

# Psychology (BA)

## Bachelor of Arts

### Description

The Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Psychology program provides students with a comprehensive understanding of human behavior and mental processes, preparing them for careers in various fields or further graduate study in psychology and related disciplines. Students engage in foundational coursework topics including psychological theories, developmental psychology, social psychology, cognitive psychology, cross-cultural psychology, and abnormal psychology.

### Admissions Requirements

- A high school diploma or GED
- Credentials earned outside of the US must be evaluated by an approved agency
- GPA of 2.0 or higher
- Official transcripts from all previously attended institutions
- Completed application with Carolina University

### Graduation Requirements

- Shall have maintained a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0;
- Shall have passed all courses in the curriculum and made a C- or better professional core courses;
- Shall have completed at least 24 of the final 30 hours with Carolina University.

### Courses

#### General Education Core (36 Credit Hours)

#### Professional Core (30 Credit Hours)

##### [MG 301 - Organizational Behavior](#)

3 Credit Hours

##### [PS 101 - Introduction to Psychology](#)

3 Credit Hours

##### [PS 102 - Developmental Psychology](#)

3 Credit Hours

##### [PS 210 - Cross Cultural Psychology](#)

3 Credit Hours

##### [PS 220 - Behavioral Science](#)

3 Credit Hours

##### [PS 270 - Social Psychology](#)

3 Credit Hours

##### [PS 310 - Cognitive Psychology](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 395 - Abnormal Psychology](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 450 - Sensation and Perception](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 495 - Capstone Seminar in Psychology](#)

3 Credit Hours

**Professional Electives (Choose 21 Credit Hours)**

[CO 301 - Basic Counseling Skills](#)

3 Credit Hours

[CO 401 - Marriage and Family Counseling](#)

3 Credit Hours

[CO 402 - Counseling Adolescents](#)

3 Credit Hours

[CO 450 - Introduction to Expressive Arts in Counseling](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 103 - Behavior Modification](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 230 - Psychology of Women](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 240 - Motivation and Emotion](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 250 - Psychology of Persuasion](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 260 - Psychology and Law](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 301 - Quantitative Data Analysis for SS](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 360 - Health Psychology](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 380 - Brain and Behavior: Biological Psychology](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 395 - Abnormal Psychology](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 401 - Research Methods for the Social Sciences](#)

3 Credit Hours

[PS 480 - Theories of Personality](#)

3 Credit Hours

[SM 201 - Sports Psychology](#)

3 Credit Hours

Electives

33 Credit Hours