

The following table outlines how transfer credits will be applied to the Bachelor of Arts in Psychology degree at Youngstown State University for students who completed an Associate of Arts degree via the Ohio Guaranteed Psychology (AA to BA) Transfer Pathway. The OGTP designation guarantees the transfer and applicability of credits, but does not guarantee admission to a program. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive, and students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

COURSE EQUIVALENCIES FROM THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE	Course Number	Credit Hours
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS/OHIO TRANSFER 36		
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved First Writing (TME001) course	ENGL 1550	3
Introductory Statistics (TMM010) recommended ¹	STAT 2601	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Humanities related)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
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Introduction to Psychology (OSS015)	PSYC 1560	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course (outside of psychology)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Natural Sciences course with or without lab	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Biological Sciences course with lab	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3-4
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Second Writing (TME002) course	ENGL 1551	3
Up to 9 additional hours of Ohio Transfer 36 approved courses	Ohio Transfer 36 Electives*	9
PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR		
Introduction to Psychology (OSS015) (counted as part of the Ohio Transfer 36)	PSYC 1560	0
Social Psychology (OSS016)	PSYC 3700	3
Abnormal Psychology (OSS017)	PSYC 3702	3
Psychology of Personality (OSS018)	PSYC 3775	3
One Human Development or Lifespan Development Course from the list below. If no course equivalence at the receiving institution, course will transfer as a major elective. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child Development Course (OSS045) • Lifespan Development Course (OSS048) • Adolescent Development Course (OSS046) • Child and Adolescent Development Course (OSS049) • Adulthood and Aging Course (OSS047) 	PSYC 3755 (OSS045), PSYC 3756 (OSS046), PSYC 3757 (OSS047), or PSYC 3758 (OSS048)	3
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS		
Foreign Language	Varies*	6-8
Electives	Varies*	3-6
TOTAL HOURS FROM ASSOCIATE DEGREE		60-65
Advising Notes: (*) Indicates that coursework will be evaluated for applicable equivalency upon transfer at the university. If a Transfer Assurance Guide (TAG) course is taken, the approved course equivalency will be awarded. ¹ Youngstown State University will also accept Quantitative Reasoning (TMM011) as satisfying the mathematics requirement.		

SPECIAL NOTES

Students with plans of pursuing a pre-professional track such as pre-medicine or graduate studies in the future should work closely with their academic advisor and receiving institution starting in the first year of their program in order to adequately prepare themselves for those types of tracks.



Youngstown State University
Psychology
 Associate of Arts to
 Bachelor of Arts

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The following additional coursework will be required to complete the Bachelor of Arts in Psychology degree at Youngstown State University after a student has completed their Associate of Arts Ohio Guaranteed Psychology (AA to BA) Transfer Pathway degree. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive and admission into the program is not guaranteed. Students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

REMAINING COURSEWORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE		Course Number	Credit Hours
Major Requirements:	Research Methods for Psychology	PSYC 2617	3
Major Requirements:	Statistics for Psychology + Lab	PSYC 2618	4
Major Requirements:	Capstone or Thesis	PSYC 4890 or PSYC 4895	2
Major Requirements:	Psychology of Learning + Lab or Cognition + Lab	PSYC 3705 or PSYC 3761	4
Major Requirements:	Physiological Psychology or Psychophysiological	PSYC 3728 or PSYC 3710	3
Major Requirements:	Additional Lab	Varies	1
Major Requirements:	Elective Psychology Courses	Varies	12
Minor:	Complete minor in another department	Varies	18
Electives:	Upper-division Electives	Varies	11
REMAINING COURSEWORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:¹			58
Advising Notes: ¹ Students must complete at least 39 hours of coursework must be upper-division (3700 or higher). Youngstown State University requires a total of 120 credit hours to earn a bachelor's degree. The total number of hours to complete a bachelor's degree represents a range of hours that may be needed depending on the individual course selections made during the associate degree program.			

COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE	Total Credit Hours
BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:	120

SPECIAL NOTES

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SAMPLE DEGREE MAP

THIRD YEAR

SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
PSYC 2617 Research Methods for Psychology	3	PSYC 2618 Statistics for Psychology + Lab	4
PSYC 3728 Physiological Psychology or PSYC 3710 Psychophysiological	3	PSYC 3761 Cognition + Lab or PSYC 3705 Learning + Lab	4
Minor Course	3	Minor Course	3
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Upper-division Elective	3		
Total Semester 5 Credit Hours	15	Total Semester 6 Credit Hours	14

FOURTH YEAR

SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
Psychology Elective	3	PSYC 4890 or PSYC 4895 Capstone / Thesis	2
Psychology Elective	3	Psychology Elective	3
Minor Course	3	Psychology Elective	3
Minor Course	3	Upper-division Electives	5
Upper-division Elective	3	Additional Lab	1
Total Semester 7 Credit Hours	15	Total Semester 8 Credit Hours	14