

## PSYCHOLOGY

### Associate of Arts

64 credit hours

The Associate of Arts in Psychology is designed to introduce students to the knowledge and skills necessary to enter the field of psychology. The Associate of Arts in Psychology articulates into the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science in Psychology at the ENMU Portales campus. Psychology required that practitioners receive graduate level training in order to practice professionally.

Upon completion of the degree students will be able to:

- Describe key concepts, principles, and overarching themes in psychology.
- Describe applications of psychology.
- Use scientific reasoning to interpret psychological phenomena.
- Demonstrate psychology information literacy.
- Engage in innovative and integrative thinking and problem solving.

*\*Additional hours may be required for program requirements for transfer students who are NMGEC complete.*

*Any student who is ineligible for state, national, or industry licensure or certification is ineligible for entry into this program.*

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#### Institutional and Related Requirements – 9 hours

ENGL 1110 – Composition I (3)  
FYEX 1110 – First-Year Seminar (3)  
BCIS 1115 – Introduction to Computers (3) **OR**  
BUSA 1110 – Introduction to Business (3)

*Note: If institutional/related requirements are waived, additional elective courses will be needed to meet the minimum hours required for the degree.*

#### Program Requirements – 23 hours

BIOL 1110/L – General Biology/Lab (4)  
PSYC 1110 – Intro to Psychology (3)  
PSYC 2110 – Social Psychology (3)  
PSYC 2120 – Developmental Psychology (3)  
PSYC 2130 – Adolescent Psychology (3)  
PSYC 2140 – Child Psychology (3)  
MATH 1350 – Introduction to Statistics (4)

#### New Mexico General Education Curriculum (NMGEC) – 32 Hours (as itemized below)

Communications – 6 hours  
Mathematics – 4 hours  
Science – 4 hours  
Social and Behavioral Sciences – 3 hours  
Humanities – 3 hours  
Creative and Fine Arts – 3 hours  
Flexible Nine – 9 hours