

North Idaho College

Psychology BA/BS: 2025-2026

Advising Guide



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GENERAL EDUCATION to be taken at NIC

Course	Course Title	CR	
Written Communication			
ENGL 101	Writing/Rhetoric I	3	
ENGL 102	Writing/Rhetoric II	3	
Oral Communication			
COMM 101	Fundamentals of Oral Communication	3	
Mathematical Ways of Knowing			
MATH 123 or above		3	
Scientific Ways of Knowing			
Complete 2 courses from different disciplines with 1 lab course:		4	
*See NIC catalog for list of CORE-Science options		3	
Humanistic and Artistic Ways of Knowing			
Complete 2 courses from different disciplines		3	
*See NIC catalog for list of CORE-Humanities options		3	
Social and Behavioral Ways of Knowing			
Complete 2 courses from different disciplines:			
PSYC 101	Introduction to Psychology	3	
*See NIC catalog for list of CORE Social and Behavioral options		3	
Institutionally Designated			
*See NIC catalog for list of CORE Institutionally Designated options		3	
Additional NIC courses that meet LC State BA/BS Degree Requirements**			
PSYC 205	Developmental Psychology**	3	
PSYC 210	Psychology of Personality**	3	
PSYC 211	Abnormal Psychology**	3	
PSYC 218	Intro to Research in Behavioral Science**	3	

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PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Major Requirements			
Course #	Course Name	CR	
PSYC 226	Biological Basis of Behavior	3	
PSYC 300	Statistical Methods	3	
PSYC 320	Social Psychology	3	
PSYC 387	Scientific Reading & Writing Lab	2	
PSYC 407	Professional development in Psychology	1	
PSYC 441	Historical and Contemporary Issues	3	
PSYC 499	Research Project	3	
Select one of the following PSYC 485, PSYC 494, or PSYC 495		3	
Psychology Selectives			
Complete a minimum of 21 credits from list below: 15 must be PSYC			
ANTH 102, ANTH 310, BIOL 227, BIOL 228, BIOL 362, BUS 360, BUS 412, COMM 205, COMM 320, COMM 330, COMM 384, HLTH 245, HLTH 246, HLTH 247, JS 320, JS 345, JS 425, POLS 200, POLS 370, SOC 315, SOC 360, SOC 375, SOC 403, SOC 425, SW 140, SW 321, SW 322, THEA 215		21	
General Electives			
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Graduation Requirements			
Credits that must be earned at LC State		32	
Upper division credits required		36	
TOTAL NIC & LC State Semester Credits		68	

Notes:



Complete all required/elective coursework for the AA degree at North Idaho College

- This advising guide is based on the completion of an appropriate Associate's degree (typically an AA or AS) with additions made to meet lower division requirements.
- 32 Residency (LC State) credits required for graduation.
- 36 credits must be upper division.
- LC State classes available online (asynchronous) or virtual remote (meet at set times via video conferencing).
- This is just a guide. Please check with your advisor to ensure you earn at least 32 credits at LC State and have completed 36 upper division credits