

PSYCHOLOGY



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The latest issue of Cosmo just came out, and you can't wait to take this month's quiz: "Do you really care what other people think about you?" Well, do you? Whatever your answer, your interest in this quiz could be an indication that you have more than a casual curiosity as to what makes people's minds tick. And that inquisitiveness could very well be your first stepping-stone on a career path in psychology.

While the most common career in psychology is counseling, did you know there are numerous other facets in this exciting field? Many individuals who have a degree in psychology become industrial psychologists, teachers, social workers, lawyers, doctors, police officers and human resources managers, to name a few.

Psychology at King's

One of the many benefits of attending a small college is the small class sizes. By having an average of 16 students per class, our professors will

have the time to provide you with individual attention. This personalized approach will allow you to explore the subdisciplines of psychology and choose the specialty area that is right for you.

Psychology at King's provides opportunities for hands on research projects, internships, and other ways for students to match their interests and talents. These prepare them for entrance into the workplace or continuing onto graduate studies.

Concentration Areas and Second Majors

Many psychology majors choose to specialize their skills by focusing their studies in a particular area. These specialization areas include:

- business/human resources
- clinical/counseling
- neurobehavioral

Through careful course scheduling, some psychology students also opt to take a second major. While coupling psychology with any of the 35 majors

at King's is possible, the majority of psychology majors choose second majors in:

- criminal justice
- neuroscience
- sociology

Internships

While you are still a student at King's, we encourage you to complete an internship in order to gain real world experience and preparation for graduate school. Some of the internship settings are:

- psychiatric hospitals
- domestic violence centers
- government agencies such as the CIA and local police forces

Jobs and Graduate School

Some of the worksites and graduate schools where our alumni have found success include:

- First Hospital of the Wyoming Valley
- Northeast Counseling Services
- Ph.D. programs at several colleges and universities

To learn more about majoring in Psychology at King's College, please contact the Office of Admission at 1-888-KINGS PA or admissions@kings.edu.

Psychology (120 Credit Hours - B.A. or B.S.)

Suggested Sequence

- Use the information below as a guide when selecting courses.
- Consult your Academic Advisor prior to course registration.
- Refer to the King's College Catalog and/or website for course titles and descriptions.
- Choose one course from each CORE category as listed for Psychology Majors
 - CORE courses may be taken in any order approved by the academic advisor with the following conditions:
 - CORE 100 and CORE 110 should be taken in the first year.
 - CORE 115 (or 116) should be taken within the first two years (As well as CORE 120 if following B.A. track).
 - For students selecting a Foreign Language (CORE 14x), every effort should be made to register for that language in the first semester at King's.

1 st Year - Fall		1 st Year - Spring	
	cr.		cr.
CORE 154 Introduction to Psychology	3	CORE*	3
CORE*	3	CORE	3
CORE	3	CORE	3
CORE	3	CORE	3
CORE	3	CORE	3
CORE 090 First Year Experience	1		
	16		15
2 nd Year – Fall		2 nd Year – Spring	
PSYC 220 Psychological Statistics	3	PSYC 221 Research Methods	4
PSYC Category I, II, III, IV, or IV	3	PSYC Category I, II, III, IV, or IV	3
CORE*	3	CORE	3
CORE	3	Free Elective*	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3
	15		16
3 rd Year – Fall		3 rd Year – Spring	
PSYC Category I, II, III, IV, or IV	3	PSYC Category I, II, III, IV, or IV	3
PSYC Elective	3	PSYC Elective	3
CORE	3	CORE*	3
Free Elective*	3	CORE	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3
	15		15
4 th Year – Fall		4 th Year – Spring	
PSYC 450 Senior Seminar	3	PSYC Elective	3
PSYC Category I, II, III, IV, or IV	3	CORE	3
CORE	3	Free Elective	3
Free Elective*	3	Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	1
	15		13
Total Credits Required for Graduation = 120			

*Replaced with Science Elective when following Bachelor of Science Psychology track