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## **Steps to Earning an Extended Major in Psychology (#591)**

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Complete AA at OCTC<br/>Include: PSY 100, PSY 215, PSY 216, MT 150</li> <li>2) Make application to WKU</li> <li>3) Send all previous college transcripts to WKU Admissions Office</li> <li>4) Meet with a WKU advisor each semester until 90 hrs. is earned and an Application for Graduation is on file with of Office of the Registrar</li> <li>5) Follow suggested program of study below.<br/>Keep in mind: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-take a minimum of 51 semester hours in Psychology including PSY 361; 390 or 490; and PSY 495</li> <li>-no minor or second major is required</li> <li>-earn a minimum overall GPA of 2.5</li> </ul> </li> </ol> | <p style="text-align: center;">-take indicated number of hours in each of the following categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Developmental PSY – 3 hours<br/>PSY 321, PSY 422, PSY 423</li> <li>Social/Industrial-Organization/Motivation – 3 hours<br/>PSY 350, PSY 370, PSY412</li> <li>Personality/Abnormal PSY – 3 hours<br/>PSY 440, PSY 450</li> <li>Biopsychology – 3 hours<br/>PSY 411, PSY 480</li> <li>Learning/Cognition – 3 hours<br/>PSY 405, PSY 410</li> <li>Applied Psychology - 3 hours<br/>PSY 371, 455, 442, 443, 470, 473</li> <li>Psychology Electives – 15 hours</li> </ul> |
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### **Suggested Program of Study**

#### **Freshman Year (OCTC)**

|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| (first semester)   |       |
| ENG 101            | 3     |
| Humanities         | 3     |
| PSY 100 or PY110   | 3-4   |
| Oral Communication | 3     |
| Science            | 3     |
|                    |       |
| TOTAL Hours        | 15-16 |

|                    |    |
|--------------------|----|
| (second semester)  |    |
| ENG 102            | 3  |
| Social Interaction | 3  |
| CIS 100            | 3  |
| MT 150             | 3  |
| Heritage           | 3  |
|                    |    |
| TOTAL Hours        | 15 |

#### **Sophomore Year (OCTC)**

|                       |       |
|-----------------------|-------|
| (first semester)      |       |
| *PSY 215              | 4     |
| Social Interaction    | 3     |
| Heritage/Hum/For Lang | 3-4   |
| Science with lab      | 4     |
| Cultural Studies      | 3     |
|                       |       |
| TOTAL Hours           | 17-18 |

|                            |       |
|----------------------------|-------|
| (second semester)          |       |
| *PSY 216                   | 4     |
| Her/Hum/Soc Inter/For Lang | 3-4   |
| Science/Math               | 3     |
| General Electives          | 6     |
|                            |       |
| TOTAL Hours                | 16-17 |

#### **Junior Year (WKU)**

|                             |    |
|-----------------------------|----|
| (first semester)            |    |
| Electives (upper level)     | 6  |
| PSY 321, 422, or 423        | 3  |
| PSY Electives (upper level) | 6  |
| PSY 411 or 480              | 3  |
|                             |    |
| TOTAL Hours                 | 18 |

|                            |    |
|----------------------------|----|
| (second semester)          |    |
| PSY 350, 370, or 412       | 3  |
| PSY 390 or 490             | 3  |
| PSY 361                    | 3  |
| PSY Elective (upper level) | 3  |
| Elective                   | 3  |
|                            |    |
| TOTAL Hours                | 15 |

#### **Senior Year (WKU)**

|                             |    |
|-----------------------------|----|
| (first semester)            |    |
| PSY 405 or 410              | 3  |
| PSY 440 or 450              | 3  |
| PSY Electives (upper level) | 6  |
| Electives (upper level)     | 4  |
|                             |    |
| TOTAL Hours                 | 16 |

|                                |    |
|--------------------------------|----|
| (second semester)              |    |
| PSY 495                        | 3  |
| PSY 371,455,442,443,470 or 473 | 3  |
| Electives                      | 9  |
|                                |    |
| TOTAL Hours                    | 15 |

\* PSY 215 offered in fall of odd years; PSY 216 offered in spring of even years.

\*\* If completing an AS, general education degree requirements are different than listed above. Please check back of sheet for general education requirements.

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## OCTC – WKU General Education Requirements for Extended Psychology

### NOTE:

Earning an Associate of Arts (**AA**) or an Associate of Science (**AS**) degree from OCTC requires a minimum of **60** hours including **48** hours of specified general education requirements below and **12** hours of elective coursework with an overall grade-point average of **2.0**. Completing either degree fulfills WKU's General Education requirements. (WKU-O offers courses that fulfill these requirements that could be used as well. These courses are listed below in **bold**.)

These are suggestions. Please consult an OCTC/WKU Advisor for other possibilities and/or changes that may occur with program offerings and/or requirements for either institution.

#### A. Writing/Accessing Information (AA/AS – 6 hours)

ENG 101 (3)  
ENG 102 (3)

#### B. Oral Communications (AA/AS – 3 hours)

COM 181 (3)  
COM 252 (3)

#### C. Foreign Language (Optional 3 - 6 hours with AA)

FR 101\* (4)            SPA 101 (4)  
RAE 150\* (4)        SPA 102 (4)  
SED 101 (3)         SPI 101 (4)  
SED 102 (3)         SPI 102 (4)

\* Due to WKU Foreign Language Requirement, will only work if earn AA/AS.

#### D. Cultural Studies (AA/AS – 3 hours)

\* At least 3 hours in the Core Block must be from the approved Cultural Studies list and can be used to substitute 3 hours from Humanities, Heritage, or Social Interaction requirements. Courses that apply are marked cs.

\*\* WKU'S classification is "World Cultures/American Cultural Diversity". WKU-O offers **AFAM 358, AFAM 359, AFAM 360, HIST 353, HIST 358, HIST 359, HIST 360, HIST 461, RELS 302, RELS 320, SOCL 362** to fulfill this requirement.

#### E. Humanities (AA/AS – 3 hour minimum)

\*Students can choose to take up to 6 hours more (including Foreign Language) instead of using those hours to take Heritage or Social Interaction courses. (All classes below are 3 hours). WKU-O offerings are in **Bold**.

|         |            |           |                 |
|---------|------------|-----------|-----------------|
| AH 105  |            | PHI 120   | <b>HIST 305</b> |
| AH 106  | ENG 264 cs | PHI 130   | <b>HIST 306</b> |
| ART 100 | ENG 270    | PHL 110   | <b>HIST 417</b> |
| PHL 110 | ENG 271    | PHL 120   | <b>PHIL 320</b> |
| ENG161  | ENG 281    | PHL 130   | <b>PHIL 321</b> |
| ENG 251 | MUS 100    | RS 130 cs | <b>PHIL 323</b> |
| ENG 252 | MUS 200    | TA 101    | <b>RELS305</b>  |
| ENG 261 | MUS 222    | TA 200    | <b>RELS323</b>  |
| ENG 262 | PHI 100    | TA 283    | <b>THEA355</b>  |

#### F. Heritage (AA/AS – 3 hour minimum)

\* Students can choose to take up to 6 hours more instead of using those hours to take Humanities or Social Interaction Courses.

|         |         |         |
|---------|---------|---------|
| HIS 104 | HIS 108 | HIS 120 |
| HIS 105 | HIS 109 | HIS 240 |

#### G. Social Interaction (AA/AS – 9 hours)

\* At least 2 fields must be represented.

\*\* Students can take an additional 3 hours if not used to take a Humanities, Heritage or a Foreign Language course. (All classes below are 3 hours except where noted). WKU-O offerings are in **bold**.

|            |             |           |                 |
|------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------|
| ANT 220 cs | GEO 152 cs  | PY 230    | CFS 311         |
| COM 254 cs | PS 101      | RS 130 cs | <b>GEOG 360</b> |
| COM 249    | PSY 100 (4) | SOC 101   | <b>GEOG 471</b> |
| ECO 201    | PSY 223     | SOC 152   | <b>GEOG 480</b> |
| ECO 202    | PY 110      | SOC 235   | <b>PSY 350</b>  |
| FAM 252    | PY 185      | SWK 275   | <b>RELS 325</b> |
| GEN 101    |             |           |                 |

#### H. Science (AA - 9 hours AS – 15 hours)

\* One course must include a laboratory.

\*\* For AA 3 hrs of these can be another math class. AS must include a total of at least 4 credit hours in MA, MT, STA, or ST courses from the approved general education list. See Math section below.

DL – Designated Lab Course

|                 |                    |                 |
|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| AST 191 (3) DL* | BIO 152 (3)        | CHE 230 (3)     |
| BIO 112 (3)     | BIO 153 (2) DL     | CHE 231 (2) DL  |
| BIO 113 (1)     | BIO 224 (4) DL     | GEO 251 (3) DL* |
| BIO 118 (3)     | BIO 225 (4) DL     | PH 171 (4) DL   |
| BIO 120 (3)     | <b>BIO 302 (3)</b> | PHY 151 (3) DL  |
| BIO 121 (1) DL  | CHE 104 (3)        | PHY 152 (3)     |
| BIO 122 (3)     | CHM 104(1) DL      | PHY 201 (4) DL  |
| BIO 135 (4) DL  | CHE 105 (3)        | PHY 203 (4)     |
| BIO 137 (4) DL  | CHM 105(1) DL      | PHY 211 (5) DL  |
| BIO 141 (4) DL  | CHE 107(3)         | PHY 213 (5) DL  |
| BIO 143 (4) DL  | CHM 107(1)         |                 |
| BIO 150 (3)     | CHE 223(3)         |                 |
| BIO 151 (2) DL  | CHE 233(2) DL      |                 |

\* Doesn't count as a lab course for OCTC

#### I. Math (AA/AS – 3 hours)

\* See note in Science section above.

MA 109 (3)    MT 150 (3)

#### J. Computer Literacy (AA/AS – 3 hours)

\*Students must pass an approved 3 credit hour computer literacy course unless the computer competency exam is successfully completed.

CIS 100 (3)