

**Undergraduate Catalog Program Template for Transfer Single Articulation Pathways (TSAP)  
Programs (Ivy Tech to PFW Psychology B.A.)**

Program: Psychology

Degree: B.A.

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**I. Introduction**

a. [Department of Psychology](#)

b. Student Learning Outcomes

i. Upon completion of the Psychology B.A. degree students will:

1. Demonstrate knowledge of the major theoretical approaches, findings, and historical trends in psychology
2. Demonstrate the ability to understand the major research methods in psychology, including design, data analysis, and interpretation
3. Demonstrate the ability to think critically and to use the scientific approach to understand behavior
4. Demonstrate an understanding of the values that are the underpinnings of psychology as a science (e.g., value of empirical evidence, tolerance for ambiguity, ethics in research, teaching, and practice)
5. Demonstrate the ability to apply concepts, information, and skills learned in psychology courses to their lives and work
6. Demonstrate the ability to effectively locate and evaluate sources of information
7. Demonstrate the ability to express themselves effectively in the discourse of the discipline
8. Demonstrate the ability to understand people from a diverse range of backgrounds and varying demographic characteristics such as age, race, disability, sexual orientation, class, ethnicity, religion, and cognitive abilities
9. Demonstrate the ability to make decisions about future employment or graduate education

c. [TSAP information](#)

**II. Program Delivery**

a. This program is available on-campus

**III. Declaring This Major**

a. Declare this major within the [Department of Psychology](#)

**IV. General Requirements**

a. [Degree Requirements](#)

b. [General Education Requirements](#)\* (*some programs require specific courses that also meet general education requirements*)

c. [Overlapping Courses](#)

d. [College Graduation Requirements](#)

e. [Academic Regulations](#)

## V. Program Requirements

- a. Students must have a GPA of 2.00 for admission to this program
- b. General Education Requirements: The Indiana Statewide General Education Core is satisfied as part of the TSAP program. The Purdue Fort Wayne General Education Capstone Course (Category C8) is included in your major requirements.
- c. Listing of Major courses and supporting courses required at PFW
  - i. PSY 14000 - Critical Foundations for Psychology, 3 credits
  - ii. PSY 20100 - Introduction to Statistics in Psychology, 3 credits
  - iii. PSY 20300 - Introduction to Research Methods in Psychology, 3 credits
  - iv. PSY 31400 - Introduction to Learning, 3 credits
  - v. PSY 32900 - Psychobiology II: Principles of Psychobiological Psychology or PSY 41900- Psychopharmacology, 3 credits
  - vi. PSY 41600 - Cognitive Psychology, 3 credits
  - vii. Psychology Elective Courses 2000+ Level, 9 credits
  - viii. Psychology Capstone Requirement, 3 credits
  - ix. Language Sequence, 6 credits
  - x. A&S Distribution and Culture Requirements, 3-15 credits
  - xi. GCAP Category C8 – Capstone Experience, 3 credits
  - xii. Free Electives as needed to reach 120 credits total for degree

### Supplemental Requirements

- i. Completion of the FOCUS career guidance tool and a Career Services session to review the results (during PSY 14000)
  - ii. Completion of a Career Services session to review resume or curriculum vitae (during junior year)
  - iii. Completion of a Career Services session focused on cover letter review, personal statement review, or mock interview (during senior year)
  - iv. Successful completion of the Exit Exam in Psychology
- d. Cumulative GPA requirement for graduation and Major GPA requirement for graduation  
A grade of C- or higher for all courses is required in the major and a GPA of 2.00 or higher for all major department courses taken
- e. Student Responsibilities: You are responsible for satisfying the graduation requirements specified for your selected program. Thus, it is essential that you develop a thorough understanding of the required courses, academic policies, and procedures governing your academic career. All requests for exceptions to specific requirements must be made in writing and may be granted only by written approval from the appropriate chair or dean.
- f. Total credits for degree: 120 credits