

Cleveland State University
College of Arts and Sciences
Bachelor of Arts in Design + Psychology
New for 2024-2025

First Year								
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	
ASC 101 Introduction to University Life	1		Intro	ENG 102 College Writing II	3			W/C
ENG 101 College Writing I	3		W/C	Arts & Humanities Elective**	3			A&H
STA 147 Statistics (in place of PSY217*)	3	X	M/QL	Natural Science Elective	3			NS
PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology**	3	X	SS	PSY 317 Behavioral Science Statistics^	3	X		M/QL
PSY 200 Intro to CSU Psychology Major	1	X		ART 242 Intro to Type & Design	3	X		
ART 244 Intro to Visual Technology	3	X						
<i>Semester Total</i>	14			<i>Semester Total</i>	15			

Second Year								
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	
Arts & Humanities Elective**	3		A&H	Social Diversity Elective (AA)	3			DIV-AA
Natural Science Elective (with Lab)	4		NS	ART 348 Intermediate Visual Tech: Motion	3	X		
ART 347 Intermediate Visual Tech: Web	3	X		PSY 339 Social Psychology	3	X		
PSY 356 Multicultural Psychology	3	X	DIV-US	General Elective	3			
PSY 312 Research Methods	3	X		General Elective	3			
<i>Semester Total</i>	16			<i>Semester Total</i>	15			

Third Year								
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	
Social Sciences Elective (not PSY)	3		SS	ART 343 Data Visualization and Info Design	3	X		
ART 346 Human-Centered Graphic Design	3	X		PSY 372 Memory & Cognition	3	X		
PSY 412 Psychology Laboratory	3	X		PSY/ART Elective^^	3	X		WAC
General Elective* (WAC)	3		WAC	General Elective* (WAC)	3			WAC
General Elective*	3			General Elective*	3			
<i>Semester Total</i>	15			<i>Semester Total</i>	15			

Fourth Year								
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	
ART 447 Use Exp./User Interface Design	3	X		Capstone (ART 450, PSY 412, or PSY 415)	3	X		CAP
PSY 368 Perceptual Processes	3	X		PSY/ART Elective^^	3	X		
General Elective*	3			General Elective*	3			
General Elective*	3			General Elective*	3			
General Elective*	3			General Elective*	3			
Apply for Spring graduation by the middle of this term								
<i>Semester Total</i>	15			<i>Semester Total</i>	15			
Credit Total: 120 (minimum 120 required for degree)								

The plan above is a suggested guide to ensure that all General Education, College, University, and Major requirements are met within 4 years of study. Students may deviate from the suggested placement of Gen Ed courses, although the M/QL and W/C requirements should be completed during the first year of study. This plan assumes college-level readiness in both mathematics and English and that Foreign Language Deficiency requirements have been met.

Gen Ed Key:	
INTRO = Introduction to University Life Requirement (one course)	SS = Social Sciences Requirement (2 courses from different departments**)
W/C = Writing/Composition Requirement (2 courses; C or better required)	A&H = Arts & Humanities Requirement (2 courses from different departments**)
M/QL = Mathematics/Quantitative Literacy Requirement (2 courses)	DIV = Social Diversity Requirement (one US Diversity & one African American Exp.)
NS = Natural Science (2 courses, one of which must have a lab)	WAC/SPAC = Writing/Speaking Across the Curriculum (3 courses, one in major)
	CAP = Capstone Requirement

* General Electives ensure that a student accumulates the minimum 120 required credit hours for graduation. Of these 120 credit hours, a minimum of 36 credit hours must be upper division (300 or 400-level courses).

** Of the SS and A&H courses, one must be focused on Africa, Latin America, or the Middle East

^PSY 217 and 317 are both M/QL courses, but only one can be applied to this requirement - the other course must be a MTH/?STA course.

^^Additional 6

hours of PSY or ART (Design) electives required for the major. **This map assumes all PSY or ART electives are 300/400 level courses**

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