

Academic Fact Sheet

Wayne State College

PSYCHOLOGY SUBJECT ENDORSEMENT (36 Hours)

The Psychology endorsement is administered by the
Sociology, Psychology and Criminal Justice Department.

Facts about the Program

Degrees Offered:

B.A.
B.S.

Faculty:

Gloria Lawrence, Ph.D.
Daniel Miller, Ph.D.
Karen Walker, Ph.D.

Career Opportunities

Secondary teaching in public and private schools.

NOTE: Students selecting a subject endorsement in Psychology will also need to select a second endorsement in another subject.

Scholarships and Financial Aid

Wayne State College is committed to providing a quality, affordable education for its students. There are several types of financial assistance available for Wayne State students, including grants, loans, work-study and scholarships. The aid packages are composed of money from Pell grants, SEOG grants, SSIG grants, Perkins loans, Stafford student loans, PLUS loans and a variety of scholarships. Contact the Financial Aid Office at (402) 375-7230 for further information.

Students are encouraged to apply for scholarships associated with their majors/minors. The awards are based on past achievements, predicted successes, special abilities, and/or financial need.

Program Description

Psychology is a program designed to provide a broad foundation of knowledge to meet the professional needs of students entering careers in the helping professions and other areas. The courses in psychology aid in individual adjustment, problem solving, social competencies, self-improvement, and personality development.

Special Offerings

There are five Departmental Student Organizations:

- Psi Chi, Psychology Honorary
- Psychology/Sociology Club
- Alpha Phi Sigma, CJ Honorary
- Criminal Justice Association
- Pi Gamma Mu, Social Sciences Honorary

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FRESHMAN YEAR

1st Semester

| | | |
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| ENG 102 | Composition Skills | 3 |
| HIS 120 | World History | 3 |
| | Math OR Science | 3 |
| PSY 101 | General Psychology | 3 |
| | General Education | <u>3</u> |
| | | 15 |

2nd Semester

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| CNA 100 | Prin. of Human Communication | 3 |
| | Math OR Science | 3 |
| | Social Science elective | 3 |
| | General Education | <u>6</u> |
| | | 15 |

GST 110 Succeeding in College (2) may be recommended during the freshman year.

SOPHOMORE YEAR

3rd Semester

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| SOC 110 | Intro to Anthropology | 3 |
| EDU 201 | Intro to Professional Education | 3 |
| | Second Endorsement course | 3 |
| PSY 230 | Lifespan Development | 3 |
| PSY | Course | 3 |
| | Social Science elective | 3 |
| | PSY 316 Social Psychology | |
| | PSY 345 Health Psychology | |
| | | <u>15-18</u> |

4th Semester

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| EDU | Courses by advisement | 3-6 |
| | Second Endorsement | 3 |
| PSY | Course OR Elective | 3-6 |
| | PSY 444 Topics in Psychology | |
| | PSY 316 Social Psychology | |
| | General Education | <u>3</u> |
| | | 15-18 |

JUNIOR YEAR

5th Semester

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| EDU | By Advisement | 6 |
| | Second Endorsement | 3 |
| SSC 319 | Statistics for the Social Science | 3 |
| PSY | Course(s) by advisement | 3 |
| | PSY 316 Social | |
| | PSY 345 Health | |
| | PSY 401 Personality | |
| | PSY 402 Learning | |
| | PSY 403 Cognitive | |
| | PSY 405 Experimental* | |
| | PSY 440 Psychopharm | |
| | | <u>15</u> |

6th Semester

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| | General Education | 3-6 |
| EDU | Course(s) by advisement | 3-6 |
| | Second Endorsement or Elective | 3-6 |
| PSY | Course(s) by advisement | 3-6 |
| | PSY 406 Death & Dying | |
| | PSY 410 Psychology of Small Groups | |
| | PSY 415 Human Sexuality | |
| | PSY 444 Topics | |
| | PSY 450 Abnormal | |
| | PSY 460 Physiological | |
| | PSY 470 History/Systems | |
| | | <u>15-18</u> |

SENIOR YEAR

Continue coursework to fulfill remaining endorsement, second endorsement, education and graduation requirements.

NOTE: The above sequence is only a suggestion. Final decision rests with the student and the academic advisor(s) and will vary depending on the schedule, endorsement requirements, etc.

Students seeking endorsements in education need to work closely with their advisors regarding the required coursework in the subject endorsements and in professional education.

OTHER

* SSC 319 Stats for Social Science, should be completed prior to enrolling in this course. Students should plan to complete some courses during summer school if they wish to complete graduation requirements in a four-year period.

Students are encouraged to consider taking a foreign language as part of their general education program. (See appropriate section of catalog.) Please see catalog for a complete listing of program requirements.