

Required Core (3 credit hours)			
Course Prefix, Number and Title	Credit Hours	Semester/Session	Grade
PSY 502: Professional Issues in Psychology	3		
Research and Statistics (15-18 credit hours)			
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PSY 500: Research Methods	3		
PSY 515: Quantitative Analysis I	3		
PSY 516: Quantitative Analysis II	3		
PSY 517: Quantitative Analysis III (optional for AP students)	3		
PSY 592: Research	3		
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Electives (9-12 credit hours)			
Course Prefix, Number and Title	Credit Hours	Semester/Session	Grade
Elective	3		
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Elective (Required for AP students if not taking PSY 517)	3		
Culminating Experience (6 credit hours)			
Option A: Applied Project		Option B: Thesis	
PSY 593 – 6 credit hours		PSY 599 – 6 credit hours Prospectus required Written & Oral Thesis Defense	

What counts as an elective course?	General Guidelines
<p>What counts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Regularly scheduled 500-level PSY courses taught by MS program faculty <p>What needs to be approved (in advance) by both the student's faculty advisor & the graduate program director:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Individualized PSY courses (e.g., 580, 590) - 500-level PSY courses taught by non-program faculty (e.g., courses in other colleges) - Any non-PSY course - 400-level courses in any discipline - Courses transferred in from other universities <p>What does not count:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 593, 595, or 599 credit - 100, 200, or 300-level courses 	<p>Faculty approval required for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - up to 6 credits from non-program faculty may apply toward the degree (including transfer credits). - All coursework in the interactive Plan of Study (iPOS). Mere enrollment in a course does not entitle a student to count it toward a graduate degree. <p>Academic progress:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Students are required to meet New College Satisfactory Academic Progress Standards and maintain continuous enrollment as defined by the ASU Graduate College Policy Manual. - The culminating experience is completed in a student's final year of study. To be eligible for registration consult the program handbook. - For information regarding the minimum passing grade for the 593 or 599 culminating experience, please go to New College Satisfactory Academic Progress Standards. <p>Policies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Core courses can never be transferred from other universities. - All work toward a master's degree must be completed within six consecutive years. For more information review the ASU Graduate College Policy Manual.