

Standing Requirements

Outcomes Library

BA/BS in Psychology Outcome Set

OBJ. 1: Understanding of major concepts

Understanding of major concepts, theoretical perspectives, and seminal empirical findings in psychology

Outcome	Mapping
Outcome 1.1: Demonstrate Knowledge Demonstrate knowledge and understanding representing appropriate breadth and depth in selected content areas of psychology.	No Mapping
Outcome 1.2: Correct use of concepts, language etc. Correct use of the concepts, language and major theories of psychology.	No Mapping
Outcome 1.3: Explain major perspectives Explain major perspectives of psychology	No Mapping
Outcome 1.4: Exhibit understanding of APA Ethics Exhibit general understanding of APA Ethics code.	No Mapping

OBJ. 2: Understand and apply research methods

Understand and apply basic research methods in psychology including research design, data analysis and interpretation.

Outcome	Mapping
Outcome 2.1: Strengths and Weaknesses Articulate strengths and weaknesses of different research methods (i.e. quantitative vs. qualitative).	No Mapping
Outcome 2.2: Evaluate research findings Evaluate scientific merit of research findings	No Mapping
Outcome 2.3: Locate and use databases Locate and use relevant databases and interpret and integrate results of research studies	No Mapping
Outcome 2.4: Limitations in generalizing results Recognize the limitations in generalizing research findings	No Mapping
Outcome 2.5: Research Ethics Recognize, understand and apply knowledge of research ethics	No Mapping

OBJ. 3: Apply knowledge to real world contexts

Students will apply the principles and findings of psychology to real world contexts.

Outcome	Mapping
Outcome 3.1: Applications of Psychology Identify appropriate applications of psychology in solving problems (i.e. interpersonal conflict, principles of learning).	No Mapping
Outcome 3.2: Research and Communication Skills Demonstrate research and communication skills in an applied	Foundational Studies: 10. Express themselves effectively, professionally, and persuasively both orally and in writing.

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Outcome 3.3: Interpersonal and team skills No Mapping

Demonstrate effective interpersonal skills (i.e. listening skills, sensitivity to individual differences, ability to work as a member of a team).

Outcome 3.4: Ethical behavior No Mapping

Act in accordance with relevant APA ethics

OBJ. 4: Communicate knowledge of psychology

Students will effectively communicate their knowledge of psychology in a variety of contexts (i.e. oral, written and graphic presentation)

Outcome	Mapping
Outcome 4.1: APA Style Demonstrate correct use of APA style	No Mapping
Outcome 4.2: Oral, written, graphic communication skills Demonstrate effective oral/written/graphic communication skills through discussion/presentation/ papers and essays.	Foundational Studies: 10. Express themselves effectively, professionally, and persuasively both orally and in writing.
Outcome 4.3: Demonstrate quantitative literacy Demonstrate quantitative literacy	Foundational Studies: IIIa. Quantitative Literacy

OBJ. 5: Respect for human diversity

Student will recognize, understand and demonstrate respect for human diversity.

Outcome	Mapping
Outcome 5.1: Interact effectively with diverse populations Interact effectively and with sensitivity with people having diverse abilities, backgrounds and beliefs	No Mapping
Outcome 5.2: Explain how world view effects interactions Explain how personal world view may influence beliefs, values and interactions with others	No Mapping
Outcome 5.3: Understanding of cultural and social influence Understand how social and cultural context influences the experience of others	No Mapping

OBJ. 6: Post-degree plans

Students will develop realistic post-degree plans about how to implement their psychological knowledge, skills and values in occupational pursuits.

Outcome	Mapping
Outcome 6.1: Describe realistic career plan Describe preferred career paths based on accurate self-assessment of abilities and knowledge of requirements for career path	No Mapping
Outcome 6.2: Identify and develop skills for career goals Identify and develop skills and experiences relevant to achieving selected career goals	No Mapping

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