

PSYCHOLOGY

Associate of Arts Degree Associate of Arts Degree

Social & Behavioral Sciences Pathway
CCD.edu/Psychology

Psychology Transfer Major

The Associate of Arts (A.A.) in psychology is designed for you to complete the first two years of a bachelor's degree at CCD and transfer to a four-year college or university to complete a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in psychology. Human behavior, mental processes and psychopathology are explored. Psychologists also study emotion, motivation, personality, neuroscience and relationships, as well as developmental issues, including sexuality and aging. Careers in psychology typically require a master's or doctorate degree. The program includes courses that are common to all four-year institutions in Colorado. The A.A. in psychology prepares you to complete the second half of a B.A. in psychology at a four-year university.

COURSE MAP

Course	Title	Credits
First Semester		
ENG 1021	English Composition I: GT-CO1 ¹	3
SOC 1002	Introduction to Sociology II: GT-SS3	3
COM 1250	Interpersonal Communication: GT-SS3	3
PSY 1001	General Psychology I: GT-SS3	3
Choose One Mathematics Course (GT-MA1)		3-4
MAT 1260	Intro to Statistics: GT-MA1 ¹	
MAT 1240	Math for Liberal Arts: GT-MA1	
MAT 1340	College Algebra: GT-MA1 ²	
Subtotal		15-16
Second Semester		
ENG 1022	English Composition II: GT-CO2 ¹	3
PSY 1002	General Psychology II: GT-SS3	3
Choose One Natural & Physical Sciences Course (GT-SC1)		4
ANT 1005	Biological Anthropology with Lab: GT-SC1	
ANT 2315	Introduction to Forensic Anthropology with Lab: GT-SC1	
AST 1110	Astronomy with Lab: Planetary Systems: GT-SC1	
ENV 1111	Environmental Science with Lab: GT-SC1	
GEO 1011	Physical Geography: Landforms with Lab: GT-SC1	
GEY 1111	Physical Geology with Lab: GT-SC1	
Choose One History Course (GT-HI1)		3
HIS 1310	Western Civilization: Antiquity-1650: GT-HI1	
HIS 1320	Western Civilization: 1650-Present: GT-HI1	
HIS 1110	The World: Antiquity-1500: GT-HI1	
HIS 1120	The World: 1500-Present: GT-HI1	
HIS 1210	U.S. History to Reconstruction: GT-HI1	
Choose One Social & Behavioral Science Course (GT-SS1~GTSS3)		3
ECO 2001	Principles of Macroeconomics: GT-SS1	
PSC 1011	American Government: GT-SS1	
SOC 1001	Introduction to Sociology I: GT-SS3	
ANT 1001	Cultural Anthropology: GT-SS3	
ETH 2000	Introduction to Ethnic Studies: GT-SS3	
CRJ 1010	Introduction to Criminal Justice: GT-SS3	
Subtotal		16
Third Semester		
Choose One Arts & Humanities Course (GT-AH1~GT-AH4) ³		3
MUS 1020	Music Appreciation: GT-AH1	
THE 1005	Theatre Appreciation: GT-AH1	
COM 1300	Communication and Popular Culture: GT-AH1	
ART 1110	Art Appreciation: GT-AH1	
LIT 1015	Introduction to Literature I: GT-AH2	
HUM 1003	Introduction to Film Art: GT-AH2	
Choose One Natural & Physical Sciences Course (GT-SC1)		4
BIO 1005	Science of Biology with Lab: GT-SC1	

BIO 2101	Human Anatomy & Physiology with Lab I: GT-SC1	
Choose One Psychology Course (GT-SS3)		3
PSY 2222	Psychology of Death and Dying: GT-SS3	
PSY 2331	Positive Psychology: GT-SS3	
PSY 2221	Social Psychology: GT-SS3	
PSY 2440	Human Growth and Development: GT-SS3	
PSY 2552	Psychopathology: GT-SS3	
Choose One Psychology Course (GT-SS3)		3
PSY 2107	Human Sexuality: GT-SS3	
PSY 2331	Positive Psychology: GT-SS3	
PSY 2440	Human Growth and Development: GT-SS3	
PSY 2333		
PSY 2552	Psychopathology: GT-SS3	
Choose One Elective Course		3
ECO 2001	Principles of Macroeconomics: GT-SS1	
PSC 1011	American Government: GT-SS1	
SOC 1001	Introduction to Sociology I: GT-SS3	
ANT 1001	Cultural Anthropology: GT-SS3	
ETH 2000	Introduction to Ethnic Studies: GT-SS3	
CRJ 1010	Introduction to Criminal Justice: GT-SS3	
Subtotal		16
Fourth Semester		
Choose One Elective Course		1
COM 2063	Conflict Resolution	
BEH 1030	Behavioral Health Case Management and Clinical Documentation	
Choose One Psychology Course (GT-SS3)		3
PSY 2221	Social Psychology: GT-SS3	
PSY 2222	Psychology of Death and Dying: GT-SS3	
PSY 2331	Positive Psychology: GT-SS3	
PSY 2440	Human Growth and Development: GT-SS3	
PSY 2333		
Choose One Arts & Humanities Course (GT-AH3) ³		3
PHI 1011	Intro to Philosophy: GT-AH3	
MUS 1020	Music Appreciation: GT-AH1	
THE 1005	Theatre Appreciation: GT-AH1	
ART 1110	Art Appreciation: GT-AH1	
LIT 1015	Introduction to Literature I: GT-AH2	
HUM 1003	Introduction to Film Art: GT-AH2	
Choose One Elective		3
COM 1150	Public Speaking	
ANT 1001	Cultural Anthropology: GT-SS3	
CRJ 1010	Introduction to Criminal Justice: GT-SS3	
ETH 2000	Introduction to Ethnic Studies: GT-SS3	
PSY 2770	Introduction Forensic Psychology	
Choose One Elective		3
CRJ 1010	Introduction to Criminal Justice: GT-SS3	
PSY 2770	Introduction Forensic Psychology	
PSY 2660		
PSY 2661	Brain and Behavior	
SOC 1001	Introduction to Sociology I: GT-SS3	
Subtotal		13
Total Credits		60-61

¹ Students can take ENG 1022 and an additional GT-CO3 course instead of ENG 1021 and ENG 1022

² One GT Pathways course (GT-MA1), prefer MAT 1260: Introduction to Statistics, except: Colorado Mesa University requires either MAT 1240: Mathematics for the Liberal Arts or MAT 1340: College Algebra; Colorado State University – Pueblo prefers MAT 1340: College Algebra; Fort Lewis College requires MAT 1260: Intro to Statistics; University of Colorado Boulder requires MAT 1340: College Algebra or higher; University of Colorado Colorado Springs requires MAT 1340: College Algebra; Western State Colorado University requires MAT 1340: College Algebra.

³ You are required to take two arts and humanities classes but you have the additional requirement that they are from different categories. The categories are:

- GT-AH1 arts and expression
- GT-AH2 literature and humanities
- GT-AH3 ways of thinking
- G- AH4 world languages.

Please reach out to your academic advisor if you have questions about this requirement.

NOTE: The faculty at Community College of Denver have chosen course elective options for this program of study based on the skills students will need to be successful in this discipline. However, for a complete list of available course options, please go to the Colorado Department of Higher Education Transfer Degree Agreement for this program.