# Psychology: Associate of Arts Degree

Faculty of Social Sciences			
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IMPLEMENTATION DATE	START DATE(S)		
01-Sep-2011	September January May		
ADMISSION TYPE	ENROLMENT TYPE		
Open admission	Open access		
PROGRAM TYPE	CREDENTIAL GRANTED		
Undergraduate	Associate Degree		
OFFERED AT	FORMAT		
Langley Richmond Surrey	Full-time Part-time		
HOW TO APPLY			
www.kwantlen.ca/admission			

# DESCRIPTION

The Associate Degree is designed to provide an educational experience that prepares students for work, citizenship and an enriched life as an educated person, and to lay a solid foundation for further study in the field of Psychology.

Students with an Associate of Arts Degree in Psychology who are interested in continuing their degree studies at Kwantlen can apply for the Bachelor of Applied Arts, Psychology degree or a Bachelor of Arts, Major in Psychology degree, or Minor in Psychology when combined with another BA program. Admission to these programs requires specific courses and GPA. For more information, please see the BA Major or Minor in Psychology and BAA Psychology program descriptions.

Information on the Bachelor of Science, Major in Applied Psychology can be found here.

# PROGRAM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

General university admission requirements apply to this program including the undergraduate-level English Proficiency Requirement.

#### CONTENT

Within the framework of the Associate of Arts Degree, students must complete at least 60 credits with a minimum grade of C in each course, including the following:

#### 1. All of:

PSYC 1100	Introduction to Psychology: Basic Processes	3 credits
PSYC 1200	Introduction to Psychology: Areas and Applications	3 credits

### 2. At least one of:

PSYC 2315 Brain and Behaviour 3 credits

PSYC 2385	Cognition	3 credits	
3. At least one of:			
PSYC 2320	Developmental Psychology: Childhood	3 credits	
PSYC 2330	Social Psychology	3 credits	
PSYC 2350	Psychopathology	3 credits	
PSYC 2370	Psychology of Personality	3 credits	
4. Two of:			
PSYC 2300	Applied Statistics	3 credits	
PSYC 2308	History and Systems of Contemporary Psychology	3 credits	
PSYC 2321	Developmental Psychology: Adolescence	3 credits	
PSYC 2322	Developmental Psychology: Adulthood	3 credits	
PSYC 2375	Perception	3 credits	
PSYC 2400	Experimental Psychology: Research Methodology	3 credits	
PSYC 2450	Clinical Psychology: Psychotherapy	3 credits	
PSYC 3307	Historical and Philosophical Foundations of Psychology	3 credits	

Or any additional PSYC course listed in section 2 or 3 above that have not been taken previously. 3 credits

## GRADUATION

Upon successful completion of this program, students are eligible to receive an **Associate of Arts degree in Psychology**.