

APSU General Education Core Requirements (*for Psychological Science Majors*)

Catalog Term Beginning Fall Semester 2020 (updated 2/9/2023)

120 Hrs Total; 33 Hrs are upper division; Courses in Bold are Required for All APSU Students

Communications – Must complete both:

- ENGL 1010 English Composition I**
- COMM 2045 Public Speaking**

Must complete one:

- ENGL 1020 English Composition II
- HON 1045 Foundations of Interdisciplinary Thinking (restricted to admitted Honors Program students)

History – Select 2

- HIST 2010 Early United States History
- HIST 2020 Modern United States History
- HIST 2030 Tennessee History
- HIST 2310 Early World History
- HIST 2320 Modern World History

Mathematics – Select 1

- MATH 1530 Elements of Statistics

**Psych majors must earn a “C” or higher; those earning a “D” can ask their advisor about progressing to a PSYC 2010 SLA section (instructor permit required)*

Humanities and/or Fine Arts

Complete one course from:

- ENGL 2330 Topics in World Literature**
- HON 2220 Dialogues on Diversity (restricted to admitted Honors Program students)

Complete two courses from: (*must be different disciplines; must include 1 non-foreign language; UNLESS student completes 2 courses in a language sequence; eg: GREK 1010 and GREK 1020*)

- ART 1035 Intro to Art
- DANC 1200 Intro to Dance
- MUS 1030 Intro to Music
- MUS 2030 World Music
- MUS 2200 Popular World Music
- PHIL 1030 Introduction to Philosophy
- PHIL 1040 Introduction to Ethics
- PHIL 2200 Religion & the World
- THEA 1030 Introduction to Theatre
- FREN 1010 Introductory French 1
- FREN 1020 Introductory French 2
- GERM 1010 Introductory German 1
- GERM 1020 Introductory German 2
- GREK 1010 Introductory Greek 1
- GREK 1020 Introductory Greek 2
- LATN 1010 Introductory Latin 1
- LATN 1020 Introductory Latin 2
- SPAN 1010 Introductory Spanish 1
- SPAN 1020 Introductory Spanish 2

Natural Sciences – Select 2 recommend biology courses

- ASTR 1010 Planetary Astronomy
- ASTR 1020 Stellar Astronomy
- BIOL 1010 Introduction to Biology[†]
- BIOL 1020 Diversity of Life[†]
- [†]*bio courses meant for non-bio majors*
- BIOL 1040 Human Biology
- BIOL 1110 General Biology I
- BIOL 1120 General Biology II
- BIOL 2010 Human Anatomy & Physiology I
- BIOL 2020 Human Anatomy & Physiology II
- BIOL 2040 Sustaining Biodiversity
- CHEM 1010 Chemistry, Society, & the Environment I
- CHEM 1020 Chemistry, Society, & the Environment II
- CHEM 1110 General Chemistry I
- CHEM 1120 General Chemistry II
- CHEM/PHYS 1710 Introduction to Chemistry & Physics
- GEOL 1040 Physical Geology
- GEOL 1050 Historical Geology
- PHYS 1010 Conceptual Physics I
- PHYS 1020 Conceptual Physics II
- PHYS 2010 College Physics, Algebra & Trigonometry
- PHYS 2020 College Physics
- PHYS 2110 University Physics I (Calculus-based)
- PHYS 2120 University Physics II (Calculus-based)

Social and Behavioral Sciences – Select 2 (*must be from different disciplines*)

- AAST 2200 Introduction to African-American Studies
- COMM 1110 Media and Social Institutions
- CRJ 1010 Introduction to Criminal Justice
- ECON 2000 Contemporary Economics
- ECON 2100 Principles of Macroeconomics
- GEOG 1015 Physical Geography
- GEOG 1035 World Regional Geography I
- GEOG 1045 World Regional Geography II
- HHP 1250 Wellness Concepts & Practices
- LDSP 2100 Foundations of Leadership
- POLS 2000 Introduction to Politics
- POLS 2010 American National Government
- POLS 2040 Introduction to Public Policy
- POLS 2070 International Politics
- *PSYC 1030 Introduction to Psychology
- PSYC 1050 Psychology of Modern Culture
- SOC 1010 Introduction to Sociology
- SOC 1040 Social Problems
- SOC 2900 Marriage and the Family
- SW 2110 Introduction to Social Work
- WGS 2050 Into to Women’s and Gender Studies

*** Psychological Science Majors must complete these classes with a grade of “C” or higher.**

****APSU 1000 is required for new students with < 12 hrs, it will be removed at the time of graduation if > 12 hrs.**

[Note: students admitted to the Honors Program have the option to take HON 1000, and those admitted to the President’s Emerging Leaders Program have the option to take PELP 1000]