



Bachelor of Science in Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

Major: Psychology

Specialization: Teaching

2018-2019 Sample 4-Year Plan

Total Degree Requirements: 120 credits

Student _____ Student ID# _____ Student Phone # _____

Advisor _____ Minimum GPA 2.00 Minor/Career Interest(s) _____

Students are not limited to this plan; it is meant to be used as a guide for planning purposes in consultation with your advisor. The sample schedule is one possible path to completing your degree within four years. For official program requirements, please refer to the [Undergraduate Catalog](#).

First Year

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
PSYC 101	General Psychology (SGR #3)		3		
ACS 119	First Year Seminar	Suggested	2		
ENGL 101	English Composition I (SGR #1)	p. Placement; Grade of C or higher required.	3		
SGR #5	Mathematics	p. Placement, MATH 102 suggested; Grade of C or higher required.	3		
SGR #6	Natural Sciences	BIOL 101-101L suggested	3-4		
Total Credit Hours			14-15		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
PSYC 201	The Field of Psychology	p. PSYC 101	1		
PSYC 210	Introduction to Biopsychology	p. PSYC 101	3		
AIS 211	South Dakota American Indian Culture and Education		3		
SGR #2	Oral Communication	Grade of C or higher required.	3		
SGR #4	Arts and Humanities/Diversity	SGR #4 satisfied by coursework from 2 different disciplines or a foreign language sequence.	3-4		
SGR #6	Natural Sciences		3-4		
Total Credit Hours			16-18		

Second Year

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EDFN 101	Exploration of Teaching & Learning		1		
PSYC 305	Learning and Conditioning	p. PSYC 101; Domain I: complete two courses in each domain	3	F	
PSYC 375-375L	Research Methods in Psychology and Lab	p. PSYC 101, MATH 102, ENGL 101	4	F	
SGR #1	Written Communication	p. ENGL 101	3		
SGR #3	Social Sciences/Diversity	SGR #3 satisfied by coursework from 2 different disciplines	3		
Total Credit Hours			14		

Spring

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PSYC 331, PSYC 357, PSYC 358, PSYC 389, PSYC 427, PSYC 440, or PSYC 477	Industrial/Organizational Psychology, Psychological Therapies, Behavior Modification, Pseudoscience and Psychology, Child Psychopathology, Forensic Psychology, or Psychological Testing and Measurement	p. PSYC 101; Domain IV: complete two courses in each domain	3		
PSYC 376-376L	Research Methods II and Lab	p. PSYC 375-375L	4	S	
PSYC 406	Cognitive Psychology	p. PSYC 101; Domain I: complete two courses in each domain	3	S	
PSYC 441	Social Psychology	p. PSYC 101; Domain III: complete two courses in each domain	3	S	

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SGR #4	Arts and Humanities/Diversity	SGR #4 satisfied by coursework from 2 different disciplines or a foreign language sequence.	3-4		
Total Credit Hours			16-17		

Third Year

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EDFN 351	Teaching and Learning I	c. EDFN 475; Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required.	1		
EDFN 475	Human Relations	Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required	3		
PSYC 327	Child Psychology	p. PSYC 101; Domain II: complete two courses in each domain	3		
PSYC 409	History and Systems of Psychology	p. PSYC 375-375L, Capstone	3	F	
PSYC 451	Abnormal Psychology	p. PSYC 101; Domain III: complete two courses in each domain	3		
Natural Sciences		See AHSS Natural Science list	3-4		
Total Credit Hours			16-17		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EDFN 352-352L	Teaching and Learning II and Lab	p. EDFN 351; Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required.	5		
PSYC 331, PSYC 357, PSYC 358, PSYC 389, PSYC 427, PSYC 440, or PSYC 477	Industrial/Organizational Psychology, Psychological Therapies, Behavior Modification, Pseudoscience and Psychology, Child Psychopathology, Forensic Psychology, or Psychological Testing and Measurement	p. PSYC 101; Domain IV: complete two courses in each domain	3		
PSYC 367	Psychological Gender Issues	p. PSYC 101; complete two courses in each domain	3	S;odd	
General Electives		Taken as need to reach 120 credits.	3-6		
Total Credit Hours			14-17		

Fourth Year

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EDFN 453-453L	Teaching and Learning III and Lab	p. EDFN 352; Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required	7		
SEED 415	7-12 Social Science Methods		3	F	
SEED 450	7-12 Reading and Content Literacy	p. Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required.	2		
Total Credit Hours			12		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EDFN 454	Teaching and Learning IV	p. EDFN 453; Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required.	11		
SEED 456	Capstone/Action Research	c. EDFN 454	1		
Total Credit Hours			12		

Comments/Notes

Students from all academic majors can pursue graduation with Fishback Honors College distinction. View the [Honors program requirements](#).

As part of the College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, students in this program must complete/earn:

- a minimum of 33 upper division credits (300-400 level courses)
- a capstone course in the major
- a designated diversity, equity, and inclusion course –AIS 211 for teaching specialization students only
- a grade of C or better is required in SPCM 101, ENGL 101, SGR #5 Mathematics, and in all education coursework
- a minor, second major, or teaching specialization
- Natural Sciences Coursework: 10+ credits in any two lab sciences; must include two prefixes.

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