**University of Virginia**

**Bachelor of Arts (BA) Psychology Checklist**

For complete requirements visit: <https://psychology.as.virginia.edu/ba-psychology>

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| * Student Name: * Email: * If you have a particular Psychology professor you would like as your Advisor please list their name/s here: * Is there an area of Psychology you are most interested in (for example: Clinical, Cognitive, Community, Developmental, Social, Neuroscience, Quantitative): * What are your career goals: |

**STAY INFORMED: Sign up for notifications regarding the major**

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|  | Join the “Psych-Majors-Minors” listserv. Students are welcome to join the list before they declare. <https://lists.virginia.edu/sympa/subscribe/psych-majors-minors> |
|  | (Optional) Join the “Psych-Majors-Minors-Underrep” for notifications related to underrepresented groups (for example, historically underrepresented racial or ethnic group, first-generation college students, economically-disadvantaged background) <https://lists.virginia.edu/sympa/subscribe/psych-majors-minors-underrep> |

**PREREQUISITES**

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| **4 Required Courses (12 Credit Hours)** These courses (taken in any order) are needed to declare the major (equivalent AP, IB and transfer courses may be used).  *At least C grade must be obtained for all prerequisite courses.* | | **Enter Course Number & Title planned/taken** | **Semester planned/taken**  **(example: Fall 2022)** |
|  | **STAT 1601 Intro to Data Science with R** *[STAT 3080, PSYC 3310, STAT 1602 may count instead,* for students who are using STAT 1602 (Python), the major requirement of PSYC 3006 will expect students to be able to use R effectively] |  |  |
|  | **PSYC 2005 Research Methods & Data Analysis I** |  |  |
|  | **PSYC 2000 level -or- PSYC 1010 Intro to Psychology**  (I PSYC 2150/2160, II 2200, III 2700/PSY 230 transfer, IV 2410/2600) |  |  |
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|  | **UVA PSYC GPA of at least 2.00** (to calculate, please include all psychology courses already taken at UVA, including repated courses) |  |  |

**B.A. MAJOR REQUIREMENTS**

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| **11 Required Courses (34 Credit Hours)** *At least C grade must be obtained for all courses to fulfill the degree requirements. A maximum of 12 transfer credits can be used toward the major.* | | **Enter Course Number & Title**  *Write “TBD” if you don’t know yet which elective you will take* | **Semester Planned/Taken**  *(ex: Fall 2022)* |
|  | **Pillar I - Cognitive:** (choose one)  Cognition (PSYC 2150) Cog Neurosci (PSYC 2160) |  |  |
|  | **Pillar II – Sys & Beh Neurosci**  **PSYC 2200 Survey of Neural Basis of Behavior**  *BIOL 3050 satisfies this requirement, but does not contribute credit to the major, plan to take an additional 3ch PSYC elective for this option* |  |  |
|  | **Pillar III - Developmental:**  Intro Child Psych (PSYC 2700) *(VCC transfers may use PSY 230)* |  |  |
|  | **Pillar IV – Clinical / Social:** (choose one)  Abnormal Psych (PSYC 2410) Intro to Social (PSYC 2600) |  |  |
|  | **Research Methods and Data Analysis** | | |
|  | **PSYC 2005** (Research Methods & Data Analysis I) |  |  |
|  | **PSYC 3006** (Research Methods & Data Analysis II, *4 credit hours*) |  |  |
|  | **PSYC RM Topics** (Research Methods 3000, 4000,or 5000-level) or Hoos Connected Option (PSYC 3990/3991 total of 3 credit hours). Visit the course planning page for a list of approved RM courses: <https://psychology.as.virginia.edu/course-planning> |  |  |
|  | **Advanced topics and Electives**  *Visit the course planning page to view elective courses:* [*https://psychology.as.virginia.edu/course-planning*](https://psychology.as.virginia.edu/course-planning)*)* | | |
|  | **PSYC 2000+** |  |  |
|  | **PSYC 3000+**  *You may use up to 3 credits of PSYC 3590 Research in Psychology* |  |  |
|  | **PSYC 3000+** |  |  |
|  | **PSYC 4000+** |  |  |
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