

**ASSOCIATE IN ARTS  
PSYCHOLOGY  
Course Selection Guide**  
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## Degrees

- NC Central: [BS in Psychology](#)
- NC State: [BA in Psychology](#)
- UNC-Chapel Hill: [BA in Psychology](#) (UNC also offers a BS)
- UNC Greensboro: [BA in Psychology](#) (UNCG also offers a BS)

## Jobs Associated with These Degrees

Mental health counselor, human resource specialist, marketing manager, public relations specialist, medical and health services manager, social worker, correctional treatment specialist, government worker. Students also often pursue advanced degrees in psychology, medicine, social work, counseling and education.

## General Education – 45 SHC (“Semester Hours of Credit”)

### Universal General Education Transfer Component (UGETC) Courses (31-32 SHC):

#### English Composition (6 SHC)

Durham Tech / UGETC Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
ENG 111 Writing & Inquiry	ENG 111	ENG 111	ENG 111	ENG 111
ENG 112 Writing/Research in the Disciplines	ENG 112	ENG 112	ENG 112	ENG 112

#### Humanities/Fine Arts (H/FA) (9 SHC)—Select three courses from at least two disciplines

Durham Tech / UGETC Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
One course selected from ART 111, ART 114, ART115, COM 120, COM 231, DRA 111, MUS 110, MUS 112	COM 231	COM 231	Any	Any
PHI 215 or PHI 240	PHI 240	PHI 240	PHI 240	Any
One course (3 SHC) selected from ENG 231, 232, 241,242	Any	ENG 231	Any	Any

#### Social and Behavioral Sciences (S/BS) (9 SHC)—Select three courses from at least two disciplines

Durham Tech / UGETC Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
One history course selected from HIS 111, HIS 112, HIS 131, HIS 132	HIS 112	HIS 131	Any	Any
One course (3 SHC) from ECO 251, ECO 252, POL 120, PSY 150, SOC 210	PSY 150	PSY 150	PSY 150	PSY 150
One additional Social and Behavioral Science course selected from courses listed above.	SOC 210	SOC 210	Any	Any

#### Mathematics (3-4 SHC)

Durham Tech / UGETC Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
One Math course selected from MAT 143, 152, 171	MAT 171	MAT 171	MAT 171	Any

#### Natural Science (4 SHC)

Durham Tech / UGETC Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
One Science course selected from AST 151/A, BIO 110, BIO 111, CHM 151, GEL 111, PHY 110/A	Any	BIO 110	BIO 111	Any

## Additional General Education Transfer Hours (13-14 SHC):

### Foreign Language (3 SHC)

Durham Tech Gen Ed Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
Foreign Language: Choose from American Sign Language, Arabic, French, German, or Spanish. FL 112 Must be taken with accompanying lab.	FL 112	FL 211	FL 211	FL 212

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Mathematics Course (3-4 SHC)

Durham Tech Gen Ed Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
Choose from MAT 143, MAT 152, MAT 171, MAT 172, or MAT 263. Note: There are prerequisites for these courses that must be met.	MAT 152	MAT 152	MAT 172 or MAT 263	MAT 152

UNC's BS in Psychology requires MAT 271 and 272.

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Natural Science Course (4 SHC)

Durham Tech Gen Ed Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
Choose from AST 151/151A, AST 152/152A, BIO 110, BIO 111, 112, BIO 140/140A, CHM 131/A, CHM 132, CHM 151, CHM 152, GEL 111, GEL 230, PHY 110/110A.	Any	GEL 111	Any	Any

UNC's BS in Psychology requires CHM 151.

### One Additional Course (3-4 SHC)

Durham Tech Gen Ed Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
One additional course	PSY 241	PSY 241	PSY 241	PSY 241

## Other Required Hours (15 SHC):

Student should consult with his/her advisor. The listings here vary, based on the requirements of the selected university and the student's intended major.

### College Transfer Success Course (1 SHC)

Durham Tech Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
ACA 122 (This course should be taken in the student's first semester.)	ACA 122	ACA 122	ACA 122	ACA 122

### Foreign Language (0-11 SHC)

Durham Tech Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
FL 111/181, 112/182, 211 if needed to meet FL prerequisites.	As Needed	As Needed	As Needed	As Needed

### Additional Major Course(s)

Durham Tech Requirement	NCCU	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
Additional college level course(s) to complete the 15 SHC requirement.	PSY 281 HEA 110 PED 110	ENG 241 or 242 HIS 111 HUM 110 PSY 259 PSY 281	PSY 259 PSY 281	PSY 281

UNC's BS in Psychology requires CHM 151, MAT 271, and MAT 272.

UNCG's BS in Psychology requires additional math and science.