

Grand Valley State University
CLAS Academic Advising Center
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Teaching Endorsement Planned Program
Psychology Minor – Secondary Education

Student Name: _____

Date: _____

Email Address: _____

SID: _____

Phone: _____

Transfer Institution(s): _____

Required Courses

Course Number	✓	Course Name	Credits	Completed	Scheduled	Grade	Quality Points
PSY 101		Introductory Psychology	3				
PSY 300 <i>OR</i> SS 300		Research Methods in Psychology or Research methods in the Social Sciences	3				
		<i>Must take one course from 3 of the 6 categories below. Totaling nine hours.</i>					
		<i>Biological</i>					
PSY 375		Comparative Psychology	3				
PSY 430		Physiological Psychology	3				
PSY 431		Introduction to Neuropsychology	3				
PSY 432		Psychopharmacology	3				
		<i>Developmental</i>					
PSY 301		Child Development	3				
PSY 305		Infant & Early Childhood Development	3				
PSY 331		Adolescent Development	3				
PSY 332		Adult Development & Aging	3				
PSY 364		Life Span Developmental Psychology	3				
		<i>Personality/Clinical</i>					
PSY 303		Psychopathology	3				
PSY 324		Developmental Psychopathology	3				
PSY 420		Theories of Personality	3				
PSY 452		Counseling: Theories & Applications	3				
		<i>Social Context</i>					
PSY 355		Psychology & Culture	3				
PSY 360		Social Psychology: Psychology's View	3				
PSY 381		Group Dynamics	3				
PSY 445		Industrial/Organizational Psychology	3				
		<i>Cognitive</i>					
PSY 357		Psychology of Language	3				
PSY 361		Perception	3				
PSY 363		Learning	3				
PSY 365		Cognition	3				

		<i>General</i>				
PSY 311		Controversial Issues in Psychology	3			
PSY 362		Environmental Psychology	3			
PSY 405		History and Systems	3			
PSY 410		Tests and Measurements	3			
<i>Electives</i>		<i>Two Courses (6 credits)</i>				
		<i>Students can select from those listed above, taking a second course in a category; or from those listed below</i>				
PSY 302		Psychology of Adjustment	3			
PSY 304		The Psychology & Education of the Exceptional Child	3			
PSY 306		Issues in Early Childhood Development	3			
PSY 310		Behavior Modification	3			
PSY 315		Psychology of Sex Differences	3			
PSY 316		The psychology of Human Intimacy & Sexuality	3			
PSY 325		Educational Psychology	3			
PSY 326		Mental Retardation	3			
PSY 349		Psychology Applied to Media	3			
PSY 367		Comparative Psychology	3			
PSY 368		Psychology of Physical Disabilities	3			
PSY 377		The Psychology of the Quest	3			
PSY 380		Seminar in Selected Topics	3			
PSY 385		Psychology of Religion	3			
PSY 399		Independent Readings	3			
PSY 400		Advanced Research in Psychology	3			
PSY 490		Practicum	3			
PSY 499		Independent Study & Research	3			

Total Credits needed: _____

Cumulative GPA: _____

Special Considerations:

Notes:

Departmental Approval: _____

Date _____

1 copy student; 1 copy CLAS Advising Center File; 1 copy College of Education; 1 copy Major Program Advisor

Next Steps:

1. Apply to Grand Valley State University if you have undergraduate courses remaining. Click here for a link to the Admissions Application: <http://admissions.gvsu.edu/admissions/undergrad.asp>
2. Successfully complete all coursework
3. Successfully complete the State required test in your endorsement area

4. Complete the “endorsement application” form from the Registrar’s Office.
5. Submit official transcripts from all colleges and universities you have attended (do not resend if Grand Valley has all of your transcripts).
6. A returned approved Endorsement Audit from the appropriate academic department.

After all paperwork has been received and the recommendation has been made to the State, the Registrar’s Office will mail you a 90-day letter verifying the completion of your new endorsement. The State will send you the fee for a new endorsement. Once you pay the fee, the State will mail you a newly endorsed teaching certificate.