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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, 2018/19, 2019/20, or 2020/21 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.
  Once you transfer to Eastern, you will have the opportunity, with the permission of an advisor, to select one of the following concentrations:
  - Behavior Analysis
  - Developmental Psychology
  - Industrial-Organizational Psychology
  - Mental Health Counseling
- 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 16 credits

- ENG 101 Composition 3 credits
- MAT 165 Elementary Statistics with Computer Apps 4 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 203 Child Development
  - PSY 206 Adolescent & Adult 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
- **Choose one Scientific Knowledge and Understanding course** 3-4 credits
- **Choose one Social Phenomena course** 3 credits
- **Choose one Additional General Education I: Creativity course** 3 credits
- **Unrestricted Elective*** 3 credits

### Fourth Semester  
15 credits

- **Choose one Continued Learning and Information Literacy course** 3 credits
- **Choose one Oral Communications course** 3 credits
- **Choose one Additional General Education II: Global Knowledge course** 3 credits
- **An additional one or two courses** 3-6 credits

Selected from the following:
- **PSY 240 Social Psychology**
- **PSY 243 Theories of Personality**
- **PSY 247 Industrial and Organizational Psychology**
- **Unrestricted Elective*** 0-3 credits

*(This elective is not necessary if you take two of PSY 240, 243, 247)*

During your last semester at MCC, apply for graduation by the dates found here.

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

### General Education Requirements  
37-38 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 165 Elementary Statistics with Computer Applications 4 credits
- **Historical Knowledge and Understanding (select one)** 3 credits
- **Social Phenomena (select one)** 3 credits
- **Aesthetic Dimensions (select one)** 3 credits
Continued Learning and Information Literacy (select one) 3 credits
Oral Communication (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 203 Child Development
   PSY 206 Adolescent & Adult Development
PSY 245 Abnormal Psychology 3 credits
An additional one or two courses 3-6 credits
Selected from the following
   PSY 240 Social Psychology
   PSY 243 Theories of Personality
   PSY 247 Industrial and Organizational Psychology

Unrestricted Electives* 9-12 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. 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.

the 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.