

PSYCHOLOGY

The Associate in Arts in Psychology for Transfer degree (AA-T in Psychology) program introduces students to psychology as a science, including major perspectives in historical and contemporary psychology, and exposes students to a variety of subfields in psychology. Courses may be taken to satisfy individual or professional needs, to satisfy General Education requirements, or to prepare students to transfer into the CSU system to pursue a baccalaureate degree in Psychology or related major. Students must complete the Associate Degree for Transfer requirements to earn the AA-T degree.

Learning Outcomes: Upon successful completion of the program, students will be able to:

- Explain their knowledge of the major concepts, theoretical perspectives, and basic research methods and empirical findings in psychology.
- Utilize critical and creative thinking, skeptical inquiry, and when possible, the scientific approach to solve problems related to behavior and mental processes.
- Understand and apply psychological principles to personal and social issues.

Associate in Arts for Transfer Degree

Associate Degree Major Requirements	Units
REQUIRED CORE:	16
MATH 16 Elementary Statistics (4)	
PSYC 1 General Psychology (3)	
PSYC 10 Introduction to Research Methods in Psychology (3)	
PSYC 25 Lifespan Development (3)	
PSYC 38 Biological Psychology (3)	
Select one course from the following:	3
ANTH 4 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (3)	
PSYC/SOCI 3 Introduction to Social Psychology (3)	
PSYC 35 Introduction to Abnormal Psychology (3)	
TOTAL MAJOR UNITS	19
Associate Degree Requirements (as described above)	19
<i>Complete CSU General Education or IGETC Pattern for a total of 60 transferable units (see pages 72-75 in the 2017-18 MPC Catalog).</i>	
TOTAL DEGREE UNITS	60