor courses may be used to meet the remaining 9 elective hours required

### English Competency Exam (Must take between 60 & 80 hours with a “C” or better in EH 101 & 102)
# University Core Requirements: Area V

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### University Core Requirements

**AREA I: Written Composition (6 hours required)**
- EH 101 or 103 English Composition I
- EH 102 or 104 English Composition II

**AREA II: Humanities and Fine Arts (12 hours required)**
- EH 141 Oral Communication
- Two of the following Literature courses: EH 201, 202, 203, 204, 219, 220, 231, 232
- Literature 1: EH (enter course number)
- Literature 2: EH (enter course number)
- One of the following Fine Arts courses: FH 101, 102, 201, 202; SH 101, 102, 201, 202; ART 202; DR 242; or MU 233
- Fine Ar: (enter department & course number)

**AREA III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics (11 hours required)**
- If applicable, MS 100
- MS (enter course number), select from MS 108 or higher
- One of the following sequences: [BY 101/103 & BY 102/104], [CY 105/107 & CY 106/108], [GL 241/243 & GL 242/244], [GY 250/252 & GY 251/253], or [PHS 201/203 & PHS 202/204]
- Natural Science 1st course/lab: (enter department & course number)
- Natural Science 2nd course/lab: (enter department & course number)

**AREA IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences (12 hours required)**
- History sequence: (HY 101/102 Western Civilization) or (HY 201/202 American History)
- History 1: HY (enter course number)
- History 2: HY (enter course number)
- Two of the following Social Science courses: AN 224, EC 221, EC 222, GY 120, GY 220, PSC 100, SV 121
- Social Science: (enter department & course number)
- Social Science: (enter department & course number)

**Area V: Pre-Professional, Major, and Elective Courses (19 hours required)**
- PSY 201 or 202 Principles of Psychology (Grade of "C" or better required)
- PSY 205 Orientation to Psychology
- CS 201 Introduction to Information Technology, or higher
- MS 204 Basic Statistics or MS 302 Applied Probability and Statistics
- STU 101 First-Year Experience Course (0) (Required for students with <24 earned hours)
- Minor courses may be used to meet the remaining 9 elective hours required
### University Core Requirements

**Area I: Written Composition (6 hours required)**
- EH 101 or 103 English Composition I
- EH 102 or 104 English Composition II

**Area II: Humanities and Fine Arts (12 hours required)**
- EH 141 Oral Communication
- Two of the following Literature courses: EH 201, 202, 203, 204, 219, 220, 231, 232
- Literature 1: EH [enter course number]
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- Fine Art: [enter department & course number]

**Area III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics (11 hours required)**
- If applicable, MS 100
- MS [enter course number]; select from MS 108 or higher
- One of the following sequences: (BY 101/108 & BY 102/104), (CY 105/107 & CY 106/108), (QL 241/243 & QL 242/244), (GY 250/252 & GY 251/253), or (PHS 202/203 & PHS 202/204)
- Natural Science 1st course/lab: [enter department & course number]
- Natural Science 2nd course/lab: [enter department & course number]

**Area IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences (12 hours required)**
- One History sequence: (HY 101/102 Western Civilization) or (HY 201/202 American History)
- History 1: HY [enter course number]
- History 2: HY [enter course number]
- Two of the following Social Science courses: AN 224, EC 221, EC 222, GY 120, GY 220, PSC 100, SY 221
- Social Science: [enter department & course number]
- Social Science: [enter department & course number]

**Area V: Pre-Professional, Major, and Elective Courses (19 hours required)**
- PSY 201 or 202 Principles of Psychology (Grade of "C" or better required)
- PSY 205 Orientation to Psychology
- CS 201 Introduction to Information Technology, or higher
- MS 204 Basic Statistics or MS 302 Applied Probability and Statistics
- STU 101 First-Year Experience Course (0) (Required for students with <24 earned hours)

Minor courses may be used to meet the remaining 9 elective hours required.

**English Competency Exam** (Must take between 60 & 80 hours with a "C" or better in EH 101 & 102)
University Core Requirements: Benchmarks

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**Benchmarks for Success - required by 80 hours**

1. Minimum of 2.0 GPA
2. EH 101
3. EH 102
4. Math 108 or higher
5. Math 204
6. English Competency Exam (ECE)

**Area III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics (11 hours required)**
- If applicable, MS 100
- MS _______ (enter course number); select from MS 108 or higher
- One of the following sequences: (BY 101/103 & BY 102/104), (CY 105/107 & CY 106/108), (GL 241/243 & GL 242/244), (GY 250/252 & GY 251/253), or (PHS 201/203 & PHS 202/204)
- Natural Science 1st course/lab: _______ (enter department & course number)
- Natural Science 2nd course/lab: _______ (enter department & course number)

**Area IV: History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences (12 hours required)**

- History 1: HY _______ (enter course number)
- History 2: HY _______ (enter course number)
- Two of the following Social Science courses: AN 224, EC 221, EC 222, GY 120, GY 220, PSC 100, SY 221
- Social Science: _______ (enter department & course number)
- Social Science: _______ (enter department & course number)

**Area V: Pre-Professional, Major, and Elective Courses (19 hours required)**
- PSY 201 or 202 Principles of Psychology (Grade of "C" or better required)
- PSY 205 Orientation to Psychology
- CS 201 Introduction to Information Technology, or higher
- MS 204 Basic Statistics or MS 302 Applied Probability and Statistics
- STU 101 First-Year Experience Course (0) (Required for students with <24 earned hours)

Minor courses may be used to meet the remaining 8 elective hours required.

**English Competency Exam** (Must take between 60 & 80 hours with a "C" or better in EH 101 & 102)
Psychology Major Requirements

**Psychology Major Requirements (36 hours required)**

**CORE CLASSES (12 hours required)**
- PSY 220 and PSY 221 Principles of Behavior Analysis and Lab (4)
- PSY 301 Research Methods and Statistics (4)
- PSY 450 History and Systems of Psychology (4)

**Psychology Core: 12 hours**
- **PSY 220 and 221**: Principles of Behavior Analysis and Lab (4)
- **PSY 301**: Research Methods and Statistics (4)
- **PSY 450**: History and Systems of Psychology (4)

**Additional Courses**
- PSY 364 Behavior-Change Procedures in Applied Behavior Analysis (pre req: PSY 354)
- PSY 366 Cognitive Psychology (pre req: PSY 361) – Not open to students with credit for PSY 415
- PSY 383 Biological Psychology (pre req: PSY 301) – Not open to students with credit for PSY 400
- PSY 384 Introduction to Sensation and Perception (pre req: PSY 301) – Not open to students with credit for PSY 423
- PSY 399 Study Tour (Permission of instructor)
- PSY 401 Professional Development (pre req: PSY 201 or PSY 202) – Not open to students with credit for PSY 305
- PSY 403 Psychological Testing (pre req: PSY 301)
- PSY 404 Data-Based Decision Making in Applied Behavior Analysis (pre req: PSY 354)
- PSY 411 Topics in Social Psychology (pre req: PSY 301)
- PSY 425 Health Psychology (pre req: PSY 301)
- PSY 433 Cultural Psychology (pre req: PSY 301)
- PSY 436 Drugs, Society, and Human Behavior (pre req: PSY 201 or PSY 202)
- PSY 444 Conditioning and Learning (pre req: PSY 220, PSY 221)
- PSY 446 Intro to Political Psychology (pre req: PSY 201 or PSY 202) – Cross-listed with PSC 455, credit for one course only
- PSY 447-448 Psychology Seminar (pre req: Permission of instructor)

**Elective Courses**

- Only two (6 hours) of the elective courses below can count toward a psychology major:
  - PSY 460-461 Instructional Practicum (pre req: Permission of instructor)
  - PSY 480-481 Community Practicum (pre req: Permission of instructor) Grade of Pass/Fail
  - PSY 485-486 Applied Behavior Analysis Practicum (pre req: PSY 220, PSY 221, permission of instructor)
  - PSY 490-491 Individual Research (pre req: PSY 301, permission of instructor)
  - PSY 498-499 Honors Thesis (pre req: PSY 301, permission of thesis supervisor, senior standing)
Psychology Major Requirements: Electives

**Psychology Major Requirements (36 hours required)**

**CORE CLASSES (12 hours required)**

- PSY 220 and PSY 221 Principles of Behavior Analysis/Lab (pre-req: PSY 201 or PSY 202; PSY 220 pre-/co-req for PSY 221)
- PSY 301 Research Methods and Statistics (pre-req: PSY 201 or PSY 202; pre-/co-req: MS 204 or MS 302, PSY 220, PSY 221)
- PSY 450 History and Systems of Psychology (pre-req: PSY 301, senior standing)

**ELECTIVES: Minimum of eight courses (24 hours required)**

- PSY 323 Adult Development and Aging (pre-req: PSY 201 or PSY 202)
- PSY 327 Child and Adolescent Development (pre-req: PSY 301)
- PSY 330 Abnormal Psychology (pre-req: PSY 201 or PSY 202)
- PSY 331 Abnormal Child Psychology (pre-req: PSY 201 or PSY 202) - Not open to students with credit for PSY 412
- PSY 336 Personality and Individual Differences (pre-req: PSY 301) – Not open to students with credit for PSY 335
- PSY 337 Psychology of Gender
- PSY 350 Social Psychology (pre-req: PSY 301)
- PSY 352 Human Sexuality
- PSY 354 Introduction to Applied Behavior Analysis (pre-req: PSY 220, 221) – Not open to students with credit for PSY 362
- PSY 355 Positive Psychology (pre-req: PSY 201 or PSY 202)
- PSY 364 Behavior-Change Procedures in Applied Behavior Analysis (pre-req: PSY 354)
- PSY 366 Cognitive Psychology (pre-req: PSY 301) – Not open to students with credit for PSY 415
- PSY 383 Biological Psychology (pre-req: PSY 301) – Not open to students with credit for PSY 400
- PSY 384 Introduction to Sensation and Perception (pre-req: PSY 301) – Not open to students with credit for PSY 423
- PSY 399 Study Tour (Permission of instructor)
- PSY 401 Professional Development (pre-req: PSY 201 or PSY 202) – Not open to students with credit for PSY 305
- PSY 403 Psychological Testing (pre-req: PSY 301)
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- PSY 447-448 Psychology Seminar (pre-req: Permission of instructor)
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**Only two (6 hours) of the elective courses below can count toward a psychology major:**

- PSY 460-461 Instructional Practicum (pre-req: Permission of instructor)
- PSY 480-481 Community Practicum (pre-req: Permission of instructor) Grade of Pass/Pass
- PSY 485-486 Applied Behavior Analysis Practicum (pre-req: PSY 220, PSY 221, permission of instructor)
- PSY 490-491 Individual Research (pre-req: PSY 301, permission of instructor)
- PSY 498-499 Honors Thesis (pre-req: PSY 301, permission of thesis supervisor, senior standing)
Minor Requirements

• A minor is a secondary field of study
  – Career boost: select a specialization attractive to employers (e.g., Math, business)
  – Exploration: select an area of personal interest (e.g., art, history)
• Specific requirements vary, but generally 18-24 credit hours
• Browse all minor options and requirements in the JSU Catalogue
  – Examples
    • Accounting
    • Biology
    • Child Development
    • Computer Science
    • Criminal Justice
Minor Requirements

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Minor Coursework Requirements

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Undergraduate Study in Psychology

- Advisement and Practicum Information
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Frequently Asked Questions

Answers to Frequently Asked Questions are available at:
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Why Psychology?

• Benefits of a degree in Psychology:
  
  – **Learn** more about yourself and others’ behavior
  
  – **Earn** an attractive liberal arts degree appropriate for pursuing innumerable careers, especially in the human service fields.
  
  – **Prepare** for graduate study in psychology, counseling, and many other fields.
Why Psychology?

- Psychology students can get involved outside the classroom:
  - **Psychology club**- open to all interested students, guest speakers, conference attendance
  - **Psi Chi**- The International Honor Society in Psychology
  - **Hands-On Learning**- students can get experience in various practicums, including applied behavior analysis (ABA) with individuals with autism and developmental disabilities, accelerated reading program utilizing direct instruction & precision teaching, animal training, and counseling.
  - **Faculty and Student research (honors thesis)**- current faculty interests include accelerated school performance, animal learning, autism and developmental disabilities, behavioral economics, cognition and aging, emotion and student study behavior
  - **Assistant teaching**- exemplary class performance may result in an invitation to assist a professor in a future semester.
Careers in Psychology

PSY 205: Orientation to Psychology
Careers commonly pursued by our students

- Counselor (B.S. or M.S.)
- Behavior analyst (B.S. or M.S.)
- Clinical Psychologist (Ph.D or Psy.D)
- Various therapists (M.S.):
  - Occupational therapist
  - Play therapist
  - Speech-language pathology
- Researching careers in psychology
  - [www.jsu.edu/psychology/psychdegreeinfo.html](http://www.jsu.edu/psychology/psychdegreeinfo.html)
  - [www.apa.org](http://www.apa.org) (American Psychological Association)
  - Search for associations in your area of interest (e.g., Association for Behavior Analysis International, Association for Applied Psychology)
  - Occupational Outlook Handbook (http://www.bls.gov/ooh/)