

Name: _____ Perm: _____ Current Quarter: _____

Change of Major Status:

- Eligible now (*allow 2 weeks to process*)
- "Pending" (*end of this quarter*)
- "Pending" (*future quarter: _____*)

Unit Standing:

- Fr (0-44.9)
- So (45-89.9)
- Jr (90-134.9)
- Sr (135+)

Academic Year Level:

- 1st
- 2nd
- 3rd
- 4th

Started UCSB as:

- First-time Freshman
- Transfer

Please fill out the following charts with your UC GPA values. AP courses and CC transfer courses have no UC GPA value – please mark "X" in the grade box and "0" in the grade points box. For legal repeats, in the grade box mark "R" and then identify the best of the two grades (ex: R = A-), using the best grade for grade points. For current enrollments, mark "WIP" (Work in Progress) and leave the grade points box empty or mark "0". The calculation boxes below will help you identify the grade points needed.

Pre-Major Rules:

- 2.7 UC GPA in Area I / 2.0 UC GPA in Area II
- Must be letter grade (P/NP not accepted)
- No grade lower than C- (no more than one C-)
- Must be completed before 144 units

Letter Grade → Grade Point Value

	1 unit	3 units	4 units	5 units
A	4.0	12.0	16.0	20.0
A-	3.7	11.1	14.8	18.5
B+	3.3	9.9	13.2	16.5
B	3.0	9.0	12.0	15.0
B-	2.7	8.1	10.8	13.5
C+	2.3	6.9	9.2	11.5
C	2.0	6.0	8.0	10.0
C-	1.7	5.1	6.8	8.5

Area I Grade Goal:

Area II Grade Goal:

AREA I Course	Unit Value	Grade (CC/AP = "X")	Grade Pts (CC/AP = "0")
PSY 1 (4 units)			
Calc (4 units)			
PSTAT (5 units)			
PSY 10A @UCSB			
PSY 10B @UCSB			

AREA II Course	Unit Value	Grade (CC/AP = "X")	Grade Pts (CC/AP = "0")
CHEM 1A (3 units)			
CHEM 1B (3)			
MCDB 1A/6 (4)			
EEMB 2/7 (3)			

Helpful Calculations:

Area I UC Units:

Pre-Major X _____

Total pts needed:

Current pts earned:

Pts needed to declare*:

**Negative pts = passed 2.7*

Area II UC Units:

Pre-Major X _____

Total pts needed:

Current pts earned:

Pts needed to declare*:

**Negative pts = passed 2.0*

Please identify your current enrollments and present your academic plan for the next two quarters:

Academic Year: _____	FALL _____	WINTER _____	SPRING _____	SUMMER _____		
				A	B	C
	Q1 unit total= _____	Q2= _____	Q3= _____	Q4 (Summer A+B+C)= _____		
AY4 Unit Total (Q1+Q2+Q3+Q4)= _____						
Academic Year: _____	FALL _____	WINTER _____	SPRING _____	SUMMER _____		
				A	B	C
	Q1 unit total= _____	Q2= _____	Q3= _____	Q4 (Summer A+B+C)= _____		
AY4 Unit Total (Q1+Q2+Q3+Q4)= _____						

COLLEGE OF LETTERS & SCIENCE

Change of Major or Emphasis Petition

Please see instructions for completing this form on reverse.

Name _____ Perm Number _____

Umail Address _____ Phone Number: () _____

Unit Standing: FR (0-44.9) SO (45-89.9) JR (90-134.9) SR (135+)

Expected graduate quarter: _____, _____ Declared to graduate in current quarter? Y N
Qtr Yr

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Proposed Change of Major

From:

Current Major(s): Pre _____ & Pre _____
(Double major if applicable)

(Emphasis)

(Emphasis)

To:

Proposed Major(s): Pre _____ & Pre _____
Catalog Year (Double major if applicable) Catalog Year

(Emphasis)

(Emphasis)

Approval of Department Chair(s) of Proposed Major(s)

 Signature of Chair or designee Department Date

 Signature of Chair or designee Department Date

Letters and Science Dean's Approval

[Required if a student has completed more than 134.9 units, is changing to undeclared, or is adding a second (or third, etc.) major]

 Signature of Dean or designee (Letters and Science) Date

Office of Registrar use only:
 Processed by: _____ Date: _____



PSYCHOLOGICAL & BRAIN SCIENCES MAJOR, B.S. – 2021-2022

Admission to the major is contingent upon fulfilling the following requirements:

1) At least a 2.7 University of California grade-point average in Area I; **2)** At least a 2.0 University of California grade-point average in Area II; **3)** All courses must be completed on a letter-grade basis; **4)** No course with a grade lower than C- in Area I & II; **5)** Not more than one course with a C- in Area I & II; **6)** Students must submit a “Petition to Change Major” to the departmental main office (1814 Psychology East) for admission to the pre-major and major.

PRE-MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

UNITS YET TO COMPLETE

Area I courses:

PSY 1, MATH 34A (or 2A or 3A), and PSTAT 5A or equivalent 13-14 _____
PSY 10A, 10B 10 _____

Note: Students must complete PSY 1, MATH 34A (or 2A or 3A), PSTAT 5A or equivalent, and CHEM 1A-B (or 2A-B) prior to enrolling in PSY 10A; PSY 10A is a prerequisite for PSY 10B.

Area II courses:

CHEM 1A-B (or 2A-B) 6 _____
MCDB 6 and EEMB 7 (or MCDB 1A and EEMB 2) 7 _____

Note: CHEM 1C is a prerequisite for MCDB 1A which may be taken concurrently.

PREPARATION FOR THE MAJOR

Note: The following courses are *not* required to be admitted into the major, but are required to complete the major:

Area III courses:

Four courses from the following: ANTH 2, 5, 7; CHEM 1C; C LIT 27; CMPSC 8, 16; EARTH 2, 3; ECON 1, 2, 9; EEMB 3; ENV S 1, 2, 3; GEOG 5; LING 20, 50, 70; MCDB 1B, 20; MATH 4A, 4B, 34B (or 2B or 3B); PHIL 3, 4; PHYS 1, 2, 3, 6A, 6B, 6C, 20; POL S 1 12-18 _____

UPPER-DIVISION MAJOR

45 UD units are required, distributed as follow:

- A. All four breadth requirement courses: PSY 102, 105, 106, 108 16 _____
B. Two courses from PSY 110-195 8 _____
C. At least one laboratory course from the following:
PSY 117L, 118L, 119L, 120L, 129L, 138L, 150L, 155L 5 _____
D. 16 additional units chosen from a combination of the following: 16 _____
1. PSY 110-195 (up to 16 units)
2. Research or Honors Experience (up to 12 units): 197A-B-C, 199, 199P
3. Interdisciplinary List of Courses (up to 8 units): ANTH 121, 121T, 151T, 153S, 169, 177AB, 192AB; CNCSP 114; EEMB 129, 131, 154, 157, 180; ENV S 106; GEOG 153A, 153B, 153C; LING 127, 137, 149, 185; PHIL 124A, 134, 180; RGST 156BE, 172; SOC 148

Note: Enrollment in PSY 110 or higher courses is contingent upon satisfying pre-major requirements.

MAJOR REGULATIONS

PREREQUISITES

Check the *General Catalog* for the prerequisites to all listed courses.

P/NP GRADING OPTION

Up to 8 units of PSY 199P may be taken for major credit. All other major courses (Pre, Prep, or UD), including courses applied to the major from other departments, must be completed on a letter-grade basis.

SUBSTITUTIONS

In the major requirements permissible only by petition to the department chair and dean.

RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS

At least 20 UD units in major while in residence at UCSB.

G.P.A. REQUIREMENTS

At least 2.0 overall UC average in **all** upper-division major courses **and all** courses (Prep and UD) for the major.

DOUBLE MAJORS

With the approval of each department chairperson, up to a total of 8 units may be applied simultaneously to both UD majors.