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## **Psychology Program Map – 2026-2027 Catalog**

NPC does not offer a degree specific to psychology, so students interested in psychology should pursue the Arizona General Education Curriculum (AGEC) requirements for an Associate of Arts or Science degree (AS) and plan to transfer to another institution to complete a bachelor's degree in psychology.

Blocks are suggested for full-time students but may be adjusted based on course scheduling, student employment, or individual needs.

### **First Fifteen to Sixteen-Credit-Hour block**

<b>X</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>credits</b>
	PSY101 Introduction to Psychology		3
	ENL101 College Composition I		3
	BIO181 General Biology I		4
	Social and Behavioral Sciences Requirement (non-psychology)		3
	Arts and Humanities Requirement (see below)		3

### **Second Fifteen to Sixteen-Credit-Hour block**

<b>X</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>credits</b>
	PSY 240 Developmental Psychology		3
	ENL102 College Composition II	Prerequisite: ENL101	3
	BIO182 General Biology II	Prerequisite: BIO181	4
	MAT 142 College Mathematics w/ Contemporary App. Or MAT 152 Advanced Algebra	Prerequisite: MAT 109 or MAT 112 or satisfactory placement	3
	Social and Behavioral Sciences Requirement (non-psychology)		3

### **Third Fifteen to Sixteen-Credit-Hour block**

<b>X</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>credits</b>
	PSY230 Introduction to Psychological Statistics	Prerequisites: PSY101, PSY240, MAT142, MAT152	3
	Psychology elective: consider taking Social or Abnormal Psychology		3
	Arts and Humanities Requirement (see below)		3
	Social and Behavioral Sciences elective (non-psychology)		3
	Elective: consider taking a computer science class		3

### **Fourth Fifteen to Sixteen-Credit-Hour block**

<b>X</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>credits</b>
	PSY290 Research Methods in Psychology	Prerequisite: PSY230	4
	Elective: consider taking MAT 189 Pre-Calculus or MAT 221 Calculus I	MAT 189 is the prerequisite for MAT 221	3-4
	Arts and Humanities Elective (see below)		3
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		Total Required credit hours for AS degree	64

**Recommended Written and Oral Communication (6 credits)**

ENL 101 College Composition I  
ENL 102 English Composition II  
SPT 120 Public Speaking  
SPA 101 Elementary Spanish I  
SPA 1012 Elementary Spanish II

**Recommended Arts and Humanities electives (6 credits):**

Note: Two different disciplines from Arts and Humanities are required for AA degree

ANT 103 Culture in Communication  
ENL 220 World Literature I  
ENL 221 World Literature II  
PHL 101 Introduction to Philosophy  
PHL Introduction to Logic and Critical Thinking  
PHL Introduction to Ethics  
PHL 150 Comparative World Religions

**Recommended Quantitative Reasoning (3 credits):**

MAT 109 Algebra I  
MAT 112 Algebra II  
MAT 152 Advanced Algebra  
MAT 160 Introduction to Statistics

**Recommended Natural Science electives (4 credits):**

ANT 104 Biological Anthropology and Human Origins (4 credits)  
BIO 160 Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology (4 credits)  
BIO 181 General Biology I (4 credits)  
BIO 182 General Biology II (4 credits)

**Recommended Social and Behavioral Science Non-Psychology electives (6 credits):**

Note: Between the Social and Behavioral Sciences and Institutions of the Americas, students must take courses within at least two different prefixes.

ANT 102 Cultural Anthropology	HIS 102 World History: 1450 CE to Present
ANT 120 Buried Cities and Lost Tribes	HIS 105 US History to 1877
ECN 211 Principles of Macroeconomics	HIS 106 US History since 1877
ECN 212 Principles of Microeconomics	SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology
GEO 110 World Regional Geography	SOC 212 Sex and Gender in Society
GEO 120 Human Geography	SOC 215 Ethnicity and Race
HIS 101 World History: Prehistory to 1450 CE	SOC 225 Sociology of the Family

**Institutions in the Americas – You must take one course from this section (3 credits):**

Note: Between the Social and Behavioral Sciences and Institutions of the Americas, students must take courses within at least two different prefixes.

ANT 205 Native American Cultures of the Southwest  
HIS 105 U.S. History to 1877  
HIS 106 106 U.S. History Since 1877  
HIS 110 Southwestern History  
HIS 114 Introduction to Mexican American History  
HIS 115 Navajo History  
HIS 201 History of Women in America  
POS 110 United States Government  
POS 110 Navajo Government



**Your Education Planner – Use this to keep track of which classes you take each semester**

My Tasks:

- I've completed my FAFSA for the year I want to attend
- I've applied for all available scholarships (FTF, NPC Friends and Family, Claude Endfield)
- I've checked the online course schedule and found my classes that I plan to take
- I've registered for my classes – at least 2 weeks before the semester begins
- I've ordered my textbooks if needed
- I'm ready!

Semester \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

Dept/Course	Credits	Grade

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**Key**

\* = Prerequisite (Speak with your academic advisor or check the notes section for more information.)

**Notes:** This Academic Plan is a suggestion of how this program can be completed as a full-time student and may need to be adjusted based on the semester you start or your personal circumstances. Students should consult a faculty or academic advisor as they design their individual completion path.

General education options are located in section IV, Programs, of the NPC college catalog. To be sure your general education course applies to your degree, speak with your academic advisor. The online version of the college catalog is located on our public website: <https://www.npc.edu/college-catalog>