

CORE COURSES (21 hours)

	<u>Hrs</u>	<u>Sem</u>	<u>Grade</u>
PSYC 510 Research Methods & Statistics I	3	_____	_____
PSYC 515 Research Methods & Statistics II	3	_____	_____
PSYC 700 Foundations of Doctoral Study in Psychology	3	_____	_____
PSYC 710 Psychological Research & Biblical Worldview ¹	3	_____	_____
PSYC 775 Teaching of Psychology	3	_____	_____
PSYC 810 Advanced Research: Qualitative Research & Analysis	3	_____	_____
PSYC 815 Advanced Research: Quantitative Research & Analysis	3	_____	_____

GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY CONCENTRATION (21 hours)

PSYC 750 Biological Bases of Behavior	3	_____	_____
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Choose one of the following courses:

PSYC 712 Theories & Research in Social Psychology	3	_____	_____
PSYC 716 Theories & Research in Industrial/Organizational Psychology	3	_____	_____
PSYC 725 Theories & Research in Developmental Psychology	3	_____	_____

Choose one of the following courses:

PSYC 825 Contemporary Topics in Developmental Psychology ¹	3	_____	_____
PSYC 826 Contemporary Topics in Industrial/Organizational Psychology ¹	3	_____	_____
PSYC 827 Contemporary Topics in Social Psychology ¹	3	_____	_____

Choose four 800-level PSYC courses:

PSYC _____ _____ ²	3	_____	_____
PSYC _____ _____ ²	3	_____	_____
PSYC _____ _____ ²	3	_____	_____
PSYC _____ _____ ²	3	_____	_____

DISSERTATION COURSES (18 hours)

PSYC 870 Prospectus: Developing the Dissertation Concept	3	_____	_____
PSYC 987 Dissertation I ³	5	_____	_____
PSYC 988 Dissertation II ³	5	_____	_____
PSYC 989 Dissertation III ³	5	_____	_____
PSYC 990 Dissertation Defense	0	_____	_____

TOTAL HOURS 60

Graduation Requirements

Complete 60 hours

A minimum of 45 hours must be completed through Liberty University, not to include from a prior degree earned through Liberty

A maximum of 15 hours of transfer credit, including credit from a degree on the same level previously earned through Liberty, may be applied to the degree

3.0 GPA

No grades lower than a B- may be applied to the degree

Degree must be completed within 7 years

Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

Program offered in Online Format

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Intensive Format optional

²Choose an 800-level PSYC course not already required by the degree

³PSYC 987, 988, and 989 can each be repeated one time to meet milestone

Suggested Course Sequence on Second Page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Second Semester</u>	
PSYC 510	3	PSYC 515	3
PSYC 700	3	PSYC 710 ^{1,2}	3
PSYC 712, 716, or 725	<u>3</u>	PSYC Elective ³	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9
<u>Third Semester</u>		<u>Fourth Semester</u>	
PSYC 750	3	PSYC 775	3
PSYC 815	3	PSYC 825, 826, or 827 ^{1,4}	3
PSYC Elective ³	<u>3</u>	PSYC Elective ³	<u>3</u>
Total	9	Total	9
<u>Fifth Semester</u>		<u>Sixth Semester</u>	
PSYC 810	3	PSYC 987 ⁵	<u>5</u>
PSYC 870 ¹	3	Total	5
PSYC Elective ³	<u>3</u>		
Total	9		
<u>Seventh Semester</u>		<u>Eighth Semester</u>	
PSYC 988 ⁵	<u>5</u>	PSYC 989 ⁵	5
Total	5	PSYC 990	<u>0</u>
		Total	5

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