APPLICATION FOR THE
PSYCHOLOGY MAJOR

INSTRUCTIONS

Applications are due by 4:00 on the first Friday of Autumn, Winter, Spring and Summer quarters to the Psych Advising Office, Guthrie 119A.

You must attach copies of your transcripts (official or unofficial). Transcripts may be found at the Undergraduate Advising Center in 171 Mary Gates Hall or the Registrar’s Office in Schmitz 250 or may be printed from MYUW.

Transfer students must include a copy of transcripts from all colleges attended.

Students must complete and have a minimum grade of 2.0 for each of the prerequisite courses:

Psych 101
Psych 202
Psych 209*
Math 111, 112, 120, 124 or 144

*Note a minimum grade of 2.5 is needed in 209 for the BS program.

A minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA is needed for the psychology courses listed above and a minimum 2.0 UW GPA is required.

A letter will be mailed to applicants by the 6th week of the quarter to inform them of their acceptance or denial.

Student Number _____________________ Date __________________

Name ________________________________

Statistical Information (optional)  ____ Male  ____ Female
____ Asian/Asian American  ____ African American/Black
____ Caucasian/White  ____ Filipino
____ Hispanic/Latino  ____ Native American/Alaska Native
____ Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander
____ Other ____________________________

Are you an international student?  ____ Yes  ____ No

Email Address ________________________________

Home Phone ____________________  Cell Phone __________________

Mailing Address ________________________________

City ___________________ State _______ Zip Code ____________

Are you currently a:  ____ Pre-Major/Extended Pre-Major
____ Declared Major in __________________________

Do you wish to Double Major?  ____ Yes, in ______________________
Double Degree (total of 225 credits)?  ____ Yes, in ______________________

Do you want to Minor?  ____ Yes, in ______________________

Which Psychology program are you interested in?  ____ BA  ____ BS

Total # of UW and transfer credits earned ________ UW CUM GPA ________

Total # of Psych credits (UW and transfer) ________

Math Course __________________  Grade ________

Course  Title  Check if Transfer  Check if Repeated  Credits  Grade  Grade Points

Psych 101  Intro Psych  ____  ____  ____  X  ____  =  ____
Psych 202  Biopsych  ____  ____  ____  X  ____  =  ____
Psych 209  Research  ____  ____  ____  X  ____  =  ____

Number of credits: ________ Grade points: ________

TOTALS FROM ABOVE

Total grade points divided by the number of credits [usually 15]: ________ *

* Admission is competitive and is based on this Psychology Admissions GPA. Speak with an adviser if you have questions or concerns.
Student Profile

What is your current year in school?  
____ Freshman (0-44 credits)  
____ Sophomore (45-89 credits)  
____ Junior (90-134 credits)  
____ Senior (135 or above credits)

Have you attended another school besides UW?  
____ yes  
____ no  
If yes, with how many credits ______

List other schools attended: ________________________________  
______________________________  
______________________________  
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Note: please attach a copy of your transcript from each school you attended.

Do you consider yourself a:  
____ full-time student  
____ part-time student

Check the areas of psychology you are most interested in:  
____ abnormal behavior  
____ animal behavior  
____ behavioral neuroscience  
____ child development  
____ clinical/counseling  
____ cognition  
____ personality  
____ social

What kinds of activities/experiences might help you achieve your academic/professional goals?  
____ establishing rapport w/ faculty  
____ internship  
____ minor  
____ professional networking  
____ psych honors program  
____ second major  
____ student organizations  
____ study abroad  
____ undergraduate research  
____ volunteer work  
____ other: __________________________________________

Of all the majors at UW, why did you choose psychology as your intended major? ________________________________

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___________________________________________________________________________  
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What are you looking forward to learning in the psychology major? ________________________________

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List some things you see yourself doing after you graduate: _________________________________________

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How can the Psychology Advising office help you to achieve your goals? ________________________________

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Remember to attach a copy of your transcripts to your application!