



Semester 1	Credits	Success Marker
ENGL 103	3	* Students interested in taking UNIV 101 in their first semester may consider a 14-hour load or delay the PSYC 101 and PSYC 102 corequisite combination until semester 2.
PSYC 102	3	
Foundational Studies: Quantitative Knowledge Domain	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
PSYC 101*	1	
Total hours	15-16	
Notes/Comments:		

Semester 2	Credits	Success Marker
ENGL 203	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
Knowledge Domain	3	
Foreign Language (B.A. Requirement)	3	
COMS 100	3	
PSYC 101	1	
Total hours	16	
Notes/Comments:		

Semester 3	Credits	Success Marker
Knowledge Domain	3	
Knowledge Domain or Elective	3	
PSYC Elective (e.g., 225, 245)	3	
Elective	3	
Foreign Language (B.A. Requirement)	3-4	
Total hours	15-16	
Notes/Comments:		

Semester 4	Credits	Success Marker
Elective	3	* Need a C or better in STAT 100
Elective	3	
STAT 100	3	
Elective	3	
Foreign Language (B.A. Requirement)	3-4	
Total hours	15-16	
Notes/Comments:		

Semester 5	Credits	Success Marker
PSYC Elective (e.g., 300)	3	* Departmental honors students should enroll in PSYC 305 Complete PSYC 101
PSYC Elective (e.g., 315, 316)	3	
PSYC 305 or General Elective	3	
Elective	3	
Foreign Language (B.A. Requirement) or 2nd major/minor	3	
Total hours	15	
Notes/Comments: STATs can be taken prior to or concurrently with PSYC 305. Students must complete STAT with a grade of C or better prior to taking PSYC 306.		

Semester 6	Credits	Success Marker
PSYC Elective (e.g., 324, 485)	3	* Departmental honors students should enroll in PSYC 306 Complete PSYC 305
PSYC Elective (e.g., 332, 372)	3	
PSYC 305 or PSYC 306	3	
Gen Ed: Science/Math	3	
Elective, 2nd Major or Minor	3	
Total hours	15	
Notes/Comments: PSYC 305 must be taken before enrollment in PSYC 306.		

Semester 7	Credits	Success Marker
PSYC Elective (e.g., 345)	3	Complete PSYC 306 * Apply for graduation (2/1 for May, 6/15 for August, or 9/1 for December) * Department honors students should take PSYC 499
PSYC 306 or Psychology Lab	3 - 4	
Elective	3	
Elective: Major, Minor or Other	3	
Elective: Major, Minor or Other	3	
Total hours	14 - 15	
Notes/Comments:		

Semester 8	Credits	Success Marker
PSYC Elective (e.g., 485, 489)	3	* Complete 1 Psychology Lab: PSYC 410, 411, 412, 413, 431, 433, 434 or 464 * At least 40 hours of upper-division level coursework is required to graduate * University honors students should take PSYC 498; * Department honors students should enroll in PSYC 499
Psychology Lab (see list)	4	
Elective: Major, Minor or Other	3	
Elective: Major, Minor or Other	3	
Elective: Minor or Other	3	
Total hours	16	
Notes/Comments:		

Notes/Comments: This plan is an example of what a four year plan could look like for a typical student. Placement exam scores in math as well as the completion of coursework may change the plan. It should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor each semester to discuss course scheduling. All requirements are subject to change by NIU.