

Master of Arts (MA) in Psychology – Specialist in School Psychology

2026-2027 Official Degree Plan



Degree Requirements

(all courses required for major must be completed with "C" or higher)

COURSES	HOURS
PSYC 5340 Orientation and Consulting in School Psychology	3
PSYC 5309 Ethics in School Psychology	3
PSYC 5313 Methods and Techniques in Counseling	3
PSYC 5316 Child Psychopathology	3
PSYC 5323 Theories of Counseling and Psychology	3
PSYC 5330 Psychology of Learning	3
PSYC 6344 Educational Appraisal of Individuals with Exceptionalities	3
PSYC 5353 Physiological Psychology	3
PSYC 6301 Principles of Human Development	3
PSYC 6305 Individual Psychological Evaluation	3
PSYC 6309 Applied Behavioral Analysis	3
PSYC 6308 Methods of Group Process	3
PSYC 6320 Research Techniques and Procedures	3
PSYC 6323 Crisis Response and Trauma Care	3
PSYC 6392 Program Evaluation and Statistics	3
PSYC 6343 Personality Assessment	3
PSYC 6111 Practicum in School Psychology I	1
PSYC 6112 Practicum in School Psychology II	1
PSYC 6182 Special Topics: Current Issues in School Psychology	1
PSYC 5360 Cultural Psychology	3
EDSP 5319 Teaching Strategies in Special Education	3
PSYC 6331 Specialist in School Psychology Internship I	3
PSYC 6332 Specialist in School Psychology Internship II	3
Total Hours in Degree	63

Additional Graduation Requirements

- No grade below a "C"
- No grade below a "B" in PSYC 6305 and PSYC 6343
- Admitted to Candidacy
- Transfer credits from another college or university will be reviewed and approved by the college and department
- Candidate must complete the degree within five years

Filing a Degree Plan

All graduate students must have an official signed and approved degree plan on file with the Office of Academic Records by the end of their first semester of enrollment. Students should contact their academic advisor to begin the process. For questions, email degreeplans@HC.edu.

Applying for Graduation

Undergraduate students should apply for graduation through HuskyNet at least one semester before their anticipated graduation date. An official degree plan must be on file before the application can be accessed. More information about applying for graduation, including deadlines, can be found on the [Graduation Application website](#). For questions, email grad@HC.edu.

Degree Works

Access Degree Works through the [HCU Student Portal \(my.HC.edu\)](#) to view your degree plan status, graduation application status, and track your progress to graduation. For questions, contact your academic advisor.

University Catalog

The University Catalog is the official record of academic policies. Students are responsible for familiarizing themselves with the information in the catalog, including attendance policies, transfer credit policies, academic standing information, and course descriptions. The catalog can be found on the [HCU Catalog website](#).

Acknowledgment and Signatures

By signing below, you acknowledge that you have read and agree to abide by all requirements on the degree plan. This degree plan is not valid until received & processed by the Office of Academic Records.

Student Name (Printed)

Student H#

HCU Email

Student Signature

Date

Advisor Signature

Date

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