### LIBERAL STUDIES REQUIREMENTS (47 credits)

See Liberal Studies Guide for Goal and Enrichment choices.

### GOAL COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Complete Goal Course requirements as indicated below (38 credits)

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### The Arts (3 credits)

- Goal

### Global Community (9 credits)

- Goal — Non-US
- Goal — US
- Goal

### Human Institutions/Interpersonal Relationships (3 credits)

- Goal

### Science, Technology & Math (11 credits)

- BIOL 104 | Principles of Biology / Lab | 4 |
- CHEM 107/111 | General Chemistry I / Lab | 4 |
- STAT 152 | Elementary Statistics | 3 |

### Challenges of the Modern Age (3 credits)

- Goal

### ENRICHMENT COURSE REQUIREMENTS (9 credits)

Choose one course from three of the following Enrichment areas

### The Arts

### Global Community

### Human Institutions/Interpersonal Relationships

### Science, Technology & Math

- BIOL 216 | Anatomy & Physiology I / Lab | 3 |

### OTHER BASIC REQUIREMENTS

Check with your advisor or a current degree audit report to see if you have been exempted from this course. The credit earned in this course will not be counted toward the 120 credit hour minimum needed to earn a degree.

- AUSD 110 | Beginning Algebra | 3 |

### COMPUTER COMPETENCY

Students must demonstrate “computer competency” by:

- Passed Exam
- Pass Computer Competency Exam

OR CPSC

Complete one of the following courses: CPSC 100, 110, 130, or PE 202 at SRU or another post-secondary institution.

### Writing Competency Requirements

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### Required Professional Competency (3 credits)

- CPSC 420 | Community Service Practicum in Psych | 3 |

### Psychology Elective Diversity (3 credits)

Choose one course

- PSYC 300 | Psychology of Women, Gender, and Culture | 3 |
- PSYC 315 | Psychology of Sexual and Gender Diversity | 3 |
- PSYC 392 | Cross Cultural Psychology | 3 |

### Psychology Elective Applied (3 credits)

Choose one course

- PSYC 304 | Theories of Counseling | 3 |
- PSYC 306 | Introduction to Psychological Testing | 3 |
- PSYC 318 | Child Clinical Psychology | 3 |
- PSYC 320 | Intro to Clinical Psychology | 3 |
- PSYC 375 | Psychopathology | 3 |
- PSYC 475 | Behavior Modification | 3 |

### Psychology Elective Biobehavioral (3 credits)

Choose one course

- PSYC 233 | Sensation and Perception | 3 |
- PSYC 303 | Learning | 3 |
- PSYC 351 | Drugs and Behavior | 3 |
- PSYC 334 | Health Psychology | 3 |
- PSYC 338 | Cognitive Psychology | 3 |

### Psychology Elective Development (3 credits)

Choose one course

- PSYC 364 | Child and Adolescent Development | 3 |
- PSYC 385 | Psychology of Aging | 3 |
- PSYC 415 | Multicultural Identity Development | 3 |
- PSYC 477 | Developmental Neuroscience | 3 |
- PSYC 398/498 | Selected Topics in Development (Relationships Across the Lifespan) | 3 |
- PSYC 398/498 | Selected Topics in Development (Infant/Child Development) | 3 |
- PSYC 428 | Social Emotional Lifespan Development | 3 |
- PSYC 445 | Infant and Child Cognition | 3 |

### ADDITIONAL PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT PREREQUISITE COURSES (18-20 credits)

(see page 2 for all Admission Requirements)

- BIOL 217 | Anatomy & Physiology II / Lab | 3 |
- BIOL 250 | Genetics.lab | 4 |
- BIOL 210 or BIOL 330 | Medical Microbiology/lab or Microbiology/lab | 3 |
- CHEM 108 | General Chemistry I | 3 |
- CHEM 111 | General Chemistry I Lab | 1 |
- CHEM 201 | Organic Chemistry | 3 |
- ERS / HCAM 250 | Medical Terminology | 3 |
- PA 500 | Applied Med Term for PA's | 1 |

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**IMPORTANT CURRICULUM GUIDE NOTES**

This Curriculum Guide is provided to help SRU students and prospective students better understand their intended major curriculum. Enrolled SRU students should note that the My Rock Audit may place already-earned and/or in progress courses in different, yet valid, curriculum categories. Enrolled SRU students should use the My Rock Audit Report and materials and information provided by their faculty advisors to ensure accurate progress towards degree completion. The information on this guide is current as of the date below. Students are responsible for curriculum requirements at the time of enrollment at the University.

**NOTE:** All 200 and 300 level Majors courses (except PSYC 300 and PSYC 315) require PSYC 105 as a pre-requisite.

Course may have a pre-requisite. See Undergraduate Online Catalog.

PSYC 221 and 325/326 are pre-requisites for course

**Additional Psychology Requirements**

- All Psychology Required courses, except PSYC 105, and Professional Competency must be taken at SRU.
- If Psychology Electives are transferred in, only grades of A and B will transfer.

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**GPA REQUIREMENT – Psychology**

1st Major: Psychology
- Overall GPA: 2.00 or higher
- Major GPA (only includes Psychology courses): 2.50 or higher

2nd Major: Pre-PA SRU 3+2 Psychology
- Overall GPA: 3.00 or higher

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** Any statistics course with inferential statistics embedded – see My Rock Audit for specific courses.

PRE-PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT SRU 3+2 REQUIREMENTS
If any of these requirements are not met, the 3+2 designation will be removed from the student's record:
1. A 3.0 or higher overall GPA must be maintained by the student.
2. The student can only be enrolled in the Pre-Physician Assistant SRU 3+2 program for a maximum of three (3) years, full-time continuous enrollment (fall/spring).

FOR ALL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
Please refer to Slippery Rock University’s Physician Assistant Studies (Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies) website for requirements.
http://www.sru.edu/pa

Provision: Should a Pre-Physician Assistant SRU 3+2 student be unsuccessful in completing the 1st year (any of summer, fall, or spring terms) of the Physician Assistant program and wants to complete the original undergraduate degree, it is solely up to the discretion of the undergraduate program Department Chair to determine which, if any, Physician Assistant courses will count toward the completion of his/her undergraduate degree. In addition, students must complete any unfulfilled requirements of their undergraduate major. Students may still apply to the Physician Assistant Studies program with an earned Bachelor's degree.

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