# Psychology

## Requirements for Degree

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**Plus two laboratory courses from:**
- PSYC 321 Current Research Issues in Social Psychology
- PSYC 322 Sensation and Perception
- PSYC 323 Learning and Memory
- PSYC 415 Research Issues in Cognition
- PSYC 401 Physiological Psychology

**Plus one of:**
- PSYC 200 Psychology of Infancy and Childhood
- PSYC 202 Lifespan Development (students may not receive credit for both 202 & 200)
- PSYC 203 Psychology of Adolescence
- PSYC 204 Psychology of Adulthood and Aging

**Plus one of:**
- PSYC 121 Social Psychology
- PSYC 301 Psychopathology
- PSYC 302 Personality Theories

**Plus one of:**
- PSYC 206 The Brain and Human Behavior

- PSYC 315 Cognition
- PSYC 400 Seminar in Cognitive & Language Development

**Plus:**
- Twelve elective credits in Psychology
- A total of 44 credits (11 courses) in psychology are required for the major. 20 of the 44 credits must be 300- or 400-level courses. Students majoring in psychology must successfully complete a minimum of twenty-four credits in psychology at St. Thomas.

**Allied requirements:**
- BIOL101 General Biology, or BIOL105 Human Biology or BIOL106 Biology of Women or BIOL207 Genetics, Ecology & Evolution
- MATH101 Finite Mathematics (or MATH108-109, 111, or 113)*
- STAT 220 Statistics I

*Students should take the following courses in the following order:
- MATH 101 (or 108-109 or 111 or 113)
- STAT 220
- PSYC 212

These courses should be taken early in the college career since they are prerequisites for some required courses in psychology. Students may not register for laboratory courses until they have completed PSYC212. A student should consult early with his/her department adviser to have his/her plan approved.

*Students must have an ACT Math score >= 20 to take MATH101. Students whose math score is too low for MATH101 should plan to take MATH005 over J-term. Students who place into MATH108-109, 111, or 113 may choose to take calculus.
instead of MATH101.