
TRANSFER TICKET

**CSCU Pathway Transfer Degree: Psychology Studies, A.A.
Northwestern Connecticut Community College
Catalog Year 2018-19**

Previous catalog years

[2016/2017](#)

[2017/2018](#)

Please contact a campus advisor for this program

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These requirements are effective if you declared the **Transfer Ticket: CSCU Pathway Transfer Degree: Psychology Studies, A.A.** major for the 2016/17, 2017/18, or 2018/19 academic years.

With this degree, you will be able to transfer to the following majors. Follow this [link](#) for important information about when and how to apply for transfer to a State University or Charter Oak State College.

At Central Connecticut State University	Psychological Science, B.A.
At Eastern Connecticut State University	Psychology, B.S.
At Southern Connecticut State University	Psychology, B.A.
At Western Connecticut State University	Psychology, B.A.
At Charter Oak State College	Psychology, B.S.

Here is the recommended course of study for the **CSCU Pathway Transfer Degree: Psychology Studies, A.A.** If you are studying part time, simply follow the order of the courses listed here. Note that not all courses will be available every semester. You will notice that in many instances you will be able to choose the specific course you will take from within a category. For a list of the courses from each category that you can choose from, go to [Appendix \(PDF\)](#).

First Semester

15 credits

ENG 101 Composition	3 credits
MAT 167 Principles of Statistics	3 credits
PSY 111 General Psychology I***	3 credits
Choose one Aesthetic Dimensions course	3 credits
Unrestricted Elective*	3 credits

Second Semester

15-16 credits

Select one of the following	3 credits
PSY 201 Life Span Development	
PSY 204 Child and Adolescent Development	
Choose one Written Communication II course	3 credits
Choose one Scientific Reasoning course	3-4 credits
Choose one Historical Knowledge and Understanding course	3 credits
Unrestricted Elective*	3 credits

Begin the [transfer application process](#) in your third semester or the semester before you plan to graduate. FAFSA becomes available October 1.

Third Semester

15-16 credits

PSY 245 Abnormal Psychology	3 credits
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Choose one Scientific Knowledge and Understanding course	3-4 credits
Choose one Social Phenomena I course	3 credits
Choose one Additional General Education I: Creativity course	3 credits
Choose one Unrestricted Elective*	3 credits

During your last semester at NCCC, apply for graduation [by the dates found here](#) .

Fourth Semester 15 credits

Choose one Continued Learning and Information Literacy course	3 credits
Choose one Social Phenomena II course	3 credits
Choose one Additional General Education II: Global Knowledge course	3 credits
An additional one or two courses selected from the following**	3-6 credits
PSY 240 Social Psychology	
PSY 243 Theories of Personality	
PSY 247 Industrial and Organizational Psychology	
Unrestricted Elective*	0-3 credits

**Northwestern does not offer these courses. In order to complete this pathway, the student would have to take at least one additional psychology course online or at another institution.

Here is another way to look at the degree, by requirements

General Education Requirements 36-37 credits

Unless a course is specifically designated, such as ENG 101 Composition for **Written Communication I**, you will have a choice about which course you take. For a list of the courses from each category that you can choose from, go to [Appendix \(PDF\)](#).

Written Communication I ENG 101 Composition	3 credits
Written Communication II (select one)	3 credits
Scientific Reasoning (select one)	3-4 credits
Scientific Knowledge and Understanding (select one) Note: You must complete one science course that includes a lab. It can be in either science category.	3-4 credits
Quantitative Reasoning MAT 167 Principles of Statistics	3 credits
Historical Knowledge and Understanding (select one)	3 credits
Social Phenomena I (select one)	3 credits
Social Phenomena II (select one)	3 credits
Aesthetic Dimensions (select one)	3 credits
Continued Learning and Information Literacy (select one)	3 credits

Additional General Education I: Creativity 3 credits

Additional General Education II: Global Knowledge 3 credits

Major Program Requirements **12-15 credits**

PSY 111 General Psychology I***	3 credits
Select one of the following	3 credits
PSY 201 Life Span Development	
PSY 204 Child and Adolescent Development	
PSY 245 Abnormal Psychology	3 credits
An additional one or two courses selected from the following	3-6 credits
PSY 240 Social Psychology	
PSY 243 Theories of Personality	
PSY 247 Industrial and Organizational Psychology**	

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Unrestricted Electives* **7-12 credits**

*You are free to choose any courses at or above 100-level to complete unrestricted electives, although you may need to use these credits to take courses that prepare you for required courses in the degree program.

- Students planning to transfer to SCSU are strongly encouraged to take PSY 257.
- You should also consider using unrestricted electives to meet foreign language requirements at Central, Eastern and Western Connecticut State Universities or to begin work on completing a minor.
- Central Connecticut State University will require that you complete a minor by earning at least 18 credits in one area outside your major field; you must complete at least 9 of those minor credits at Central.
- You can also complete other General Education requirements for CCSU, SCSU, WCSU, and COSC—but not ECSU.
- You are encouraged to meet with your advisor to determine which courses to select.

***Students who transfer to SCSU will use PSY 111 to fulfill a SCSU General Education requirement and have only the Capstone requirement left—unless they use PSY 111 to fulfill a *community college* General Education requirement. In that case, they will have an additional LEP requirement at SCSU.

CSCU Pathway Transfer Degree: Psychology Studies, A.A. Credit Total: 60-61 credits

In order to graduate and be guaranteed admission to a State University or to Charter Oak State College, you must earn an overall 2.0 grade point average.