

	UGS requirements				Faculty requirements		UG Major Programmes Offered by the Department of Psychology						Free Elective course		Sub-total										
	Common Core courses	No. of credits	Language Courses	No. of credits	Social Innovation and Global Citizenship (for BPsych students) ^{10a}	No. of credits	1st Major in Psychology (for BPsych students)	No. of credits	2nd Major in Psychology (for non-BPsych students)	No. of credits	2nd Major in Cognitive Science	No. of credits	2nd Major in Neuroscience	No. of credits		Free Electives	No. of credits	Yearly enrolled no. of credits							
Year I	6 Common Core courses ¹	36	English CAES1000 Core University English Chinese CUND9002 or CUND9003 (for Putonghua speaking students only)	6-12	--	--	2 Introductory discipline courses PSYC1001 and PSYC1004	12	2 Introductory discipline courses PSYC1001 and PSYC1004	12	2 Introductory discipline courses PSYC1001 or COMP 1117 or LING1000 or LING2034 or PHIL1012 (choose 2)	12	Introductory discipline course PSYC1001 (For Psychology major students, you need to take an extra 6-credit advanced disciplinary elective in neuroscience in lieu of PSYC1001.)	0-6	Free Elective course 1. For BPsych students with 2nd major of 72 credits, they should take 6 credits of free electives courses; 2. For BPsych students with a minor of 36 credits, they should take 42 credits of free electives courses; 3. For BPsych students without 2nd major or minor, they should take 78 credits of free electives courses.	78									
							1 Introductory pre-requisite course ²	6	2 Introductory pre-requisites courses ²	12	2 Introductory pre-requisites courses ¹	12	2 Introductory pre-requisite courses from the list below ³ , 1) pre-requisites of BIOL3105 ⁴ 2) pre-requisites of BBMS3011 ⁵ 3) pre-requisite of BBMS2003 ² 4) pre-requisite of BMED3501 ² 5) pre-requisite of PSYC4101 Thesis in neuroscience (for non-PSYC major students only) ⁶ 6) other introductory courses from any faculties ¹ (Non-PSYC-major students must take PSYC1004 as one of the introductory pre-requisite courses.)	12											
Sub-total										6-12			18					24		24		12-18			60
Year II									English in the Discipline course CAES9921 or CAES9922 or CAES9923 or CAES9930	6-12			3 Advanced disciplinary core courses	18				3 Advanced disciplinary core courses	18	Advanced core course PSYC2066 ⁷	6	2 Advanced core courses PSYC2101 and PSYC2103	12		
Sub-total			Chinese CSSC9001 Practical Chinese for Social Sciences Students (for Cantonese speaking students)	6-12		24	1 Advanced disciplinary elective	6			1 Advanced disciplinary elective	6	1 Advanced disciplinary elective listed under "First Stream" or "Second Stream" ^{6a}	6			60								
Year III							3 Advanced disciplinary core courses	18	3 Advanced disciplinary core courses	18	Advanced core course PSYC2067 ⁷	6	2 Advanced core courses PSYC2111 AND PSYC3054	12											
Sub-total		36		6-12		24	1 Advanced disciplinary elective	6			2 Advanced disciplinary electives	12	2 Advanced disciplinary electives listed under "First Stream" AND/OR "Second Stream" ^{6a}	12			60								
Year IV							1 Advanced disciplinary elective	6	1 Advanced disciplinary elective	6	2 Advanced disciplinary electives	12	1 or 2 Advanced disciplinary electives listed under "First Stream" AND/OR "Second Stream" ^{6a}	6-12											
							Capstone Experience Option 1: PSYC3051 or PSYC3052 or PSYC3053 or PSYC3054 or PSYC3061 or PSYC3064 or PSYC3068 Plus One Experiential Learning Project (PSYC4010 or PSYC4011) OR Option 2: PSYC4007 or PSYC4008 or PSYC4009	12	Capstone Experience PSYC3051 or PSYC3052 or PSYC3053 or PSYC3054 or PSYC3061 or PSYC3064 or PSYC3068	6	Capstone Experience PSYC4068	6	Capstone Experience PSYC3061 or PSYC3068 or PSYC4102	6											
Sub-total		0		0		0		18		12		18		12-18			78								
Total		36		18		24		84		72		72		72			240								

Note:

- The programme syllabuses are available at the Department website at <https://psychology.hku.hk/undergraduate/>
- Each course carries 6 credits, unless specified otherwise.
- BPsych students are required to complete 12 credits of Social Innovation Requirement and 12 credits of Global Citizenship Requirement throughout the 4-year curriculum, preferably within Year 2 to Year 3 including Summer Semesters. For further details, please visit <https://www.socsc.hku.hk/sigc/>
 - FOSS2018 Social Innovation Internship (12 credits);
 - FOSS2019 Global Citizenship Internship (12 credits), or a combination of two 6-credit endorsed experiential learning courses, or undertake 12 credits of advanced courses on exchange studies or on an overseas summer programme approved by the Faculty.

Remark:

- Common Core: Students are requested to select not more than two courses from each area of inquiry from Year 1 to Year 3.
- Introductory pre-requisite courses for 1st/2nd Psychology major: Students are requested to choose the introductory pre-requisites courses offered by the core departments under the Faculty of Social Sciences. Please refer to the details in the syllabus: <https://psychology.hku.hk/undergraduate/>.
- Introductory pre-requisite courses for Cognitive Science Major: Students are requested to choose the introductory pre-requisites courses offered by the core departments under the Faculty of Social Sciences or Departments from Computer Science, Philosophy and Linguistics. Please refer to the details in the syllabus: <https://psychology.hku.hk/undergraduate/>.
- Students should bear in mind the pre-requisite requirements for courses listed in the "Disciplinary Electives" (See below courses), and take the relevant requisite courses as necessary. Students are reminded to take note that you may need to use 6 to 18 credits for taking relevant pre-requisite(s) which are counted as free elective(s) outside neuroscience curriculum. However, if you have already completed the pre-requisite(s) concerned at you first major, the implication of pre-requisite requirements in Neuroscience Major on students' course selection and study load would be minimized.
 - Pre-requisites of BIOL3105: BIOL2103/BIOL2220/BIOC2600/MEDE2301 [(Pre-requisites of BIOL2103&BIOL2220: BIOL1110) & (Pre-requisite of BIOC2600: BIOC1600/BIOL1110/ENGG1207/BMED1207)]
 - Pre-requisites of BBMS3011: BBMS1001/BIOL1110/BIOC2600/BIOL2220/BMED2302/PSYC2101/PSYC2110 [(Pre-requisite of BIOC2600: BIOC1600/BIOL1110/ENGG1207/BMED1207) & (Pre-requisite of BIOL2220: BIOL1110)]
 - Pre-requisite of BBMS2003: BBMS1001/BIOC1600
 - Pre-requisite of BMED3501: BMED2500/ELEC3241
 - Pre-requisites of PSYC4101 Thesis in neuroscience: PSYC2060# and PSYC2101-Foundation of neuroscience (Pre-requisites of PSYC2060: PSYC1001 and PSYC1004)
[#A waiver on pre-requisite course (PSYC2060) will be granted for students taking [PSYC4101 Thesis in neuroscience] if the students have taken similar research methods course in their first major (equivalent to PSYC2060). Students shall approach the Department of Psychology for application.]
 - Students must complete two prerequisite courses at the introductory level, and the taking of such courses is subject to academic advising and prior approval of the Department of Psychology. First and foremost, these 12 credits must be utilized to fulfill the prerequisite requirements of "Disciplinary Electives", and also to ensure that all components of the major are academically coherent.
- The core courses PSYC2066 and PSYC2067 will be offered in alternating years. Students may take the core course PSYC2066 in Year III and PSYC2067 in Year IV, subject to the course offering.
- For selection of disciplinary electives, students should select at least one course that is not from the Department of Psychology. Each course carries 6 credits, however, if students take PSYC4101 Thesis in neuroscience, the course carries 12 credits