

# Westmoreland Community College & West Virginia University



Associate in Arts in Psychology leading to  
Bachelor of Science in Psychology (WVU-BS)  
Suggested Plan of Study



Westmoreland Community College	Hours	WVU Equivalents	Hours
<b>Year One, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester</b>			
PDV 101: First Year Seminar	1	WVUE 191: First Year Seminar	1
CPT 150: Microcomputer Concepts	3	CS 1TC: Microcomputer Concepts	3
ENG 161: College Writing	3	ENGL 101: Composition and Rhetoric	3
MTH 157: College Algebra	3	MATH 126: College Algebra	3
PSY 160: Introduction to Psychology	3	PSYC 101: Introduction to Psychology	3
SPC 155: Effective Speech	3	MDS 270: Effective Public Speaking	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	16		16
<b>Year One, 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester</b>			
ENG 164: Advanced Composition	3	ENGL 102: Composition and Rhetoric	3
MATH 172: Calculus I (General Elective)	4	MATH 155: Calculus I	4
PSY 161: Human Growth Development	3	PSYC 241: Intro to Human Development (Cluster D)	3
PHL 161: Introduction to Ethics	3	PHIL 100: Problems of Philosophy	3
PSY 163: Physiological Psych (PSY Elective)	3	PSYC 1TC: Physiological Psych	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	16		16
<b>Year Two, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester</b>			
SOC 155: Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology	3
BIO 155: General Biology I	4	BIOL 101: General Biology I & BIOL 101L General Biology Lab	4
PSY 250: Research Methods/Psychology	3	PSYC 2TC: Research Methods/Psychology	3
MTH 160: Introduction Statistics	3	STAT 211: Elementary Statistical Inference	3
ENG 255: Intro to Literature	3	ENGL 132: Short Story and Novel	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	16		16
<b>Year Two, 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester</b>			
PSY 265: Child Psychology (General Elective)	3	PSYC 341: Child Development (Upper-Division Course)	3
PSY 260: Social Psychology (PSY Elective)	3	PSY 251: Intro to Social Psychology (Cluster E)	3
SOC or ECN Elective	3	SOC or ECON Elective	3
PSY 270: Abnormal Psychology (PSY Elective)	3	PSYC 281: Abnormal Psychology (Cluster C)	3
BIO 156: General Biology II	4	BIOL 102: General Biology II & BIOL 102L: General Biology II Lab	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	16		16

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Year Three, 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester		Year Three, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	
PSYC 203 & PSCY 203L: Research Methods & Analysis I	3	PSYC 204 & PSYC 204L: Research Methods & Analysis II	3
*BS Area 1-2	4	BS Area 2-2	4
BS Area 2-1	4	General Elective or Minor Course (3)	3
General Elective or Minor Course (1)	3	General Elective or Minor Course (4)	3
General Elective or Minor Course (2)	3		
<b>TOTAL</b>	17	<b>TOTAL</b>	13
Year Four, 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester		Year Four, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	
PSYC 301 & PSCY 301L: Behavior Principles & Lab	4	PSYC 302 & PSYC 302L: Biological Foundations of Behavior & Lab	4
PSYC A/B Cluster	3	PSYC Capstone	3
PSYC Upper-Division Course (2)	3	BS Area 3-2	4
BS Area 3-1	4	General Elective or Minor Course (5)	3
General Elective	1	General Elective	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	15	<b>TOTAL</b>	15

Student must have a C- in PSY 160 (PSYC 101) to be directly admitted into the Psychology program upon transferring to West Virginia University.

\* Students should take BIOL 117 to complete this requirement. Students not selecting this option will need utilize elective credit to select a 2-course progression to satisfy the WVU Eberly College of Arts & Sciences Bachelor of Science requirement.

Students completing degrees from the WVU Eberly College of Arts and Sciences are encouraged to work with their advisors to integrate completion of an academic minor or minors into their programs of study. WVU offers over 100 minors that complement major fields of study, build on students' unique interests, expand perspectives, and broaden skills. See <http://catalog.wvu.edu/undergraduate/minors/#minorsofferedtext> for a list of available minors. Westmoreland Community College students may begin completion of certain minors at WCCC by utilizing elective hours to take courses equivalent to the minor's introductory requirements at WVU

Students transferring to West Virginia University with an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree will have satisfied the General Education Foundation requirements at WVU.

Students who have questions regarding this articulation agreement or the transferability of coursework may contact the WVU Office of the University Registrar. All other questions should be directed to the WVU Office of Admissions.

The above transfer articulation of credit between West Virginia University and Westmoreland County Community College, is approved by the Dean, or the Dean's designee, and effective the date of the signature.

Valérie Lastinger  
Print Name

  
Signature

10/25/2022  
Date

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