



**PSYCHOLOGY AA (ASSOCIATE IN ARTS) (01850)**

This sample course map does not represent a contract or guarantee of course availability or transfer guarantee, nor does it replace meeting with a Counselor to discuss your goals and create a custom Student Education Plan designed to fit your unique individual needs.

This plan includes GE recommendations satisfying: [Southwestern College Associate Degree \(A.S. or A.A\) Requirements](#)  
 Please see the [California State University General Education Breadth Requirements for additional GE options.](#)

This plan assumes the student is placed into transfer level Math and English  
[Southwestern College Graduation, Certificates, and Degree Requirements](#)

**ATTENTION: This degree is not designed for transfer preparation. If you plan to transfer to a University, please see the Associate in Arts in Psychology for Transfer Degree.**

1ST SEMESTER			
Course	Course Title	Units	Requirement Area
PSYC 101	General Psychology	3	M
BIO 100/101	Principles of Biology/Lab	3,1	M & E
ENGL 115	College Composition: Reading and Writing Analytically	4	GE A1
COMM 103, 104 OR 174	Oral Communication, Public Speaking, or Interpersonal Communication	3	GE A2
<b>TOTAL UNITS</b>		<b>14</b>	

2ND SEMESTER			
Course	Course Title	Units	Requirement Area
PSYC/SOC 270	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences/ Data Analysis in Psychology and Sociology	3	M
PSYC/SOC 271	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences/ Data Analysis in Psychology and Sociology Lab	1	Recommended E
PSYC 230	Developmental Psychology	3	M
COMM 160, ENGL 116, OR PHIL 103	Argumentation and Debate, Critical Thinking and Argument, or Logic and Critical Thinking	3-4	Recommended E
PSYC 201	Careers in Psychology	1	Recommended E
HIST 121, MAS/SOC 150, OR SOC 106	Comparative History of the Americas I , Mexican and Mexican-American Cultures in the U.S., or American Popular Music	3	Recommended E
ART 104, PHIL 106 OR MUS 107	Introduction to Art, World Religions, or American Popular Music	3	Recommended E
<b>TOTAL UNITS</b>		<b>17-18</b>	

3RD SEMESTER			
Course	Course Title	Units	Requirement Area
PSYC 211	Introduction to Cognitive Psychology	3	M
PSYC 260	Physiological Psychology	3	M
ASTRO 100, GEOG 100, OR GEOL 100	Principles of Astronomy, Introduction to Geography, or Principles of Geology	3	GE B

HIST 132, PSYC 116 OR SOC 110	Women in World History, Social Psychology, or Contemporary Social Problems	3	Recommended E
AJ 114, HLTH 212, OR PSYC 106	Fundamentals of Crime and Criminal Behavior, Introduction to Public Health, and Human Sexuality	3	GE D
<b>TOTAL UNITS</b>		<b>15</b>	

<b>4TH SEMESTER</b>			
<b>Course</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Units</b>	<b>Requirement Area</b>
BIOL 180	Human Heredity, Evolution	3	Recommended E
HLTH 101, PD 100, OR PSYC 109	Principles of Healthful Living, Lifelong Success, Death and Dying	3	Recommended E
HUM 140, PHIL 107, OR PHIL 120	World Mythology, Asian Philosophy, or Ethics: Theory and Practice	3	Recommended E
PS 101, 102 , OR 104	Introduction to Political Science, Introduction to American Government and Politics, or Introduction to International	3	Recommended E
ASL 101, FREN 101 OR SPAN 101	American Sign Language I, Elementary French I or Elementary Spanish I	5	Recommended E
<b>TOTAL UNITS</b>		<b>15</b>	

**Requirement Codes:**

**M: Major Requirement**

**GE: General Education Requirement**

**GE Content Areas: A1, A2, A3, B1, B2, B3, B4, C1, C2, C1 OR C2, D, E, US 1, US 2, US 3.**

**E: Elective**

This map is based off of the 19/20 Catalog year and is subject to change each year.