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ADULT UNDERGRADUATE



The **Bachelor of Science in Psychology** provides theoretical and applied understanding of psychological principles to prepare you for graduate study in psychology, entry-level positions in the helping professions, or careers requiring a psychology background.

After completing the core courses, you will have the opportunity to choose one of three emphases for deeper study in an area that interests you:

- Criminal Justice Emphasis
- Health Psychology Emphasis
- Marriage & Family Emphasis

Psychology

Program Cost

2013–14 Tuition: \$420 per credit

Books: \$1,800 (estimated total for this program)

Psychology – Required Coursework (37 credits)

ETH4021	Foundation for Ethics.....	2
ETH4023	Worldview and Ethics.....	2
PYC4011	Adult Learning Theory.....	3
PYC4025	Professional Ethics.....	3
PYC4033	Life Span Development.....	6
PYC4041	Research and Statistics	6
PYC4043	Tests and Measurements	3
PYC4051	Principles of Counseling.....	3
PYC4053	Counseling Children and Adolescents.....	3
PYC4073	Personality and Psychopathology.....	6
PYC4995	Psychology Internship (Optional)	1–3

Additional courses (12–16 credits) depend upon chosen emphasis. See next page for details. For course descriptions see the Graduate & Continuing Education Catalog at unwsp.edu/catalog. Courses subject to change.

Program Delivery Classes meet once a week (6–10 p.m.) on the Northwestern campus.

Time Frame You can earn your Bachelor of Science in Psychology in 18–22 months, upon completion of 125 semester credits in general education, major, and elective requirements. Visit unwsp.edu/credits to learn more about credit transfer.

Psychology

Psychology is a powerful foundation for a variety of careers. Northwestern's adult undergraduate psychology program offers a view of psychological principles through the context of a biblical lens, a focus on ethics, and required coursework that will equip you to apply and practice the knowledge and skills you gain from a Christian perspective. The three emphases outlined below provide an opportunity for you to focus on an area of interest to you.

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Criminal Justice Emphasis (16 credits)

Coursework in the criminal justice emphasis provides training in theories and methods of psychology and criminal justice. You will explore the criminal justice system, juvenile delinquency, corrections, criminal law and deviance. The curriculum focuses on criminal behavior, social dynamics, sociology of the youth offender and criminal law.

PYC4061	Criminology and Juvenile Delinquency	4
PYC4063	Criminal Justice	3
PYC4065	Corrections.....	3
PYC4067	Criminal Law.....	3
PYC4069	Deviance.....	3

Health Psychology Emphasis (12 credits)

The health psychology emphasis provides training in theories of psychology and methods of stress and pain management in a clinical setting. Learn about the physiological, psychological and social causes for pain and stress and methods for effective treatment.

PYC4081	Psychology of Stress Management	3
PYC4083	Interpersonal Psychology	3
PYC4085	Clinical Health Psychology	6

Marriage and Family Emphasis (12 credits)

The emphasis in marriage and family provides training in theories and methods of psychology and counseling. The curriculum focuses on the nature of human growth and development and on methods of assessing personality and problem areas. Integrating a Christian perspective in these areas, you'll also explore strategies of counseling children, adolescents, adults and families.

PYC4055	Marriage and Family Counseling.....	3
PYC4071	Interpersonal Psychology.....	3
PYC4075	Psychology of Gender.....	3
PYC4077	Treatment of Special Populations	3



University of Northwestern – St. Paul Since 1902, Northwestern has been equipping Christ-centered learners and leaders to invest in others and impact the world. Northwestern offers five graduate degrees and two graduate certificates, 70+ areas of traditional and adult undergraduate study, and online and early college programs.

Faith and Education

As a Christ-centered university, we construct our curriculum with a biblical worldview and choose our faculty and admit students because of their devotion to Christ. The reason we strive for excellence is to bring glory to God. Faith impacts everything we do.

Adult students experience academic success that often eluded them in earlier years. Because you're focused on your goals, you are hungry for knowledge that will move you forward and you'll find applications for what you're learning.

Is a Psychology Degree for You?

Do you care deeply about people and want to understand what makes them tick? The Bachelor of Science in Psychology will guide you to a deeper understanding of human behavior and psychological principles.

Looking at the topic and the practice of psychology through a Christ-centered, biblical lens will provide perspectives not available through typical undergraduate psychology programs. You will be able to connect your love for God and the people He created through this dynamic course of study.

Support for Your Success

Bobbi, a psychology graduate, took advantage of Northwestern's support resources. "In the beginning when I was taking my first composition class I definitely utilized the ALPHA center," she recalled. "They gave us lots of tools to use! I remember bringing a paper in and they helped proof it; just knowing they were there provided reassurance."

Mission University of Northwestern – St. Paul exists to provide Christ-centered higher education equipping students to grow intellectually and spiritually, to serve effectively in their professions, and to give God-honoring leadership in the home, church, community, and world.



Need to Know

Be sure to ask your admission counselor about:

- Credit transfer for previous education and life experience
- Computer requirements
- Tips for being a successful student
- How a psychology degree can help you achieve your goals



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