

Degree Map: Stephen F. Austin State University
Bachelor of Science in Psychology

4 – Year Suggested Academic Plan

First Year - Freshman

| Fall Semester | | Spring Semester | | | | | |
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| Transfer School Course Number | SFA Course Number | Course Name | Hrs | Transfer School Course Number | SFA Course Number | Course Name | Hrs |
| ENGL 1301 | ENG 131 | Rhetoric & Composition | 3 | ENGL 1302 | ENG 132 | Research & Argument | 3 |
| HIST 1301 | HIS 133 | US History- 1000-1877 | 3 | HIST 1302 | HIS 134 | US History- 1877- Present | 3 |
| MATH 1414, MATH 1324, MATH 1442 or MATH 2413 | MTH | Math 110 or Higher (Note 3) | 3 | BIOL 1408, BIOL 1409, BIOL 2401, CHEM 1405, CHEM 1411, CHEM 1412, PHYS 1401, PHYS 1402, PHYS 2425 or PHYS 2426 | Science/Core | Science (Note 1) | 4 |
| BIOL 1408, BIOL 1409, BIOL 2401, CHEM 1405, CHEM 1411, CHEM 1412, PHYS 1401, PHYS 1402, PHYS 2425 or PHYS 2426 | Science/Core | Science (Note 1) | 4 | ARTS 1301, ARTS 1303, DANC 2303, MUSI 1306, DRAM 1310, or DRAM 2366 | Creative Arts | Creative Arts (Note 2) | 3 |
| PSYC 2301 | PSY 133 | Intro to Psychology | 3 | MATH 1442 or MATH 2413 | MTH | MTH 138 or higher (Note 3, Note 8) | 3 |
| Total | | | 16 | Total | | | 16 |

Second Year - Sophomore

| Fall Semester | | Spring Semester | | | | | |
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| Transfer School Course Number | SFA Course Number | Course Name | Hrs | Transfer School Course Number | SFA Course Number | Course Name | Hrs |
| PHIL 1301 or PHIL 2306 | Lang/Phil/Cult | Languages, Philosophy, Culture (Note 4) | 3 | GOVT 2306 | PSC 142 | Government | 3 |
| ANTH 2351, ECON 2301 or SOCI 1301 | Soc/Behavioral | Social/Behavioral Sciences (Note 5) | 3 | BIOL 1408, BIOL 1409, BIOL 2401, CHEM 1405, CHEM 1411, CHEM 1412, PHYS 1401, PHYS 1402, PHYS 2425 or PHYS 2426 | Science/College | Science (Note 7, Note 8)) | 4 |
| GOVT 2305 | PSC 141 | Government | 3 | | Minor or Elective | Minor or Elective | 3 |
| BIOL 1408, BIOL 1409, BIOL 2401, CHEM 1405, CHEM 1411, CHEM 1412, PHYS 1401, PHYS 1402, PHYS 2425 or PHYS 2426 | Science/College | Science (Note 7, Note 8) | 4 | SPCH 1315 or SPCH 1318 | COM | COM 111, 170, 215 | 3 |
| ENGL 2311 | ENG 273 | Technical Writing (Note 8) | 3 | | PSY 200 (Major) | Scientific Literacy | 3 |
| Total | | | 16 | Total | | | 16 |

Third Year - Junior

| Fall Semester | | Spring Semester | | | | | |
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| Transfer School Course Number | SFA Course Number | Course Name | Hrs. | Transfer School Course Number | SFA Course Number | Course Name | Hrs |
| | PSY | Psych Sub-Disciplines (Note 6) | 3 | | PSY 330 +L | Psych. Stats with Lab | 4 |
| | PSY | Psych Sub-Disciplines (Note 6) | 3 | | PSY | Psych Sub-Disciplines (Note 6) | 3 |
| | PSY 3--- or 4-- | Psychology Elective, Advanced 300 to 400 level | 3 | | PSY 3--- or 4--- | Psychology Elective, Advanced 300 to 400 level | 3 |
| | Minor | Minor Course | 3 | | Minor | Advanced, 300 or 400 level | 3 |
| | Minor | Minor Course | 3 | | Minor | Advanced, 300 or 400 level | 3 |
| Total | | | 15 | Total | | | 16 |

Fourth Year - Senior

| Fall Semester | | Spring Semester | | | | | |
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| Transfer School Course Number | SFA Course Number | Course Name | Hrs. | Transfer School Course Number | SFA Course Number | Course Name | Hrs |
| | PSY 341 + L | Research Methods with Lab | 4 | | PSY 420 or 497 | History & Systems/Research Seminar | 3 |

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| | PSY 3--- or 4--- | Psychology Elective, Advanced 300 to 400 level | 3 | | Minor or Elective | Advanced, 300 or 400 level | 3 |
| | Minor | Advanced, 300 or 400 level | 3 | | Elective | Elective | 3 |
| | Minor | Advanced, 300 or 400 level | 3 | | Elective | Elective | 3 |
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| Total | | | 13 | Total | | | 12 |

Notes & Comments

Note 1: Eight hours (two courses) from Life & Physical Sciences Core

Note 2: Three hours from Creative Arts Core

Note 3: Three hours from Math Core. The **BS degree requires an additional Math course from Math Core.**

Note 4: Three hours from Lang, Phil, & Culture; **BA degrees require an additional course from the Lang, Phi, & Culture Core with a different course prefix from the Core course taken.**

Note 5: Three hours from Social & Behavioral Science Core

Note 6: Choose one course from three of these sets: PSY 310/311, PSY 350/352, PSY 360/361, PSY 375/376

Note 7: **BS degree requires six to eight additional hours from one of the following sequences:** ANT 248, ANT 251, GEO 130; BIO 131, BIO 133 , BIO 225, 238, 239; CHE 133,134, 231; ENV 110, GOL 131, 132; AST 105, PHY 110, PHY 131, 132, 241, 242

Note 8: This course is designated as a College Requirement and can be completed either at the junior/community college or at SFA

The requirements reflected are for the core, college, major, and minor. Core completion at a Texas public institution equals core completion at SFA; however, the college, major, and minor requirements must still be completed. College requirements are indicated within the first two years by Note 8.

Any courses taken at the junior/community college level that are acceptable in the major will be substituted in; additional junior/senior level classes may be required to meet the required minimum number of upper level hours. Determination of course substitutions within the major will be made on a case-by-case basis. A maximum of 66 hours of academic courses plus up to 4 hours of PHED/KINE courses from community colleges can be applied in a bachelor's degree. If core is not complete at Texas public junior/community college, core must be completed using SFA's requirements.

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