



Pine Technical & Community College

# Psychology Transfer Pathway

## • Associate of Arts

The Psychology Transfer Pathway offers students a powerful option: the opportunity to complete an Associate of Arts degree with course credits that directly transfer to designated Psychology bachelor's degree programs at Minnesota State universities.\* The curriculum has been specifically designed so that students completing this pathway degree and transferring to one of the seven Minnesota State universities enter the university with junior-year status. All courses in the Transfer Pathway associate degree will directly transfer and apply to the designated bachelor's degree programs in a related field. \*Universities within the Minnesota State system include Bemidji State University, Metropolitan State University, Minnesota State University Mankato, Minnesota State University Moorhead, Southwest Minnesota State University, St. Cloud State University, and Winona State University.

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## Recommended Course Sequence for Completion in 2 Years

### Fall Semester 1

ENGL 1276 College Composition	
or ENGL 1277 Technical Communication	4
MATH 1260 College Algebra	
or MATH 1265 Elementary Statistics	3
PSYC 1210 General Psychology	4
CCPD 1010 Success Strategies for College & Prof. Dev.	2
PHIL 1220 Human Ethics	3
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>16</b>

### Spring Semester 1

COMM 1100 Introduction to Communication	3
PSYC 1350 Statistics for Psychology	4
PSYC 1250 Lifespan Development	
or PSYC 1320 Abnormal Psychology	3
BUSN 1120 Business Computer Applications	
or COCP 1201 Computer Concepts and Applications	2
MnTC Goal Area 3	3
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>15</b>

### Summer Semester 1

PSYC 1220 Environmental Psychology (optional)	3
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>3</b>

### Fall Semester 2

MnTC Goal Area 1 (additional ENGL course)	3
PSYC 1225 Health Psychology	
or PSYC 1300 Social Psychology	3
BIOL 1250 General Biology	4
Any additional PSYC course	3
General Elective MnTC Goal Areas 1-10	3
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>16</b>

### Spring Semester 2

HIST 1500 World History since 1500	3
MUSC 1200 Music Appreciation	
or MnTC Goal Area 6 (not PHIL)	3
MnTC Goal Area 10 (if needed)	
or Elective	3
General Elective MnTC Goal Areas 1-10 (can take additional PSYC courses to cover goal areas)	4
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>13</b>

**TOTAL DEGREE CREDITS** ..... 60

**Psychology Transfer Pathway AA Degree Earned!**

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## Get the Credit You Deserve!

### What is Credit for Prior Learning (CPL)?

Pine Technical & Community College (PTCC) values learning that happens outside of the classroom. Many students enrolling at PTCC bring with them a wealth of knowledge and real-world experiences that can be turned into college credit.

### Ways students can gain Credit for Prior Learning:

- Job skills and work experience
- Employer training programs
- Volunteer or community services
- Self-study
- Military education and occupations
- Industry certifications
- High school articulate college credit
- Standardized exams

### Earning Credit for Prior Learning is Easy

1. Visit the CPL website at [mycpl.minnstate.edu](http://mycpl.minnstate.edu) to see a full list of eligible courses, requirements, and assessment methods to determine if CPL is right for you.
2. Reach out to [records@pine.edu](mailto:records@pine.edu) to discuss CPL opportunities, payment (if required), and assessment information.

## New to PTCC? Visit Campus!

- Take a campus tour
- Learn about scholarships
- Meet the admissions team
- Tour housing and The REC

### Book an appointment to explore PTCC!

Sign up to visit in person, or virtually, to learn more about PTCC programs, admissions requirements, housing options, and more.



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