



Psychology Courses Meeting the Prerequisite Requirement:

I am having some trouble deciding which psychology classes will meet your requirements. Can you give me any direction?

This is a frequently asked question. Psychology is a diverse subject with a wide spectrum of course offerings.

Most any course offered by the psychology department would be acceptable to fulfill the requirement. The only exception is psychological statistics. Though this course will fulfill the prerequisite requirement for statistics, it will not fulfill the psychology requirement.

Good choices of psychology coursework for future optometrists would be:

- Biopsychology
- Neuropharmacology of psychoactive drugs
- Conditioning and learning
- Cognitive neuroscience
- Visual neuroscience
- Psychopharmacology and psychotherapeutic drugs
- Drug abuse: psychopharmacology
- Behavioral endocrinology
- Abnormal psychology
- Neurobiology of brain states

If you have a concern as to whether a particular course is acceptable to meet the prerequisite requirements, please submit the following information to ODadmissions@ketchum.edu where the course will be reviewed for acceptability:

- Which prerequisite requirement you are trying to fulfill with the course
- Name of school that offers the course
- Course # and name
- # of units (specify semester or quarter)
- Course description as copied from the school's online course catalog

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