

### **Bachelor of Arts in Psychology**



# Partnership between Lakeland Community College (LCC) and Cleveland State University

#### **Foreign Language**

2 years of the same foreign language in high school, or 2 semesters of the same foreign language in college are required by Cleveland State University. Waived for those who graduated high school 1987 or earlier.

CSU's General Education Requirements will be waived for LCC students upon successful completion of the Ohio Transfer 36 or by completion of the Associate of Arts or the Associate of Science Degree at LCC. Students must meet with a Lakeland Community College advisor to determine whether they will be completing CCC's AA, AS or the OT 36. The CSU advisor will not make this determination.

A student who does not plan to complete the AA, AS or OT 36 at LCC will need to complete CSU's General Education Requirements and should follow the most current LCC to CSU Transfer Guide.

https://www.csuohio.edu/transfer-guides/lakelandcc-science-health-professions

#### General Education Courses needed for the PSY Major-

- PSY 101 (CSU) or PSYC 1500 (LCC) Introduction to Psychology
- PSY 217 (CSU)-Behavioral Science Stats: Descriptive or STA 147 (CSU) or MATH 1330 or MATH 1550 (LCC) is required for the Psychology major. LCC students are encouraged to plan accordingly because MATH 1330/1550 do have other pre-requisites.

#### **Additional CSU BA Psychology Requirements:**

- A minimum of 120 total credit hours (including all eligible transfer credits from LCC\* and all credits earned at CSU).
- A minimum of 42 total credit hours of Junior/Senior (CSU 300/400) level courses (referred to as the "upper division requirement"). LCC's PSYC 2300, PSYC 2700, PSYC 2800 will transfer as 300/400 level CSU credits.
- Cleveland State University Residency Requirements: A total of 30 credit hours of study must be taken from Cleveland State.\* These courses can be taken online, CSU main campus or through CSU courses offered at the Holden Center.
- 24 upper division credit hours must be taken through Cleveland State (300/400 level)
- A minimum of 18 credit hours toward PSY major must be taken through Cleveland State and 12 must be 300/400 level.

\*NOTE: Partnership students are advised to take no more than 90 credit hours of transfer credit. (Transfer credit will only be awarded for credits which are not considered developmental in nature.) Plan accordingly for pre-requisites.

- Partnership students should meet with the CSU academic advisor at least once per semester. Advising is currently available on a remote basis.
- CSU is committed to offering 2-3 Psychology courses each semester at the Holden Center or web based with
  enrollment preference for partnership students. Other PSY web based courses are offered to the general
  CSU student body each semester but do fill quickly. Be aware that partnership students who are unable to
  travel downtown, have scheduling limitations or have not planned pre-requisites accordingly may have to
  delay completion of the PSY degree.

## CSU Requirements – Psychology Major

(A grade of <u>C-</u> or higher is required in ALL Psychology courses to count toward the major)

# Courses to take at Lakeland that fulfill the CSU-LCC PSY partnership requirements

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Introductory Psychology Course	PSYC 1500 Introduction to Psychology (3)
PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology (3)	, 6,
PSY 200 Majors Guide-PSY (1)	No Equivalency
Psychology Statistics Courses	MATH 1330 <b>OR</b> MATH 1550 (see Math/Quantitative Literacy
PSY 217 Behavioral Science Stats: Descriptive (3) or STA 147 Statistical Concept with Apps (3) may be substituted	requirements)
AND PSY 317 Behavioral Science Stats: Inference (3) or STA 347	No Equivalency
Applied Statistics (3) may be substituted	Must be completed through CSU
Psychology Research Course 1	No Equivalency
PSY 312 Research Methods (3)	Must be completed through CSU
Psychology Research Course 2 PSY 415 Evaluating Psychological Research (3) OR PSY 412 Psychology Laboratory (3) (Either course can apply toward the Writing Across the Curriculum in major)	No Equivalency Must be completed through CSU
Psychological Health Core Choose 1 course from this list offered through CSU: PSY 345 Abnormal Psychology (3) PSY 353 Health Psychology (3)	The appropriate CSU course OR PSYC 2700 Abnormal Psychology (3)
Social /Personality Core Choose 1 course from this list offered through CSU: PSY 339 Social Psychology (3) PSY 342 Psychology of Personality (3)	The appropriate CSU courses OR PSYC 2800 Social Psychology (3) PSYC 2300 Personality Theory (3) Take both of these core classes from LCC and one can be used for an upper division PSY major elective.
Perception and Cognition Core Choose 1 course from this list offered through CSU: PSY 368 Perceptual Processes (3) PSY 372 Memory and Cognition (3)	No Equivalency Must be completed through CSU
Neuroscience Core Choose 1 course from this list offered through CSU: PSY 482 Biological Basis of Behavior (3) PSY 487 Brain and Cognition (3)	No Equivalency Must be completed through CSU
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Core Choose 1 course from this list offered through CSU: PSY 255 Psychology of Women and Gender (3) PSY 356 Multicultural Psychology (3)	The appropriate CSU course OR PSYC 1700 Psychology of Gender (3)
Psychology Electives  A minimum of 11 credit hours in Psychology electives are required. Students must earn an overall total of 42 credit hours in Psychology.  Electives can be selected from:  Lakeland Psychology courses  CSU Psychology courses offered at the Holden Center  CSU Psychology courses offered online or at the CSU campus	LCC Psychology electives/CSU Equivalents PSYC 2100 Lifespan Development for Nursing (3) (Equivalent to PSY 223 Life Span Development at CSU) PSYC 2400 Child Psychology (3) (Equivalent to PSY 220 Child Development at CSU) PSYC 2500 Adolescent Psychology (3) (Equivalent to PSY 221 Adolescent Psychology at CSU)
In addition, any course listed above and <u>not</u> used to satisfy the Core area requirement may be used as a PSY elective.  Writing Across the Curriculum	
A grade of C or higher is required in WAC courses Only 2 courses required If transferring 60-89 credit hours Only 1 course required (WAC in major) if transferring 90+ credit hours	Only CSU courses may satisfy the WAC requirement  May be taken online or at a CSU campus (including Holden Center)  At least one WAC course must be taken within the Psychology major  (PSY 412 or PSY 415 will satisfy the WAC in major requirement)
Exit Evaluation	No Equivalency

#### **Partnership Hints**

- When applying to CSU you must complete the Supplement Application for Partnership Admission form.
- CSU courses are available at Holden University Center, web based (online) or CSU campus.
- Financial aid can only be used at one institution at a time.
- Associate degree requirements are not listed on this guide. Consult with an LCC Counselor to verify requirements for the Associate degree.