

QUEENS COLLEGE PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

36 credits; 18 must be taken at QC. For matriculation of Fall 2013 or after. Updated October 2023.

| Course # | Course Name | Credits | Prerequisites | Min. Grade |
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| REQUIRED: THE FOLLOWING THREE COURSES | | | | |
| 101 | General Psychology | 4 | None | C |
| 1073 & 1071* | Statistical Methods | 4 | None; 1073/1 are corequisites | C |
| 213W* | Experimental Psychology | 4 | 101 AND 1073/1 AND ENG 110 | C |
| REQUIRED: ONE ADVANCED EXP COURSE (MUST BE TAKEN AT QC) | | | | |
| 311 | Advanced Experimental: Learning | 4 | 101, 1073/1, AND 213W | C |
| 312 | Advanced Experimental: Sensation/Perception | 4 | 101, 1073/1, AND 213W | C |
| 313 | Advanced Experimental: Cognition | 4 | 101, 1073/1, AND 213W | C |
| 314 | Advanced Experimental: Social-Personality | 4 | 101, 1073/1, & 213W, AND 232 or 238 | C |
| 316 | Advanced Experimental: Neurobiology | 4 | 101, 1073/1, & 213W, AND 243 or BIO 373 | C |
| 317 | Advanced Exp: Applied Behavior Analysis | 4 | 101, 1073/1, & 213W, AND 251 | C |
| 319 | Advanced Experimental: Human Memory | 4 | 101, 1073/1, AND 213W | C |
| 321 | Advanced Experimental: Clinical | 4 | 101, 1073/1, AND 213W AND 221 | C |
| REQUIRED: 5 LOWER ELECTIVES | | | | |
| 103 | Pleasure and Pain | 3 | None | C- |
| 214 | Developmental Psych: Infancy & Childhood | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 215 | Developmental Psych: Adolescence | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 216 | Developmental Psych: Adulthood & Aging | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 217 | Developmental Psych: Lifespan | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 221 | Psychopathology | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 226 | Intro to Industrial & Organizational Psych | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 231 | Psychology of Human Motivation | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 232 | Psychology of Personality | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 238 | Social Behavior | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 243 | Intro to Behavioral Neuroscience | 3 | 101 or BIO 108 | C- |
| 248 | History & Systems of Psychology | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 251 | Intro to Learning & Behavioral Analysis | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 255 | Health Psychology | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 256 | Psychology of Addiction | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 257 | Psychology of Sport & Exercise | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 259 | LGBTIQ Psychology | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 260 | Sensation & Perception | 3 | 101 | C- |
| 281 | Problems in Psychology (topics vary) | 1-3 | 101 | C- |
| 355 | Academic Advising Practicum | 1 | special permission | C- |
| 356 | Academic Advising Advanced Practicum | 1 | 355 | C- |
| 372** | Autism Practicum | 3 | 213W & SIBS special permission | C- |
| 373** | Autism Advanced Practicum | 3 | 372 & instructor permission | C- |
| 391** | Special Problems | 1-3 | 101 & special permission | C- |
| REQUIRED: 2 UPPER ELECTIVES (more can be taken; subtract from lower electives) | | | | |
| 323 | Psychometrics | 3 | 101 AND 1073/1 | C- |
| 334 | Development of Perception & Cognition | 3 | 101 AND 214 OR 217 | C- |
| 337 | Evolutionary Psychology | 3 | 101 & ONE OF: 221, 243, 214, 217, 232 | C- |
| 341 | Introduction to Psychoanalytic Theory | 3 | 101 AND 221 AND 232 | C- |
| 345 | Cognitive Neuroscience | 3 | 101 AND 243 or BIO 373 | C- |
| 346 | Neuroscience of Memory | 3 | 101, AND 243 or BIO 373 | C- |
| 347 | Clinical Psychology | 3 | 101 AND 221 | C- |
| 349 | Disorders of Childhood & Adolescence | 3 | 101, 221, AND 214 or 215 or 217 | C- |
| 352 | Psychopharmacology | 3 | 101, AND 243 or BIO 373 | C- |
| 353 | Psychology of Sex and Gender | 3 | 101, 214 or 215 or 216 or 217, & 221 or 232 | C- |
| 357 | Intellectual Disabilities | 3 | 101 & 214 or 217, & 221 or 251 | C- |
| 358 | Autism | 3 | 101 & 214 or 217, & 221 or 251 | C- |
| 359 | Developmental Disabilities | 3 | 101, AND 214 OR 217 | C- |
| 360 | Contemporary Psychotherapies | 3 | 101, 221 & ONE OF: 232, 317, 341, 347 | C- |
| 362 | Organizational Performance Management | 3 | 101 AND 226 | C- |
| 374 | Culturally Responsive Family Support Practicum | 3 | 213W AND completion of interview | C- |
| 375 | Close Relationships | 3 | 213W AND 232 OR 238 | C- |
| 381 | Advanced Special Topics (topics vary) | 1-3 | determined by the instructor | C- |

POLICIES:

The required minimum total of Psychology credits is 36 (at least 18 must be taken in-residence at QC).

Minimum grade requirements: A grade of C or better in PSYCH 101, 1073 & 1071, 213W and Advanced Exp (311-321) is required. Psych electives require a grade of C-

Special rules for 1073/1071, AND 213W: You may take each course two times maximum. This policy applies to everyone. Psych majors who do not earn a C in these courses within two takings will not be able to continue as a Psych major.

***Core course sequences:** Students must meet minimum grades before progressing in the sequence. A grade of C in PSYCH 1073 & 1071 is required to take 213W. A grade of C in PSYCH 213W is required to take Advanced Experimental.

****A maximum of 9 credits for any combination of the following courses can be applied toward the major: PSYCH 372, 373, 391, 392.**

OTHER INFORMATION:

Registration:

Spring and Summer registration typically opens in Oct/Nov. Fall registration typically opens in March/April. Registration dates are subject to change by Registrar.

Transfer Students:

- Students needing Psych course transfer evaluations should go to:
<https://www.qc.cuny.edu/academics/psychology/academic-advising-transfer-students/>
and click Transfer Credit Evaluation Form.
- 18 Psych credits (including the Advanced Exp course) must be taken at QC

Financial Aid:

Repeating a course or taking extra electives may have Financial Aid implications. Consult with the Financial Aid office when making decisions to enroll, swap or withdraw from a course.

Repeating Courses:

- The CUNY grade replacement policy is complex. Ask a Peer Advisor for information on repeating courses.
- 1073/1 and 213W may be repeated only one time.

P/NC

You may not P/NC any Psychology courses.

General Degree Requirements:

Any questions about your degree (outside of your Psych major/minor) should be discussed with the QC Academic Advising Center.