

Depth of Study Requirements – Fall 2016

Psychology

(THIS IS NOT THE SAME AS A SPECIAL FIELD. THIS IS FOR STUDENTS FOLLOWING THE ESM OPTION ONLY.)

Required Courses for the Psychology Depth of Study

Required lower-division: PSYC 210, Introduction to Developmental Psychology

Required: PSYC 100 Introduction to Psychology	3 units
Required: PSYC 330 Develop. Psyc: Infancy & Childhood or PSYC 331 (if minor)*	3 units
Required: PSYC 348 Developmental Psyc: Adolescence or PSYC 349 (if minor)*	3 units
Choose One: PSYC 336 (pre-req. PSYC 100) OR If Minor- PSYC 328 Developmental Psychopathology (pre-reqs. PSYC 100 & 331 or 349)*	3 units
Choose One: PSYC 354 (pre-req. PSYC 100)	3 units

Total required: 15 units

* Note on pursuing a minor in Psychology: **In order to register for these courses, an official minor declaration must be done first on My CSUSM.**

Depth of Study courses may be counted toward a minor, but the requirements are not identical. **Additional pre-requisite courses for PSYC 331 and 349 coursework is required to complete the minor, and either PSYC 331 or 349 is required. See the current University Catalog for minor requirements.**

Note on Transferring in Approved Equivalent Courses

See University Catalog for course descriptions and prerequisite information. **Approved** equivalents of lower-division courses may be completed at community colleges or other regionally accredited institutions. Go to www.assist.org to find equivalents to the lower-division courses at CA Community Colleges. Any courses not listed on Assist must be approved by faculty in the department offering the course. A maximum of seventy (70) semester units earned in a community college may be applied toward the degree.

Note on Upper-Division Units Required for Graduation:

Students need at least 40 upper-division units of coursework to graduate from CSUSM. Students are responsible for taking sufficient upper-division units to graduate. Because the Psychology depth of study module includes lower-division coursework, students **MUST** carefully choose other required courses and electives to insure 40 upper-division units are completed for graduation.

DECLARATION OF DEPTH OF STUDY FOR THE ESM OPTION ONLY:

Please fill out the online form at:

http://www.csusm.edu/liberalstudiesadvising/teaching_opts/depthofstudy/dosform.html or sign & date this declaration and return it to Advising in CRA 1300. (ICP : return to SOE)

Student Name: _____ **Student ID#** _____

- I am following the ESM option in the Liberal Studies major, and I declare **PSYCHOLOGY** as my Depth of Study. I agree to follow the course requirements listed.
- I understand that I must follow these course requirements even if I am pursuing a minor in a related field.

Student Signature _____ Date: _____

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Advising Use Only (please date and initial):

Entered on database: _____ Entered on PS: _____