



2+2 Degree Plan Checklist
Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences
Bachelor of Science in Psychology



Northwest Arkansas Community College¹
Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences²

Possible Prerequisites			Semester	Hours	Grade
ENGL	0063	Intermediate Writing		N/C	
MATH	0103	Intermediate Algebra		N/C	
READ	0033	College Reading		N/C	

General Education Requirements (36 credit hours)

English Composition (6 credit hours)			UCA ³	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENGL	1013	Composition I	WRTG 1310		3	
ENGL	1023	Composition II	WRTG 1320		3	

Mathematics (3-4 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1204	College Algebra	MATH 1390			

Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1544	Principles of Biology I	BIOL 1440		4	
PHSC	2004	Introduction to Physical Science (or other ASLAS Physical Science with Lab)	PHYS 1400		4	

Fine Arts/Humanities (6 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ARHS	1003	Choose one: Art Appreciation	ART 2300		3	
COMM	1303	Public Speaking (or other ASLAS Fine Arts)	COMM 1300			
ENGL	2213	Choose one: Survey of World Literature to 1650	ENGL 2305		3	
ENGL	2223	Survey of World Literature from 1650 (or other ASLAS Humanities)	ENGL 2306			

US History/Government (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
HIST	2003	Choose one: History of American People to 1877	HIST 2301		3	
HIST	2013	History of American People from 1877 to Present	HIST 2302			
PLSC	2003	American National Government	PSCI 1330			

Social Sciences (9 Credit Hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
PSYC	2003	General Psychology	PSYC 1300		3	
ANTH	1023	Choose two: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	ANTH 2300		6	
GEOG	1123	Human Geography	GEOG 1320			
SOCI	2013	General Sociology (or other ASLAS Social Science)	SOC 1300			

Psychology Foundation & Math/Science Requirement (24 credit hours)

STEM Directed Electives (8-9 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	2214	Choose one of the course combinations listed below: Anatomy and Physiology I	BIOL 1410		8-9	
BIOL	2224	Anatomy and Physiology II	BIOL 2410			
CHEM	1104	College Chemistry I	CHEM 1450			
CHEM	1124	College Chemistry II	CHEM 1451			
PHYS	2014	College Physics I	PHYS 1410			
PHYS	2034	College Physics II	PHYS 1420			
PHYS	2054	Advanced College Physics I	PHYS 1441			
PHYS	2074	Advanced College Physics II	PHYS 1442			
MATH	1313	Quantitative Literacy	MATH 1360			
MATH	1213	Plane Trigonometry	MATH 1392			
MATH	2043	Survey of Calculus	MATH 1395			

General Directed Electives (15-16 credit hours)				Semester	Hours	Grade
PSYC	2013	Introduction to Statistics for Behavioral and Social Sciences	PSYC 2330		3	
PSYC	2043	Abnormal Psychology	PSYC 4320		3	
PSYC	2103	Human Growth and Development	PSYC 2370		3	
		ASLAS Approved Electives			6-7	

Total Hours: 60⁴



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UCA Courses (60 credit hours)⁵

Category I (9 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
PSYC	3332	Research Methods (UD UCA Core: I)		3	
PSYC	3340	Research Methods Laboratory (UD UCA Core: Z)		3	
PSYC	4340	History & Systems of Psychology (UD UCA Core: I, D, C)		3	

Category II (6 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
		Choose two:			
PSYC	3325	Cognitive Psychology		6	
PSYC	3330	Sensation & Perception			
PSYC	3345	Evolutionary Psychology			
PSYC	3351	Psychology of Learning			
PSYC	4310	Comparative Psychology			
PSYC	4325	Physiological Psychology			

Category III (0 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
PSYC	3333	Multicultural Psychology		0	
PSYC	3360	Social Psychology			
PSYC	4300	Theories of Personality			
PSYC	4352	Adult Development & Aging			
PSYC	4360	Introduction to Mental Health Professions			

Category IV (9 Credit Hours) Courses not used as Category II or III may be used in Category IV			Semester	Hours	Grade
		Choose at least 9 credit hours:		9	
PSYC	3305	Health Psychology (UD UCA Core: R)			
PSYC	3306	Positive Psychology (UD UCA Core: R)			
PSYC	3331	Psychology of Business & Industry			
PSYC	3350	Psychology of Women (UD UCA Core: D)			
PSYC	3361	Media Psychology (UD UCA Core: C)			
PSYC	3370	Sports Psychology			
PSYC	4305	Judgment & Decision-Making (UD UCA Core: I, C)			
PSYC	4351	Applied Behavior Analysis (UD UCA Core: C)			
PSYC	4V80	Independent Readings in Psychology			
PSYC	4V82	Independent Research in Psychology			
PSYC	4390	Psychological Tests & Measurements			

Minor Field (24 credit hours)⁶			Semester	Hours	Grade
		Minor Field Courses (16 Minor/General Electives must be upper division)		24	

General Electives (12 credit hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
		General Electives (16 Minor/General Electives must be upper division)		9	

Total Hours: 120⁷

¹ Please see your NWACC advisor for degree and graduation information.

² Agreement requirements are guaranteed in accordance with the academic year of initial enrollment at NWACC, not to precede the academic year during which the agreement first took effect. A period of non-enrollment of 12 months or more requires that the student adhere to the agreement revision corresponding with the academic year of re-enrollment.

³ UCA course is either guaranteed by ACTS (acts.adhe.edu) or by UCA Department Chair approval (if blank, elective credit will be awarded).

⁴ Students completing the AS in Liberal Arts and Sciences degree requirements, as shown above, with a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA, will have satisfied the UCA Lower-Division Core and be admitted to the BS in Psychology degree program as a junior.

⁵ In order to receive important communications about transferring to UCA, students are encouraged to create a UCA student account at gopurple.uca.edu. For more information about the 2+2 program, students may also send email inquiries to ucatransfer@uca.edu.

⁶ When selecting electives, the student must consider the need to complete all remaining UD UCA Core requirements (C & R).

⁷ This agreement requires 120 credit hours as follows: maximum 60 at NWACC and remaining 60 at UCA (40 of which must be upper-division).