

# **Bachelor of Science in Biopsychology**

2023-2024 Degree Completion Plan

**Important:** This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2023 through summer 2024. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

## **GENERAL EDUCATION/**

<b>FOUNDAT</b>	IONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS						
Course		Hrs Sem Grade	Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communica	tion & Information Literacy (13 hou	Major Found	Major Foundational Courses (19-27 hours)				
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	BIOL 224	General Biology I <sup>5</sup>	4		
INQR 101	Inquiry 101	1	CHEM	5,6	4		
	Communications Elective	3	CHEM	5,7	4		
	Information Literacy Elective	3	MATH 126	Elementary Calculus for Business & Sci <sup>5</sup>			
	Information Literacy Elective	3	<u>or</u> MATH 131	Calculus & Analytic Geometry I <sup>5</sup>	3-4		
			MATH 201	Introduction to Probability & Statistics <sup>5</sup>			
Technologic	al Solutions & Quantitative Reasonin	or MATH 211	Introduction to Statistical Analysis <sup>5</sup>	3			
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1	PHYS 201	General Physics I <sup>5</sup>			
MATH	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	or PHYS 231	University Physics I <sup>5</sup>	4		
	Technology Competency <sup>2</sup>	0-3	PHYS 202	General Physics II <sup>5</sup>			
			<u>or</u> PHYS 232	University Physics II <sup>5</sup>	4		
Critical Thi	nking (8 hours) <sup>1</sup>						
RLGN 105	Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues <sup>3</sup>	2	<b>MAJOR</b>				
RSCH 201	Research 201	3		Core (46 hours)			
	Critical Thinking Elective	3	BIOL 225	General Biology II	4		
			BIOL 301	Genetics	4		
Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours) <sup>1</sup>			BIOL 313	Clinical Human Anatomy	3		
EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life <sup>3</sup>	2	BIOL 385	Advanced Human Physiology	3		
	Cultural Studies Elective	3	BIOL 400	Biology Seminar	1		
			BIOL 408	Animal Behavior	4		
Social & Sci	ientific Inquiry (6 hours) <sup>1</sup>		BIOL 415	Cell Biology	4		
	Natural Science Elective	3	BIOL 435	Neurobiology	3		
	Social Science Elective <sup>4</sup>	3	CHEM 301	Organic Chemistry I	4		
			CHEM 302	Organic Chemistry II	4		
Christianity & Contexts (8 hours) <sup>1</sup>			CRST 290	History of Life			
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2	or CRST 390	Origins	3		
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2	PSYC 355	Statistics in Psychology	3		
THEO 201	Theology Survey I <sup>3</sup>	2	PSYC 380	Physiological Psychology	3		
THEO 202	Theology Survey II <sup>3</sup>	2	PSYC	Psychology Elective <sup>8,9</sup>	3		
			FREE ELEC	FREE ELECTIVES (0-11 hours)			
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### Graduation Requirements

120 Total Hours

2.0 Overall grade point average

30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)

Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major

25% Of major taken through Liberty University

30 Hours must be completed through Liberty University

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

**CSER** All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded

#### Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

<sup>1</sup>Refer to the list of approved general education electives at <a href="www.liberty.edu/gened">www.liberty.edu/gened</a> before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

<sup>2</sup>All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to <a href="https://www.liberty.edu/computerassessment">www.liberty.edu/computerassessment</a> for more information

<sup>3</sup>Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 and EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 and THEO 202 waived

<sup>4</sup>PSYC 101 is strongly recommended

<sup>5</sup>Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at <a href="https://www.liberty.edu/gened">www.liberty.edu/gened</a>

<sup>6</sup>Choose CHEM 121 OR CHEM 131 and 135

<sup>7</sup>Choose CHEM 122 <u>OR</u> CHEM 132 and 136

8Choose a 300-400 level PSYC course not already applying to the major

<sup>9</sup>PSYC 354 cannot be used to fulfill the upper level Psychology Elective

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# SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

#### FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester									
ENGL 101	3	RLGN 105									
INQR 101	1	Information Literacy Elective <sup>1</sup>									
UNIV 101	1	MATH Elective <sup>1</sup> [MATH 201 or 211]									
Natural Science Elective <sup>1</sup> [BIOL 224]	4	BIOL 225									
MATH 126 <u>or</u> 131	3-4	CHEM Elective(s) <sup>3</sup>		4							
CHEM Elective(s) <sup>2</sup>	4	CSER		0							
CSER	<u>0</u>		Total	16							
Total	16-17										
SOPHOMORE YEAR											
RSCH 201	3	BIBL 105		2							
Communications Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	Critical Thinking Elective <sup>1</sup>		3							
Technology Competency <sup>4</sup>	0-3	Information Literacy Elective <sup>1</sup>		3							
BIOL 301	4	BIOL 313		3							
CHEM 301	4	CHEM 302		4							
CSER	0	CSER		0							
Total	14-17		Total	15							
JUNIOR YEAR											
BIBL 110	2	THEO 201		2							
PHYS 201 or PHYS 231	4	PHYS 202 <u>or</u> 232		4							
BIOL 385	3	Cultural Studies Elective <sup>1</sup>		3							
BIOL 415	4	BIOL 408		4							
PSYC 380	3	PSYC 355		3							
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER		0							
Total	16		Total	16							
SENIOR YEAR											
EVAN 101	2	THEO 202		2							
BIOL 400	1	Social Sciences Elective <sup>1,5</sup>		3							
CRST 290 or CRST 390	3	BIOL 435		3							
Elective	3	Psychology Elective <sup>6,7</sup>		3							
Elective	3	Elective		3							
Elective	1	CSER		<u>0</u>							
CSER	<u>0</u>		Total	14							
Total	13										
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