PSYCHOLOGY BS
Fall 2014 – Spring 2015

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Once students begin attending Mason and declare a major they should see both their Honors College and their major department advisor for advising. Students must confirm their major requirements with their department advisor and with PatriotWeb’s Degree Evaluation.

REQUIRED HOURS
- Hours Required in Major: 38
- Hours Required in Honors: See honors advisor
- This major requires a total of 120 credits to graduate, 45 of which must be at the 300-level and above.

ADVISING SHEET
- Honors College Requirement
- Department Requirement
- College Requirement

HONORS REQUIREMENTS (see advising section of Honors College website for further details)
- Students earning a BA must complete two additional humanities and social science general education courses beyond Requirements 1 and 2 of the Honors College Curriculum. These courses requirements can be fulfilled by taking the Requirement 2 courses not previously taken or by taking appropriate general education courses listed in the University Catalog for your catalog year. In general, it is expected that students earning a BA will take HNRS 122, HNRS 131, and HNRS 240 to fulfill Requirement 2
- Students who do not fulfill Requirement 3 by taking HNRS 130 and/or HNRS 230 must complete the corresponding general education requirements with courses that are outlined in the University Catalog for your catalog year.

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<th>1st Year – 1st Semester (Fall)</th>
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<tr>
<td>o HNRS 110: Research Methods (Grade of C or better required)</td>
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<td>o MATH 113, HNRT 125, or HNRT 225†</td>
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<td>o HNRS 122: Reading the Arts</td>
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<td>♦ PSYC 100: Basic Concepts in Psychology ‡</td>
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| ♦ Optional Elective                                               | 3       | Semester Total 16

<p>| 1st Year – 2nd Semester (Spring)                                   |         |
| o HNRS 130: Conceptions of Self (or a course from Req. 3 and appropriate courses to fulfill general education requirement) | 3-6     |
| ♦ Elective                                                        | 3       |
| ♦ Choose 1 from: MATH 110, 111, 113, 114, or STAT 250             | 3       |</p>
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<td>PSYC 211: Developmental Psychology</td>
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<td>PSYC 231: Social Psychology</td>
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**2nd Year – 1st Semester (Fall)**

- HNRS 131: Contemporary Society in Multiple Perspectives | 3 |
- HNRS 240: Reading the Past | 3 |
- PSYC 300: Statistics in Psychology | 4 |
- ELECTIVE or see Dept. | 3 |
- BIOL 103: Introductory Biology | 4 |

**Semester Total** 15-18

**2nd Year – 2nd Semester (Spring)**

- HNRS 230: Cross-Cultural Perspectives (or a course from Req. 3 and appropriate courses to fulfill general education requirement) | 3-6 |
- HNRS 353: Technology in the Contemporary US (grade of C or better required) | 3 |
- PSYC 317: Cognitive Psychology | 3 |
- PSYC 301: Research Methods in Psychology | 3 |
- BIOL 104: Introductory Biology II | 4 |

**Semester Total** 17

**3rd Year – 1st Semester (Fall)**

- PSYC 325, PSYC 320, PSCY 333, PSCY 379, PSYC 427 | 3 |
- PSYC 372: Physiological Psychology | 3 |
- Elective Science | 4 |
- PSYC 325, PSYC 320, PSCY 333, PSCY 379, PSYC 427 | 3 |
- Elective | 3 |

**Semester Total** 16

**3rd Year – 2nd Semester (Spring)**

- PSYC 304, 309, 320, 323 OR 373 See University Catalog | 1-4 |
- PSYC 300+ LEVEL See University Catalog | 3 |
- Elective Science | 4 |
- Electives 300+ level | 5 |

**Semester Total** 13-17

**4th Year – 1st Semester (Fall)**

- Elective | 3 |
- PSYC Electives 300+ level | 3 |
- Electives 300+ level | 3 |
- ENGH 388 or PSYC Lab course selected from PSYC 304, 309 or 320 | 3 |

**Semester Total** 15

**4th Year – 2nd Semester (Spring)**

- PSYC Elective 300+ level | 3 |
- Elective 300+ level | 6 |
- Electives | 6 |

**Semester Total** 15
MATH 113, MATH 123 and 124, HNRT 125 or HNRT 225 fulfills the quantitative reasoning requirement for the Honors College. Each MATH course requires a placement test. The tests will be offered during Orientation.

Most PSYC courses require a grade of "C-" or better. Check catalog or department website.