

Associate of Science – Psychology

GENERAL EDUCATION STUDIES 47 Hours

General Education: 17 hours

- COM 1143 Fundamentals of Speech
- ENG 1113 Composition and Rhetoric I
- ENG 1123 Composition and Rhetoric II

3 hours from the following:

- ENG 2233 American Literature I
- ENG 2243 American Literature II
- ENG 2273 Introduction to Literature

- GES 1122 Strategies for Student Success
- GES 1173 Computer Applications

Psychology/Social Studies: 9 hours

- GOV 2213 National and State Government

3 hours from HIS 1000 - 2000, or

with approval from History Dept. 3000-4000 level

- PSY 1153 Introduction to Psychology

Science/Mathematics: 7 hours

4 hours from the following:

- BIO 1113 Biological Science and BIO 1111 Lab
- PHY 1113 Physical Science and PHY 1111 Lab

3 hours from the following:

- MTH 1113 College Mathematics
- MTH 1123 College Algebra

Physical Education: 2 hours

- PED 2232 Wellness and Lifestyle

or

2 hours from activity courses without duplication: PED 1101-PED 2291

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General Biblical Studies: 12 Hours

- BIB 2213 Bible Study
- BIB/REL 1113 Survey of the New Testament
- BIB/REL 1123 Survey of the Old Testament
- THE 2333 Pentecostal Doctrine and History

MAJOR STUDIES 12 Hours

- COU 2283 Introduction to Counseling and Social Work Practice I
- PSY 1113 Psychology of Selfhood and The Christian Faith
- PSY 2323 Developmental Psychology
- PSY 3333 Theories of Personality

GENERAL ELECTIVES 6 Hours

TOTAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS 65 Hours

The Associates degree program of study in Psychology is designed to prepare the student with an elementary knowledge of foundational principles of psychology. This includes an understanding of human development from a biopsychosocial and spiritual perspective.

Upon completion of this program of study students should be able to:

1. Know the elementary vocabulary and principles of psychology.
2. Articulate the essential components of personality from a biblically based perspective.
3. Describe basic developmental milestones from a biopsychosocial and spiritual perspective.
4. Discuss and differentiate basic theories of personality.
5. Demonstrate elementary knowledge and skills in interviewing and counseling.

Additional Program Stipulations

1. All students are to include one Bible, theology, or religion course each semester until degree requirements have been satisfied.
2. First-year students enrolled full-time are to include GES1122 in their first semester program.
3. First-year students are to enroll in activity physical education courses each of their first two semesters at SAGU. Exceptions will be granted only with approval of the College Dean.
4. Veterans with at least 6 months of service may apply for and receive 4 hours of credit for physical education. Contact the Registrar's Office.