## PSYCHOLOGY (PSY)

Concentration Sheet (15 credits)

**Program Description:** The Department of Psychology provides students with the opportunity to develop a strong understanding of the various subdisciplines of psychology. As an area of study within the framework of the liberal arts, the program introduces students to the study of human behavior and its wide applications in society.

## Foundational Courses: 6 credits at the 200 level:

- Choose one: PSY 202 (Abnormal Psychology) or PSY 204 (Social Psychology)
- Choose one course in development:
  - PSY 220 (Lifespan Development)
  - PSY 201 (Child Psychology)
  - PSY 215 (Adolescent Psychology)

Note: PSY 101 is a prerequisite for these foundational courses. LAR Majors who want to concentrate in Psychology are encouraged to build this pre-requisite into their distribution requirement courses at the 100 level.

For a current Psychology major who is switching to LAR-Concentration in Psychology, certain courses can be substituted for a 200-level course, if the student received a passing grade. Consult the Psychology Department.

Advanced Courses: 9 credits at the 300 level; any 300 level (excluding PSY 390 or above); prerequisites apply (See examples below. Contact Psychology Department for other available courses.)

- PSY 301: Psychology of Adulthood and Aging (requires PSY 201/215/220)
- PSY 330: Personality Theory (requires PSY 101)
- PSY 333: Psychology in Sport (requires PSY 101)
- PSY 376: Autism: From Origins to Interventions (requires PSY 202/215/220)

For a current Psychology major who is switching to LAR-Concentration in Psychology, any 300 or 400 level courses can be substituted, if the student received a passing grade.