

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PSYCHOLOGY (MS)

CIP: 42.0101.00

All application materials for the Master of Science in Psychology are due by the date prescribed by the Office of Graduate Studies and Research to be considered for admission. Students apply to begin the graduate program in the Fall.

The following are the admissions criteria for the MS in the Psychology Program:

1. Submit an application for graduate studies by the Fall due date provided by the Graduate School. Deadlines may be found at: <http://www.tamtu.edu/gradschool/>
2. Pay the application fee.
3. Submit an official transcript from the last institution attended and an official transcript from the institution where the highest degree was earned. In some cases it may be the same institution.
4. Submit two letters of recommendation from academic or professional sources to the Graduate School.
5. Include a statement of purpose with a minimum of 300 words describing your academic and career goals and objectives.
6. Include a sample of your academic writing skills (it may be an undergraduate research paper, a book chapter, or a journal article).
7. A minimum upper-level GPA of 3.0 (on a scale of 4.0) is required for full admission to the Program.

Degree Plan Major Curriculum - Psychology

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
Required Courses		
PSYC 5302	Survey of Social Psychology	3
PSYC 5304	Survey of Personality Psyc	3
PSYC 5305	Human Dev Across Life-Span	3
PSYC 5320	Research Design & Statistics	3
PSYC 5370	Cognitive Science	3
PSYC 5398	Thesis I	3
PSYC 5399	Thesis II	3
Electives		
Select five courses from the following: ¹		15
PSYC 5307	Psychopathology	
PSYC 5308	Advanced Psychopathology	
PSYC 5335	Issues in Psychology	
PSYC 5338	Addictions Counseling	
PSYC 5368	Spc Topics Research Methods	
PSYC 5369	Bilingual Cognition	
PSYC 5374	Human Memory	
PSYC 5375	Intro to Neuropsychology	
PSYC 5378	Psychology and Law	
PSYC 5396	Evolutionary Psychology	

PSYC 5397 Graduate Research

Total Semester Credit Hours 36

¹ 9 SCH of electives may be selected from any 5000-level graduate courses, including those from other departments in the university, with the approval of the Graduate Advisor.