

Program Honors in Psychology

The Psychology Honors Program provides individual instruction and advanced work particularly relevant to the major field for academically distinguished Psychology majors. Completion of Psychology Honors also overlaps many requirements for University Honors, Foundation Honors, and Liberal Arts Honors. The Psychology Honors curriculum includes small classes with other outstanding undergraduates, as well as direct involvement in ongoing research projects directed by Psychology faculty. In recognition of superior achievement, students who complete Program Honors in Psychology will receive the Psychology Honors designation on their official transcript.

Departmental requirements to graduate with Psychology Honors:

To be awarded Psychology Honors, students must maintain a minimum 3.5 overall cumulative GPR, a 3.25 Honors cumulative GPR, and complete 21 hours of Honors classes as follows:

[1] Six (6) hours of core curriculum courses, as follows:

[A] Three (3) hours in **Language, Philosophy, & Culture (KLPC), Creative Arts (KCRA), or Social & Behavioral Sciences (KSOC).**

[B] Three (3) hours in either **Life & Physical Sciences (KLPS) or Mathematics (KMTH).** Intro and Symbolic Logic are still acceptable courses.

[2] Twelve (12) hours in Psychology:

[A] Six (6) hours must come from PSYC 235, 306, 307, 311, 315, 319, 320, 330, 333, 340, 345.

[B] Six (6) hours must be in PSYC 484H or 485H and 491H in the form of a 2-semester independent study. Students may select from a research, field (internship), or Teaching Scholar experience. The Undergraduate Research Scholars Thesis can be used to satisfy this requirement. **Students may substitute cross-listed research (e.g. NRSC) for this requirement as long as it is completed under a PSYC faculty member.**

[3] Three (3) additional hours anywhere in the Psychology degree plan.

Admission to the Honors Program in Psychology:

Admission requirements for this Program are an overall GPR of 3.5 or above, completion or enrollment in at least one Honors course as listed above, and completion of the form on page 2 of this document. Interested students are encouraged to submit the completed form to the faculty director or advisor of the Psychology Honors program, and consult with that individual for guidance as early in their academic career as possible.

Psychology Honors Course Checklist

Please print legibly

Name: _____ UIN: _____ Major: PSYC College: LBAR

Email: _____ Phone: _____ Class: _____

Local address: _____
Street City State Zip

Semester & year entering A&M: _____ Anticipated Graduation Date: _____

REQUIRED HONORS COURSEWORK

Students in Catalog 137 will take honors courses from the new core. (Shown in parentheses)

Language, Philosophy, & Culture, Creative Arts, or Social & Behavioral Science				
COURSE	SEM	GRADE	HRS	PTS*

Life & Physical Sciences or Mathematics/Logical Reasoning				
COURSE	SEM	GRADE	HRS	PTS*

Psychology Honors Coursework				
COURSE	SEM	GRADE	HRS	PTS*

Psychology Honors Independent Study – Students may use cross-listed research to fulfill this requirement.				
COURSE	SEM	GRADE	HRS	PTS*
PSYC 484/485				
PSYC 491				

Elective Honors Coursework				
COURSE	SEM	GRADE	HRS	PTS*

Coursework Summary (for internal use only)			
	HRS	PTS	GPR
Honors in progress courses			
Honors completed courses			
Honors cumulative GPR			
TAMU completed hours overall			
TAMU cumulative GPR overall			

*Students, leave the PTS columns blank.

Form 0/12 Date: _____ Director/Advisor approval: _____