

DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY MINOR

Banner Code: DVLP

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This minor is designed to provide students with an understanding of the ways in which humans change over time. Coursework provides for a broad foundation in psychology across the lifespan while also allowing for students to focus on a developmental period (e.g. childhood).

Admissions & Policies

Policies

Eight credits of coursework must be unique to the minor and students must complete all coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.00. For policies governing all minors, see AP5.3.4 Minors (<http://catalog.gmu.edu/policies/academic/undergraduate-policies/#ap-5-3-4>).

Requirements

Minor Requirements

Total credits: 18

Students should be aware of the specific policies associated with this program, located on the Admissions & Policies tab.

Required Courses

Code	Title	Credits
PSYC 100	Basic Concepts in Psychology (Mason Core) (http://catalog.gmu.edu/mason-core/)	3
PSYC 211	Lifespan Development (Mason Core) (http://catalog.gmu.edu/mason-core/)	3
Total Credits		6

Electives

Code	Title	Credits
Select a minimum of 12 credits from the following:		12
PSYC 313	Child Development	
PSYC 314	Adolescent Development	
PSYC 379	Applied Cross-Cultural Psychology (Mason Core) (http://catalog.gmu.edu/mason-core/)	
PSYC 414	Behavior Disorders of Childhood	
PSYC 415	Psychological Factors in Aging	
PSYC 460	Independent Study in Psychology ¹	
PSYC 461	Special Topics ²	

HDFS 200	Individual and Family Development (Mason Core) (http://catalog.gmu.edu/mason-core/)
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Total Credits	12
1	When content is developmental, with approval.
2	When topic is developmental, when approved by Psychology Associate Chair of Undergraduate Studies.