

ADVISING WORKSHEET for UMBC@USG PSYCHOLOGY BA STUDENTS

Student Name: _____ Date: _____ Previous Institution(s): _____

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UMBC Undergraduate Graduation Requirements

For additional information see the online catalog at <http://catalog.umbc.edu/>

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Requirement	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/>	120 Academic Credits (minimum)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	GPA 2.0 or higher	
<input type="checkbox"/>	45 Upper Level Credits (minimum)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	30 Credits in Residence (taken at UMBC); at least 15 must be upper-level credits	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Writing Intensive (WI) Course	
<input type="checkbox"/>	2 PE classes ¹ [Note that credits don't transfer since not academic courses]	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Transfer of a maximum of 60 credits from a 2-year school to UMBC and a maximum of 90 credits from a 4-year school or a combination of a 2-year/4-year combined.	

General Education Requirements

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Requirement	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENGL [Required for USG Program]	
<input type="checkbox"/>	AH (need 3 from at least 2 disciplines -- can complete at USG)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	SS (need 3 from at least 2 disciplines -- can complete at USG)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	M (Statistics is required for all students as a prerequisite for PSYC 311)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	BPS non-lab	
<input type="checkbox"/>	BPS with Lab	
<input type="checkbox"/>	C (can complete at USG)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	L(201) – completion up through the intermediate level or a language or equivalent. See http://mlli.umbc.edu/language-requirement/ for more information.	

Psychology B.A. Requirements

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	CORE REQUIREMENTS: Required for all PSYC Majors matriculating as of, or after Fall 2015²	
<input type="checkbox"/>	PSYC 100 → [MC: PSYC102, FCC: PS101]	
<input type="checkbox"/>	PSYC 211 OR PSYC 309 (or equivalent)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	PSYC 311	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DOMAINS: One course in each of the 6 Domains. No more than three courses at the 200-level	
<input type="checkbox"/>	DOMAIN: Learning & Cognition (L&C): PSYC 210, 316, 317, 360	
<input type="checkbox"/>	DOMAIN: Social, Personality, & Abnormal (SP&A): PSYC 285, 340, 380, 382	
<input type="checkbox"/>	DOMAIN: Biological Bases of Behavior (BBB): PSYC 335, 370, 375, 390	
<input type="checkbox"/>	DOMAIN: Developmental (DEV): PSYC 200, 304, 305, 306, 307, 365	
<input type="checkbox"/>	DOMAIN: Culture, Diversity & Context (CD&C): PSYC 230, 330, 356, 357, 387	
<input type="checkbox"/>	DOMAIN: Applied Psychology (AP): PSYC 308, 320, 324, 342, 345, 346, 385	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	UPPER-LEVEL PSYCHOLOGY COURSES: 2 additional upper-level Psychology courses, at least one of which must be 400-level. Exclusions: PSYC 397, 398, 399, 490, 498, 499	
<input type="checkbox"/>	300 OR 400 Level: PSYC _____ (300-level can be a 2 nd course from a Domain)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	400 Level: PSYC _____ After completing PSYC 311 (or PSYC 322) with "C" or higher	

¹ Gen Ed Courses listed in **boldface** are not offered at the USG campus. For major, no 100- or 200-level courses are offered at USG either.

² As of Spring 2015 the PSYC 211→PSYC 311 sequence replaced PSYC 331→332. In Fall 2016, PSYC 309 was included as PSYC 211 alt.

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List of Domain Courses:

<input type="checkbox"/> Learning and Cognition (L&C)	<input type="checkbox"/> Social, Personality, and Abnormal (SP&A)
PSYC 210 Learning (MC: PSYC 228)	PSYC 285 Abnormal (MC: PSYC 221, FCC: PS206)
PSYC 316 Language and Thought	PSYC 340 Social (MC: PSYC 211, FCC: PS202)
PSYC 317 Cognitive Psychology	PSYC 380 Personality (MC: PSYC 204)
PSYC 360 Motivation	PSYC 382 Child and Adolescent Psychopathology
<input type="checkbox"/> Biological Bases of Behavior (BBB)	<input type="checkbox"/> Culture, Diversity & Context (CD&C)
PSYC 335 Physiological Psychology	PSYC 230 Psychology and Culture (MC: PSYC 224)
PSYC 370 Sensation & Perception	PSYC 330 Child Development and Culture
PSYC 375 Neuroanatomy	PSYC 356 The Psychology of Sex and Gender
PSYC 390 Neuropsychopharmacology	PSYC 357 Psychology of Women (MC: PSYC 207)
	PSYC 387 Community Psychology (MC: PSYC 227)
<input type="checkbox"/> Developmental (DEV)	<input type="checkbox"/> Applied (AP)
PSYC 200 Child Developmental Psyc (MC: PSYC 215)	PSYC 308 Child Maltreatment
PSYC 304 Adolescent Psyc (MC: PSYC 216)	PSYC 320 Psychological Assessment
PSYC 305 The Exceptional Child	PSYC 324 Introduction to Interviewing Techniques
PSYC 306 Lifespan Human Development (MC: PSYC 203)	PSYC 342 Aggression and Anti-Social Behavior
PSYC 307 Psychology of Aging	PSYC 345 Introduction to Clinical Psychology and Psychotherapy
PSYC 365 Children with Disabilities	PSYC 346 Industrial/Organizational Psychology
	PSYC 385 Health Psychology

General UMBC Notes:

- UMBC requires a *minimum* of 120 academic credits for graduation; of those credits:
 - *At least 45 must be upper level credits* (courses numbered at the 300-level or above)
 - *At least 30 must be from UMBC* (referred to as resident credit); of those, at least 15 must be upper-level credits
- Students may transfer a maximum of 60 credits from a 2-year school to UMBC and a maximum of 90 credits from a 4-year school.
- Students must complete 2 PE classes (credits don't count towards the degree)
- Students must complete at least one Writing Intensive (WI-designated) course while at UMBC

Psychology Program Notes:

- Psychology majors at UMBC must complete at least 18 credits in Psychology at UMBC
- Psychology majors are urged to take the Research Methods courses in sequence their junior year (for students matriculating on or after Spring 2015, the course sequence is PSYC 211 or PSYC 309 then PSYC 311. The second course in the sequence is the prerequisite for all 400-level Psychology courses.
- PSYC 312 (not required and not listed above) is recommended for all students interested in applying to graduate school programs.
- 400-level courses are not listed above but can be found in the UMBC course catalog at <http://catalog.umbc.edu>.
- No grade lower than a "C" in any course will be counted toward the required 36 total credits for the Psychology major.
- Math Recommendation – While students who transfer from MC may use MATH 110 (or MA110) to fulfill the Gen Ed Math requirements, MATH117 (or MA 116) or an equivalent statistics course is required for the major.
- Internships and research experience, though not required, are highly recommended.