

**ATKINSON
FACULTY OF LIBERAL AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES
BACHELOR OF ARTS
PSYCHOLOGY - SPECIALIZED HONOURS**

STUDY PLAN CHECKLIST

NOTE: Students are responsible for meeting requirements in effect **at the time of entry/re-entry to the program.** It is the responsibility of the student to take the correct courses and ensure all degree and program requirements are met.

GENERAL EDUCATION - 24 CREDITS:	COMPLETE or INCOMPLETE	GRADE	PREVIOUS INSTITUTION(S)
HUMA 6.00 1000-level			
SOSC 6.00 1000-level			
NATS 6.00 1000-level			
AK/MATH or MODR 6.00 1000-level			
MAJORS - 54 CREDITS:			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 1010 6.00 - Note 1			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 2021 3.00			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 2022 3.00			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 2030 3.00			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 3010 3.00			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 3.00 - Note 2			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 3.00 - Note 2			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 3.00 - Note 3			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 3.00 - Note 3			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 3.00			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 3.00			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 4000 6.00			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 6.00 4000-level			
AK/AS/SC PSYC 6.00 4000-level			
Required courses outside the major: 18 credits			
6.00			
6.00			
6.00			
Free choice courses:			
6.00			
6.00			
6.00			
6.00			

Note 1: Students must obtain a minimum grade of C (4.0) in AK/AS/SC PSYC 1010 6.00 to be permitted to continue as a Major in Psychology, as well as to take any further Psychology courses for which AK/AS/SC PSYC 1010 6.00 is a prerequisite.

Note 2: At least 6 credits in PSYC must be chosen from the 2100/3100 series.

Note 3: At least 6 credits in PSYC must be chosen from the 2200/3200 series.

Only 6 credits in clinical courses may be taken to fulfil requirements. (See Departmental mini-calendar for the list of clinical courses.)

This does not prevent students from taking more than six credits in clinical courses.

**MINIMUM FACULTY DEGREE REQUIREMENTS
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IMPORTANT NOTE: A Study Plan Checklist is an aid for planning courses only and should be used in conjunction with the calendar. It is NOT a substitute for the calendar. Degree and program requirements are subject to change. Every effort has been made to ensure that the study plan checklist and the York Undergraduate Calendar reflect the most recent changes. There may be instances when what is published does not reflect the most current University policy. In such instances, when the published versions of policies or regulations differ from what has been most recently approved by Senate, the latter will prevail.

Minimum academic standing for BA Honours degree: Cumulative grade point average 5.0

General education requirements: 24 credits in accordance with the following to be completed at the 1000 level: six credits Humanities; six credits Natural Science; six credits Social Science and six credits Mathematics or Modes or Reasoning. Some programs require MATH1710 6.00 as a general education requirement. Please refer to your program of study. General education courses DO NOT fulfil major or the degree requirement of courses required outside the major. No more than 30 general education credits will count towards a degree. (Exception: students who have successfully completed a nine credit 1000 level foundation course will be considered to have satisfied the six credit corresponding area of study in general education and three credits will count toward non-major or free choice courses.)

Major requirements: Normally 54 credits including 12 credits at the 4000 level.

Required courses outside the major: At least 18 credits.

Upper level requirements: Of the required 120 credits for the degree, students must complete at least 36 credits at the 3000 level or above, including at least 18 credits at the 4000 level.

Residency requirement: At least 30 credits not used toward another academic program are to be taken at York University. Half the major credits must be taken through Atkinson.

Graduating with a BA Honours degree: Students must pass at least 120 credits which meet Atkinson degree and program requirements. The cumulative grade point average (GPA) must be at least 5.0 for all courses.

Failure to maintain minimum academic standing for Honours: Advising is recommended.

Students whose cumulative grade point average on at least 24 York credits is below 2.5 must withdraw for 12 months.

Students whose cumulative grade point average falls below 5.0 (C+) during the course of their studies may proceed in an Honours program, on warning, provided that they meet the year level progression requirements as set out below: (year level is determined by number of passed courses including transfer credit):

Year 1 - 0 - 23 credits - Minimum 4.0

Year 2 - 24-53 credits - Minimum 4.25

Year 3 - 54-83 credits - Minimum 4.80

Year 4 - 84 credits - Minimum 5.0

Students who have completed less than 84 credits who fail to meet the minimum grade requirement for progression in Honours will be placed in the bachelor program of the major discipline (if applicable).

Students who have completed 84 credits but less than 120 credits whose cumulative grade point average is below 5.0 will be ineligible to proceed in Honours. Students may petition for an Honours waiver. Students who have completed 90 credits but less than 120 credits whose cumulative grade point average is at least 4.0 but below 5.0 may apply to graduate with the 90 credit bachelor degree or petition for an Honours waiver.

Students who have completed 120 credits or greater with a cumulative grade point average of less than 5.0 will be ineligible to proceed or graduate. Students may apply to graduate with the 90 credit bachelor degree if the cumulative grade point average is at least 4.0.

For further information, students should refer to the academic standing and academic penalties sections for Atkinson in the York Undergraduate Calendar available on the main York web site at: www.yorku.ca, under current students, courses and enrolment.

For further program information please contact the Department of Psychology, Room 527 Atkinson, 416-736-5202, Fax: 416-736-5662 or E-mail: akpsyc@yorku.ca

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