

TRANSFER GUIDE
B.A. in Psychology
Metropolitan State College of Denver

Section I: Degree/Program Requirements

A. Institutional graduation requirements for this degree program.

The graduation requirements for a transfer student pursuing this major will be no different than the graduation requirements for a native student, including the minimum number of semester hours required for graduation. Specifically, the student must meet the following requirements:

- Successfully complete at least 120 credit hours;
- Successfully complete the required 45 credit hours in the major;
- Successfully complete the required 9 upper-division credits in the major;
- Successfully complete a minor of at least 18 credit hours (some courses in the minor may be taken at the community college); and
- Successfully complete at least 40 upper-division credit hours.

B. Required courses in Major, including pre-requisites and required Support courses in the chart below:

COMMUNITY COLLEGE REQUIRED COURSES: Required courses to be taken as part of AA/AS degree to guarantee the completion a baccalaureate degree in 60 additional credits after transfer. List required courses here.

It is recommended that students take BIO 105-4 Science of Biology or BIO 111-5 General College Biology with lab to partially meet the general education natural science requirement. It is also recommended that students take MAT 121-4 College Algebra or MAT 150 as their general education mathematics course.

Degree Program Requirements

	Course Number	Course Name	Credit Hours	CC Course Number	CC Course Name (recommend these courses be taken while at CC)	CC Credit Hours
Required Major Courses (list)						
	PSY 1001	Introductory Psychology	3	PSY 101 & 102	General Psychology I & II	6
	PSY 2310	Introduction to Statistics for Social & Behavioral Sciences	3			
	PSY 2320	Inferential Statistics	3			
	PSY 3310	Psychological Research Methods I	3			
	PSY 3320	Psychological Research Methods II	3			

	PSY 4510	History & Systems of Psychology (Senior Experience)	3			
SOCIAL: Select one of the following:						
	PSY 2410 or PSY 3050 or PSY 3450	Social Psychology or Psychology of Gender or Industrial/Organizational Psychology	3	PSY 226	Social Psychology	
EXPERIMENTAL Select one of the following:						
	PSY 3510 or PSY 3520 or PSY 3530 or PSY 4570	Behavioral Neuroscience or Sensation & Perception or Psychology of Learning or Cognitive Psychology	3			
CLINICAL/PERSONALITY: Select one						
	PSY 3000 or PSY 4100 or PSY 3620	Theories of Personality or Psychology of Counseling or Abnormal Psychology	3			
DEVELOPMENTAL Select one of the following:						
	PSY 2210 or PSY 3250 or PSY 3260 or PSY 3270	Psychology of Human Development or Child Psychology or Psychology of Adolescence or Adulthood & Aging	3	PSY 235	Human Growth & Development	
Elective Major Courses (credit hours)						
		Psychology electives	15			
Total for the major			45			
Required support courses (if applicable)						
	BIO 1000 or BIO 1080 and 1090	Human Biology for Non-majors or General Introduction to Biology with Laboratory	3 or 4	BIO 105 BIO 111	Science of Biology or General College Biology with Lab	4 or 5
Other graduation requirements						
Required Minor Courses and Electives						
	Minor and electives	The upper-division credits in this set of electives, the electives in the major, and the multicultural course combined must add to at least 28.	9	Will be used to fulfill the minimum 18-hour minor requirement. Consult with advisor before enrolling in these courses because some courses taken at the CC may be used for the minor.		
	Multicultural Requirement (A multicultural course may be taken in the major or minor.)		3			

Graduation Requirements beyond AA/AS degree	60			
Associate of Arts/Science Degree	60			
TOTAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS	120			

Section II: Transfer Of Credit

- A. Grade Eligibility.
Only academic courses with a letter grade of "C-" or better are transferable. The four-year institution will accept and count toward meeting graduation requirements all state guaranteed general education courses that have a grade of C- or better provided the general education distribution is followed.
- B. This institution accepts scores of 4 (in some cases 3) and above on advanced placement tests and scores of 4 and above earned on international baccalaureate tests. Students should check the AP/IB tables in the MSCD *Catalog* for information on the credit that will be awarded.
- C. The four-year college or university will accept all approved credits earned within ten years of transfer. Courses earned more than ten years earlier may be evaluated on an individual basis.
- D. The institution may apply a state guaranteed general education course toward the major or other graduation requirements if that facilitates the student's graduation more effectively.

Section III: Appeals Process

- A. Institutional Appeal Process

Students who follow this agreement shall have the right to appeal a transfer decision that appears to be inconsistent with the terms and courses listed in this agreement. Appeals pertaining to this transfer guide should be filed with the institution. A student may file an appeal that pertains to state guaranteed general education courses directly to CCHE.
- B. State Appeal

For information on the student appeal process, refer to Student Appeal Policy at www.state.co.us/cche/policy/q&aappeals or www.state.co.us/cche/policy/l-partt.pdf.

This agreement is effective at the date of signature.

Academic Vice President

Chief Academic Officer

President
[Name of Institution]

Date

Community College System
President Date