

Department of Psychology

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Minor in Psychology (PSYC) 24 units

Effective USC Fall 2021

Lower Division Requirement: 4 units PSYC 100Lg Introduction to Psychology			Psychology Elective Requirement: 8 units One Upper Division Psychology Elective (300-499 range) (A maximum of 4 units of PSYC490 can count towards the minor) 1 One Additional Lower or Upper Division Psychology Elective (but not PSYC 290)					
Psychology Area listed below.	a Requirement: 12 u	nits One course				is required in each of th		opic areas
Cognitive	Developmental	Clinical	Biological	Social	Research			
PSYC 301L Cognitive Processes	PSYC 336L Developmental Psychology	— PSYC 360 Abnormal Psychology	PSYC 304L Sensation and Perception	PSYC 355 Social Psychology	PSYC 314L Experimental Research Methods			
PSYC 305 Learning and Memory	PSYC 337L Adult Development and Aging	— PSYC 361 Introduction to Clinical Psychology	PSYC 320 Principles of Psychobiology					
PSYC 440 Introduction to Cognitive Neuroscience	PSYC 339Lg Origins of the Mind		PSYC 326 Behavioral Neuroscience					
			PSYC 372 Human Sexuality					
			PSYC 404L Psychophysiology Emotion					
			PSYC 420 Animal Behavior					
			PSYC 426 Motivated Behaviors and Addiction					

Please Note:

- 1. All courses used to count towards the minor must be taken for a letter grade.
- 2. A minimum of 16 units must be unique to the minor in that they do not count for another major or minor.
- 3. All upper division courses (300-499 range) for the minor must be taken at USC.
- 4. Acceptable substitutions for PSYC 100Lg include, but are not limited to: AP Psychology score of 4 or 5 and Higher Level IB Psychology score of 5, 6, or 7. However, these substitutions will not earn General Education (GE) credit for students who started college in Fall 2015 or later. Please see Psychology Academic Advisors for PSYC 100g prerequisite waivers.
- 5. On the Transfer Credit Report in OASIS, "TR-PSYC" for introduction to psychology courses taken at other institutions also will satisfy the Introduction to Psychology prerequisite for our upper level PSYC courses but will not earn General Education (GE) credit for students who started college in Fall 2015 or later. No prerequisite waiver is necessary.
- 6. Some Psychology courses may have additional prerequisites or restrictions. Please check the USC Schedule of Classes and the USC Catalogue.
- 7. Students may satisfy up to two upper division (300-499 range) minor requirements through approved Dornsife Overseas Studies programs