



# PSYCHOLOGY



You want to learn, grow, connect to new people and experiences, and be ready to get a good job and have a great career. That's why you need a school that is flexible, accessible, and focused on YOU.

Being part of the Raven Nation means you're surrounded by a community of support, inside and outside the classroom. We are here for you from day one. We will accept, support, and mentor you along your journey, and we will never stop helping you discover new pathways and opportunities. As you set your goals, we'll work with you to harness and unleash your unique potential in the world.

With **PATHS@PIERCE**, we work with you to make sure the Three P's are personalized to you!

**PROGRAMS:** Any undergraduate major you choose will offer a pathway to a graduate program or defined career path

**PLATFORMS:** Combine in-person and online learning to create a flexible schedule that works for you!

**PACE:** Want to graduate and enter the workforce sooner? We have accelerated options. Need to slow down this semester due to sports or other commitments? We will make it work!

***At FPU, the sky's the limit. Even better, it's very much within reach.***



Applying is fast and easy! Learn more about applying.



100% of accepted students receive financial aid and personalized financial planning! Learn more about tuition and financial aid.



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Recommended Curriculum Guide – Psychology					
<b>First Year</b>					
<i>Fall Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>	<i>Spring Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>
PS101	Introduction to Psychology	3	PS230 or PS231	Child and Adolescent Development or Adult Development and Aging	3
BI101 or AN102 or _____	Biology I (laboratory) or Human Origins++ or other GLE Lab Science	4	BI102 or _____	Biology II (laboratory)++ or other General Education Lab Science	4
GLE101	First-Year Inquiry	3	_____	GLE Elective	3
GLE110	First-Year Composition	3	_____	GLE Elective	3
_____	Elective	3	_____	Elective	3
Total		16	Total		16
<b>Second Year</b>					
<i>Fall Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>	<i>Spring Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>
PS__	Psychology Elective	3	PS261	Research Methods in Psychology (laboratory)	4
PS260	Statistics for Behavior Science (laboratory)	4	PS__	Psychology Elective	3
PS__	Psychology Elective	3	GLE230	Second-Year Composition	3
_____	GLE Elective	3	_____	GLE Elective	3
_____	Elective	3			
Total		16	Total		13
<b>Third Year</b>					
<i>Fall Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>	<i>Spring Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>
_____	Psychology Elective	3	PS320	Theories of Personality	3
PS__	Psychology Elective	3	PS__	Psychology Elective	3
PS__	300-level Psychology Lab Elective	4	PS__	300-level Psychology Lab Elective	4
_____	GLE Elective	3	_____	GLE Elective	3
_____	Elective	3			
Total		16	Total		13
<b>Fourth Year</b>					
<i>Fall Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>	<i>Spring Semester</i>		<i>Credits</i>
PS489 or 490 or PS495	Senior Thesis in Psychology (Literature Review)* or PS490 Senior Thesis in Psychology (Empirical Study)** or Senior Internship in Psychology	3	PS491	Senior Thesis in Psychology (Empirical Study)	3
PS494	Senior Seminar in Psychology	3	PS__	Psychology Elective	3
PS__	Psychology Elective	3	_____	Elective	3
PS__	Psychology Elective	3	_____	Elective	3
_____	Elective	3	_____	Elective	3
Total		15	Total		15
<b>Total Credits</b>					<b>120</b>

\*Please refer to the Academic Catalog for full listing of elective options