Are you interested in the human mind? You are in the right place! Psychology is all about human behavior and what dictates it. Why do people behave the way they do? What makes people happy or unhappy? What are the relationships between the mind and the brain? Majoring in psychology will allow for you to explore the behavior of people and how their minds work and apply it to the modern world. Our scientific approach to understanding human behavior equips students with a solid foundation of analytical, research and clinical skills for careers in many fields with a human service emphasis. Please feel free to contact us at 785-864-4131 or psychology@ku.edu.

The information in this guide will provide a sample four-semester plan starting at Hesston College and transferring to KU for the remaining coursework. Please contact advising@ku.edu to discuss your individual situation with an advisor. We encourage you to apply to KU by February 1 prior to the fall semester you plan to transfer.

KU Core

The KU Core establishes six educational goals for all undergraduates at KU. The KU Core is designed to yield fundamental skills, build a broad background of knowledge, generate capacities and opportunities for blending and creating ideas, strengthen an appreciation of cultural and global diversity, and cultivate ethical integrity. One unit for the KU Core is equivalent to three credit hours.

General Education Goal 1: Critical Thinking and Quantitative Literacy
(one unit: GE 1.1, one unit: GE 1.2, two units total)

General Education Goal 2: Strengthen written and oral communication
(two units: GE 2.1, one unit GE 2.2, three units total)

General Education Goal 3: Develop a background of knowledge across fundamental areas of study
(one unit each: GE 3H, GE 3S, GE 3N, three units total)

Advanced Education Goal 4: Respect human diversity and expand cultural understanding and global awareness
(one unit: AE 4.1, one unit: AE 4.2, two units total)

Advanced Education Goal 5: Practice social responsibility and demonstrate ethical behavior
(one unit: AE 5.1, or one unit: AE 5.2, one unit total)

Advanced Education Goal 6: Gain the ability to integrate knowledge and think creatively
(completed within major at KU)

Find a the most up-to-date listings of transferable courses at: http://credittransfer.ku.edu. You can search by specific goal or view many of the courses that transfer to KU.

If a class is not listed contact transfercredit@ku.edu to inquire about transferability.
It is the STUDENT’S RESPONSIBILITY to check for updates to all transfer information. This transfer program is provided as a service and is updated annually. Degree requirements at KU are subject to change.

A maximum of 64 hours of community college course work can be applied toward a KU degree. “S” before a number (ex. MATH S365) indicates the course will be satisfied but will not count toward the number of Junior/Senior hours required for graduation, courses with a grade of D+ or below cannot count toward degree requirements.

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