

B1388 Bachelor of Arts (Psychology)

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Start Date: Semester 1 2024

Year 1 – 2024	Semester 1 Units		CP	Semester 2 Units		CP
		COM100 Thinking Communication	3		MSP100 Managing Your Career	3
		PSY141 Introduction to Psychological Science	3		PSY173 Introduction to Psychological Research Methods	3
		PSY101 Introduction to Cultural Psychology	3		PSY172 Introduction to Psychological Health & Wellbeing	3
		100-level General elective	3		PSY100 Introduction to Environmental Psychology and Sustainability	3
		Total	12		Total	12
Year 2 - 2025	Semester 1 Units		CP	Semester 2 Units		CP
		BSC201 Psychology: Measurement, Design and Analysis	3		**MSP200 Building Enterprise Skills	3
		PSY286 Human Development	3		PSY285 Social Bases of Behaviour	3
		PSY251 Biological Bases of Behaviour	3		PSY294 Cognitive Processes	3
		PSY391 Individual Differences and Performance	3		PSY297 Sensation & Perception	3
		Total	12		Total	12
Year 3 - 20	Semester 1 Units		CP	Semester 2 Units		CP
		**MSP201 Real World Learning	3		BSC302 Advanced Quantitative Research Methods	3
		PSY287 Evolved Social Cognition	3		*PSY382 Psychology of Ageing	3
		PSY389 Drugs & Dependence	3		PSY388 Abnormal Behaviour	3
		PSY393 The Developing Mind	3		*PSY396 Cognitive Neuroscience	3
		Total	12		Total	12

TOTAL CREDIT POINTS 72

Notes

Bolded text: course or major core units required to obtain the BA(Psychology)

Plain text units: general electives (the psychology units indicated are those that we suggest, but other units may be taken instead)

*At least ONE of PSY396 or PSY382 must be taken. You may choose to take the other as an elective.

**At least TWO of {MSP200, MSP201, MSP202, COM208, COM203} are required for Murdoch Career Learning Spine. One of those units can be replaced with PSY380, but there are eligibility requirements for PSY380 and students cannot self-enrol in that unit.

A minimum of 12 credit points of 100-level units must be completed before enrolling in 200-level units.

No more than 30 credit points of 100-level units can be counted toward the degree.

Please note: This course plan is a sample only and must be read in conjunction with the full course structure, unit prerequisites and enrolment options as outlined in the [Handbook](#). Students should note that due to unit prerequisites, commencing study in Semester 2 may extend the duration of the course. This information is correct as at 09/12/23.