

2016/2017 Honours Psychology BA Requirement Checklist

This checklist is an unofficial version of the requirements listed in the undergraduate calendar for 2016-17 to help you track your course requirements. The undergraduate calendar <http://ugradcalendar.uwaterloo.ca/> is the final authority on all plan requirements and it is your responsibility to confirm that you meet all the degree requirements set out in the undergraduate calendar for the year of your academic plan. Students typically follow the academic calendar for the year they were admitted to their current Faculty.

Continuation in this academic plan requires a cumulative overall average of 60% in all courses, and a cumulative average in PSYCH courses of at least 70%. Eligibility for graduation in the Honours Psychology BA plan includes successful completion of the following requirements.

PSYCH courses – 16 PSYCH courses (8.0 units)

- ☐ Cumulative Psych average of at least 70%
- ☐ PSYCH 101/101R, Introductory Psychology _____ %
- ☐ 6 PSYCH discipline core courses
 - ☐ PSYCH 207, Cognitive Processes _____ %
 - ☐ PSYCH 211, Developmental Psych _____ %
 - ☐ PSYCH 238 or 338, Organizational Psych _____ %
 - ☐ PSYCH 253/253R or PSYCH 220R, Social Psych _____ %
 - ☐ PSYCH 257/257R or PSYCH 323R, Psychopathology _____ %
 - ☐ PSYCH 261, Physiological Psych _____ %
- ☐ PSYCH 291, Basic Research Methods _____ %
- ☐ PSYCH 292, Basic Data Analysis _____ %
- ☐ PSYCH 470, Special Topics in Applied Psychology or Research Seminar (PSYCH 420, 451, 453, 454, 455, 457, 458, 459, 461, 462, 463, 485):
PSYCH _____ %
- ☐ 5 additional PSYCH courses at the 300 level or above
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- ☐ 1 additional PSYCH course at any level: PSYCH _____ %

Optional Research Intensive Specialization – 4 additional PSYCH courses (2.0 units)

These courses do not count for the additional PSYCH courses at the 300+ level, but count for the unspecified electives.

- ☐ Cumulative Psych average of at least 75%
- ☐ PSYCH 391, Advanced Data Analysis _____ %
- ☐ PSYCH 389, Social Science Advanced Research Methods Topics _____ %
- ☐ PSYCH 390, Natural Science Advanced Research Methods Topics _____ %
- ☐ PSYCH 492, Psychological Measurement: Foundations of Research and Practice _____ %

Faculty of Arts Degree Requirements

☐ Cumulative Overall Average of at least 60%

☐ **Faculty of Arts Breadth Requirements:** 4.0 additional units (8 courses)

5.0 units of courses are required to complete the Arts Breadth Requirements and graduate with a BA degree, but 1.0 unit of PSYCH courses automatically count towards the Social Sciences requirement, so students enrolled in a Psychology program only need 4.0 additional units of courses to complete the Arts Breadth Requirements.

Social Sciences

1.0 unit (2 courses)

1. PSYCH 101

3. _____

2. PSYCH 291

4. _____

Fine, Performing, and Communication Arts

0.5 unit (1 course)

5. _____

Humanities

1.0 unit (2 courses)

6. _____

7. _____

Languages and Cultures

1.0 unit (2 courses)

8. _____

9. _____

Transdisciplinary Studies

0.5 unit (1 course) from:

10. _____

For a list of subjects that count towards each category, please visit:

<https://ugradcalendar.uwaterloo.ca/page/ARTS-BA-Breadth-Requirements>

You may reference the calendar for your admission year here:

<https://ugradcalendar.uwaterloo.ca/group/uWaterloo-List-of-Undergraduate-Calendars>

if the link above differs from the one you are using.

☐ **Unspecified electives:** 8.0 units (16 courses)

If completing the Research Intensive Specialization, you only need 6.0 units (12 courses) of unspecified electives.

_____, _____, _____, _____,
_____, _____, _____, _____,
_____, _____, _____, _____,
_____, _____, _____, _____.

☐ **English Language Proficiency Requirement (ELPR)**

Select your calendar year: <https://ugradcalendar.uwaterloo.ca/group/uWaterloo-List-of-Undergraduate-Calendars>, then click on Faculty of Arts, Arts Degree Requirements, and finally English Language Proficiency Requirement.

☐ **Successful completion of at least 20.0 units**

Do not write the same course twice, *i.e.*, you cannot use the same course for breadth requirements and unspecified electives. You need 40 different courses.