

Psychology Transfer Pathway, AA-P Central Lakes College

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With this transfer pathway, you will be able to transfer to the following majors:

At Bemidji State University: Minimum transfer GPA: Cumulative GPA of 2.25 or higher

- BA Psychology
- BS Psychology
- Minimum admission to major GPA: Major courses with a "C" or higher

At Metropolitan State University: Minimum transfer GPA: Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher

- BA Psychology
- Minimum admission to major GPA: Foundation Courses with "C-" or higher

At Minnesota State University, Mankato: Minimum transfer GPA: A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5

- BA Psychology
- BS Psychology
- Minimum admission to major GPA: A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 (C) is required, including PSYC 201 Statistics with a grade of C or better

At Minnesota State University, Moorhead: Minimum transfer GPA: A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0

- BA Psychology
- Minimum admission to major GPA: none stated

At Southwest Minnesota State University: Minimum transfer GPA: Grades must transfer to other institutions

- BA Psychology
- Minimum admission to major GPA: A grade of "C-" or better is required for major or minor coursework applied toward a degree from the Psychology Program

At St. Cloud State University: Minimum transfer GPA: Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5

- BA Psychology
- Minimum admission to major GPA: None stated

At Winona State University: Minimum transfer GPA: Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.4

- BA Psychology-Option A
- BA Psychology-Option B
- Minimum admission to major GPA: completion of specific courses with "C" or higher

Here is the recommended course of study for the Psychology (Minnesota State Transfer Pathway), AA-P. Note that not all courses will be available every semester. You will notice that in many instances you will be able to choose the specific course you will take from within a category. For a list of the courses from each category that you can choose from, go to the Associate in Arts Degree Program Planner.

Central Lakes College Sample Full-Time Pathway

Semester 1 (15 credits)		Goal Area/ Major Requirement
Credits	Course	
3	PSYC 1423 Positive Psychology	5, 9, Major (elective)
4	ENGL 1410 Composition I	1, M
3	COMM 1420 Interpersonal Communication or COMM 1410 Intro to Communication	1, M
3	Student Success course (Recommended - CCST 1510 College Success Skills)	Student Success
2	Choose any PHED or HLTH course (Recommended – PHED 1594 Fitness for Life)	Fitness for Life
<i>*If your assessment scores indicate that you must take a pre-requisite MATH course(s) prior to entry into College Algebra or Introduction to Statistics, alter the schedule shown to allow for completion during first semester(s).</i>		
Semester 2 (15 credits)		Goal Area/ Major Requirement
Credits	Course	
4	PSYC 2421 General Psychology or PSYC 2423 Honors General Psychology	2, 5, M
4	ENGL 1411 Composition II	1
3	Choose 1 course from Goal 5 (not PSYC)	5
3	MATH 1470 College Algebra or MATH 1460 Introduction to Statistics	4, M
1	Elective	
Semester 3 (15 credits)		Goal Area/ Major Requirement
Credits	Course	
4	PSYC 2427 Statistics for Behavioral Sciences	5, M
3	1 course in BIOL (Recommended – BIOL 1404 Human Biology or BIOL 2411 Biology of Women)	3, 7 Lab
3	PSYC 2431 Human Development or PSYC 2470 Abnormal Psychology	5, M or 5, 7, M
3	Choose 1 course to meet Goal Areas 6 & 8 (Choose from: MUSC 1450, ENGL 1450, ARTS 2490, SPAN 2420, or THTR 1451)	6, 8
2	Elective	
Semester 4 (15 credits)		Goal Area/ Major Requirement
Credits	Course	
3	1 course in PHIL (Strongly recommended – PHIL 2420 Ethics)	6, 9
3	Choose 1 course to meet Goal 6 (If you have not yet met the Goal 7 requirement, choose a Goal 6/7 course)	6
3	Choose 1 additional Goal 3 Science course (Recommended – choose 1 course to meet Goals 3 & 10)	3, Lab or Non-lab
3		Elective
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Total Credits: 60		

Central Lakes College Sample Part-Time Pathway

Semester 1 (8 credits)

Credits	Course	Goal Area/ Major Requirement
3	PSYC 1423 Positive Psychology	5, 9, Major (elective)
3	Student Success course (Recommended – CCST 1510 College Success Skills)	Student Success
2	Choose any PHED or HLTH course (Recommended – PHED 1594 Fitness for Life)	Fitness for Life

**If your assessment scores indicate that you must take a pre-requisite MATH course(s) prior to entry into College Algebra or Introduction to Statistics, alter the schedule shown to allow for completion during first semester(s).*

Semester 2 (8 credits)

Credits	Course	Goal Area/ Major Requirement
4	PSYC 2421 General Psychology or PSYC 2423 Honors General Psychology	2, 5, M
4	ENGL 1410 Composition I	1, M

Semester 3 (7 credits)

Credits	Course	Goal Area/ Major Requirement
4	ENG 1411 Composition II	1
3	MATH 1470 College Algebra or MATH 1460/MATH 1461 Introduction to Statistics	4, M

Semester 4 (9 credits)

Credits	Course	Goal Area/ Major Requirement
3	PSYC 2431 Human Development or PSYC 2470 Abnormal Psychology	5, M or 5, 7, M
3	Choose a course from Goal 5 (not PSYC)	5
3	1 course in BIOL (Recommended: BIOL 1404 Human Biology or BIOL 2411 Biology of Women)	3, 7 Lab

Semester 5 (10 credits)

Credits	Course	Goal Area/ Major Requirement
4	PSYC 2427 Statistics for Behavioral Sciences	5, M
3	Choose 1 course in PHIL (Strongly recommended – PHIL 2420 Ethics)	6, 9
3	Elective	

Semester 6 (9 credits)

Credits	Course	Goal Area/ Major Requirement
3	COMM 1420 Interpersonal Communication or COMM 1410 Introduction to Communication	1, M
3	Choose 1 course to meet Goal areas 6 & 8 (Choose from: MUSC 1450, ENGL 1450, ARTS 2490, SPAN 2420, or THTR 1451)	6, 8
3	Elective	

Semester 7 (9 credits)

Credits	Course	Goal Area/ Major Requirement
3	Choose 1 course to meet Goal 6	6
3	Choose 1 additional Goal 3 Science course (Suggested: choose 1 course to meet Goals 3 & 10)	3, Lab or Non-lab
3	Elective	

Total Credits: 60

PLEASE NOTE:

Four Psychology courses are required within the AA-P Degree: 1) PSYC 2421 General Psychology or PSYC 2423 Honors General Psychology; 2) PSYC 2427 Statistics for Behavioral Sciences; 3) PSYC 2431 Human Development or PSYC 2470 Abnormal Psychology; 4) any additional course taught by the Psychology Department (this may be from 3 above or a different Psychology course). Psychology courses beyond the four required courses are not guaranteed to transfer into a Psychology Program in Minnesota State. Required courses must be completed successfully according to the transfer University's standards AND address the required competencies in the transfer pathway for Psychology.

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These requirements apply to new students, and students who have been absent from this college one academic year or longer.

- At least one semester before you plan to graduate, complete an Application to Graduate.
- A total of 60 college level credits with a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher are required for an Associate in Arts Psychology Transfer Pathway Degree.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher in all Minnesota Transfer Curriculum courses is required to complete the MnTC.
- 15 credits must be earned at Central Lakes College to be eligible for an Associate in Arts Degree.
- Classes may meet requirements for more than one goal area, but credit will not be awarded for any course twice.

MINNESOTA TRANSFER CURRICULUM GOALS

Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC) courses with passing grades transfer and apply to the MnTC.

Goal 1 – Communications (9-11 credits)

ENGL 1410 or ENGL 1420 (4)
 ENGL 1411 or ENGL 1421 (4)
And one additional course Goal 1 course:
COMM 1420 INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION (3)
 OR COMM 1410 INTRODUCTION TO COMMUNICATION

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Goal 9 – Ethic & Civic Responsibility (1 course)
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Goal 10 – People & the Environment (1 course)
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Goal 2 – Critical Thinking (1 course)

PSYC 2421 GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY (OR PSYC 2423) (DD)

If you fulfill the 10 goal areas in fewer than 40 semester credits, select courses from any of the goals to achieve the 40 credit total.

Goal 3 – Natural Sciences (6 credits)

(2 disciplines recommended, including one analytical lab course)
 Strongly recommend 1 course in BIOL (with lab) (3)
 (Suggested: BIOL 2411 or 1404)
 Suggested: 1 course to fulfill Goals 3 and 10 (3)

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Total (40 credits minimum)
Fitness for Life (2 credits)

Goal 4 – Math/Logical Reasoning (3 credits)

MATH 1470 COLLEGE ALGEBRA (3-4)
 OR MATH 1460 INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS

Student Success (1-3 credits)
 Suggested: CCST 1510 COLLEGE SUCCESS SKILLS (3)

Goal 5 – History/Social Behavioral Sciences (9 credits)

(2 disciplines required, 3 recommended)
PSYC 2421 GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY (OR PSYC 2423) (4)
PSYC 2437 STATISTICS FOR BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (4)
 Choose 1 course from another discipline (not PSYC) (3)

General Electives (15-17 credits)
PSYC 2431 HUMAN DEVELOPMENT (3)
 OR PSYC 2470 ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY
 And 1 additional PSYC course (3)
 (Choose from PSYC 1423, 1425, 2435;
 OR 2431/2470 if not taken above)

Goal 6 – Humanities & Fine Arts (9 credits)

(2 disciplines required, 3 recommended)
 Strongly recommend 1 course in PHIL (3)
 (Suggested: PHIL 2420 Ethics)

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Goal 7 – Human Diversity (1 course)

Goal 8 – Global Perspective (1 course)

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