OLD DOMINION UNIVERSITY 2011-2012 Catalog
Bachelor of Science-Psychology Major
with VCCS equivalencies in (parentheses)
(* indicates not automatically waived with transferrable associates degree, C or better required for transfer.

LOWER DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION
A. Skills
Written Communication
ENGL 110C ______ 3 (ENG 111)
ENGL 211C, 221C, or 231C ______ 3 (See transfer guide)

Oral Communication
COMM 101R or 112R ______ 3 (CST 100, 105, 110 or 126)

Mathematics
STAT 130M or higher required ______ 3 (See transfer guide)
(C or better required)*
*MATH 162M or higher may be substituted.

Language and Culture
Proficiency through 102F ______ 0-6 (See transfer guide)

Information Literacy and Research
CS 120G, 121G, or IT 150G ______ 3 (See transfer guide)

B. Ways of Knowing
Human Creativity ______ 3 (See transfer guide)
ARTH 121A, ARTS 122A, MUSC 264A, DANC 185A, THEA 241A, COMM/THEA 270A

Interpreting the Past ______ 3 (See transfer guide)
HIST 100H, 101H, 102H, 103H, 104H, or 105H

Literature ______ 3 (See transfer guide)
ENGL 112L, 114L, or FLET 100L

Philosophy & Ethics ______ 3 (See transfer guide)
PHIL 110P, 120P, 140P, 230E, 250E, 303E, 344E, 345E, 441E, or 442E

The Nature of Science

Human Behavior ______ 3 (See transfer guide)
AAST 100S; ANTR 110S; COMM 200S; CRJS 215S; ECON 200S, 201S, 203S, 205S; FIN 210S, GEOG 100S, 101S; POLS 100S, 101S, 102S; SOC201S; WMST 201S (PSYC 201S and 203S may not be used to satisfy this requirement)

Impact of Technology ______ 3 (See transfer guide)
COMM 372T, CS 300T, DNTH 440T, or ENGL 307T, GEOG 306T, HIST 300T, 304T, 308T, 386T, 389T, IT 360T, MUSC 335T, SCI 302T, PHIL 383T, POLS 350T, STEM 110T, 370T, or WMST 390T

Departmental Requirements for the major in Psychology (38 hours) A grade of C or better is required in all psychology courses counted toward the major.
PSYC 201S Intro to Psychology ______ 3 (PSY 200, 201, 202)*
PSYC 317 Quantitative Methods ______ 4
PSYC 318W Experimental Methods ______ 4

Students must also take at least one course from Area I:
Area I (Foundation Courses) PSYC 410, 413, 414, 424, or 430 ______ 3

Students must also select at least one course from three of the five other areas:
Area II (Development) PSYC 321, 322, 334, 351, 352, or 353 ______ 3
Area III (Social/Personality) PSYC 304, 308, 311, 363, or 408 ______ 3
Area IV (Clinical) PSYC 306, 325, 405, 412, or 461 ______ 3
Area V (Cultural Context) PSYC 323, 403, 420, 431, or 460 ______ 3
Area VI (Industrial/Organizational) PSYC 303, 343, 344, or 345 ______ 3
PSYC Electives ______ 15

Total (minimum) 38 credit hours

Interest Area in Clinical Psychology. The undergraduate interest area in clinical psychology was designed for students who wish to develop cognitive and behavioral competencies at the bachelor’s level of mental health specialization. In addition to the required courses for the psychology major listed previously, students are encouraged to include the following in the 38-credit hours required for the major:
PSYC 203S, 304, 321, or 322 ______ 3 (PSY 230, 231, 232, 235)*
PSYC 369 Practicum Clinical Psyc ______ 3
PSYC 371 Clinical Supervision ______ 1
PSYC 405 Abnormal Psychology ______ 3
PSYC 408 Theories of Personality ______ 3
PSYC 412 Psychological Tests ______ 3

Interest Area in Industrial/Organizational Psychology. The undergraduate interest area in industrial/organizational psychology is designed for psychology majors who have a special interest in industrial, engineering, and organizational psychology. In addition to the required courses for the psychology major listed previously, students are encouraged to include the following in the 38-credit hours required for the major:
PSYC 303 Industrial/Organizational Psychology ______ 3
PSYC 343 Personnel Psychology ______ 3
PSYC 344 Human Factors ______ 3
PSYC 345 Organizational Psychology ______ 3

Interest Area in Applied Experimental Psychology.
The undergraduate interest area in applied experimental psychology is designed for majors who want to apply for graduate school in one of the following applied research fields: health, community, developmental, social, cognitive or quantitative. In addition to the required courses for the psychology major listed previously, students are encouraged to include the following in the 38-credit hours required for the major:
PSYC 495 Topics in Psychology ______ 3
One additional Area I course (PSYC 410, 413, 414, or 424) ______ 3
PSYC 497 or 498 Undergraduate Supervised Research ______ 3
PSYC 412 or 417 Psychological Testing or Advanced Statistics ______ 3

UPPER DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION
Option A. Approved Disciplinary Minor or second degree or second major
Option B. Interdisciplinary Minor (specifically 12 hours, 3 of which may be in the major)
Option C. International Business and Regional Courses or an approved Certification Program such as teaching licensure
Option D. Two Upper-Division Courses from outside the College of Sciences and required by the major (6 hours)