

SHSU Catalog (2025/2026)

	Bachelor of Science, Psychology						
CORE REQUIREMENTS	Department of Psychology & Philosophy		Philosophy	936.294.1174 psychology@shsu.edu			
Course Name		Hours	TCCNS	SHSU			
Communication (6 hours)							
Composition I		3	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1301			
Composition II		3	ENGL 1302	ENGL 1302			
Mathematics (3 hours)							
Elementary Statistics OR		2	MATH 1342	MATH 1342			
College Mathematics		3	MATH 1332	MATH 1332			
Life & Physical Sciences (6 hours)							
Choose two courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.							
Language, Philosophy, & Culture (3 hours)							
Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.							
Creative Arts (3 hours)							
Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.							
American History (6 hours)							
United States History to 1876		3	HIST 1301	HSTY 1301			
United States History since	1876	3	HIST 1302	HSTY 1302			
Government/Political Science (6 hours)							
American Government	,	3	GOVT 2305	POLS 2305			
Texas Government		3	GOVT 2306	POLS 2306			
Social & Behavioral Science (3 hours) <sup>1</sup>							
Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.							
Component Area Option Recommendations (6 hours) <sup>2</sup>							
Choose two courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.							

## MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Full degree can be found here: https://www.shsu.edu/programs/bachelor-of-science-in-psychology/

Course Name	Hours	TCCNS	SHSU
Introduction to Psychology	3	PSYC 2301	PSYC 1301
Critical Thinking	3	PHIL 2303	PHIL 2303
Communications for Business & Professions	3	SPCH 1321	COMS 2382

## **Natural Science Electives (6 hours)**

Choose **two** Natural Science courses (in addition to core)

## **Courses for required minor**

 $A\ minor\ is\ required\ for\ this\ program.\ A\ full\ list\ of\ minors\ can\ be\ found\ here:\ https://catalog.shsu.edu/degree-programs/$ 

\*SHSU accepts a maximum of 70 credit hours: 66 academic hours + 4 hours of activity-based physical education (kinesiology) hours. Students must earn a 2.0 minimum overall GPA in all coursework, overall major GPA in all major coursework, SHSU GPA in all coursework, and SHSU major GPA in all major coursework.

A minor is required for this program. It is suggested that students visit with their advisors in choosing a minor.

Full Degree Available On Campus & Online

Only grades of C or above in Psychology Program courses (those with the prefix PSYC) will count toward the major in Psychology.

- 1 If PSYC 1301 or PHIL 2303 is used to satisfy the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VIII (Social and Behavioral Sciences), additional hours will be needed to satisfy the minimum total semester credit hours of 120.
- 2 If COMS 2382 is used to satisfy the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area IX, additional hours will be needed to satisfy the minimum total semester credit hours of 120.