



INFORMATION ON SELECTING MINORS AND ELECTIVES

Bachelor of Psychology / Bachelor of Social Science (Psychology)

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Students enrolled in both of these undergraduate psychology courses are required to complete a **minor of six subjects**.

In choosing their minor, students should select six subjects, including at least one level 3 subject, from a single discipline or cognate area.

Students must ensure that they will be able to satisfy the prerequisites/assumed knowledge as specified in the Handbook

<http://csu.edu.au/handbook/handbook18> for each of the subjects that they include in their minor.

To assist in this process, the following minor sequences in some of the most commonly chosen disciplines have been approved. Please note that this information is accurate at the time of publishing, but may be subject to change. It is the responsibility of the student to check the Handbook or the Subject Availability List* to ensure that any prerequisites/assumed knowledge have been met at the time of enrolment.

Students intending to undertake a minor sequence **that varies from the ones listed in this document** are advised to follow these steps to customise a minor:

1. Using the Subject Availability List*, select six (6) subjects, including at least one at Level 3, from a single discipline (or from more than one discipline, provided the subjects are related)
2. Check that you will be able to satisfy the prerequisites or assumed knowledge for each subject
3. Check that the subjects will be offered in the sessions in which you want to include them in your enrolment
4. Submit your proposal, including details of all six subjects, for approval: ask@csu.edu.au

Students who have been granted credit for previous TAFE or University studies *may* not need to complete a minor or the electives in their course.

If you have been granted credit for previous studies (usually shown as TCR on a student transcript), and are uncertain how this will impact on your enrolment, please email ask@csu.edu.au for advice.

Contact Student Central if you need assistance enrolling: ask@csu.edu.au.

* Access the Subject Availability List and manage your enrolment online from the Administration tab at <http://student.csu.edu.au/>

MINOR IN BIOLOGY		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
BIO100 #	Concepts of Biology			✓	✓#					
BIO112	Principals of Ecology						✓		✓	✓
BIO203 #	Animal Diversity		✓		✓#					
HRT202 #	Plant Taxonomy and Systematics								✓#	
Plus ONE from										
BIO323 #	River and Floodplain Ecology				✓#					
BIO312	Landscape Ecology				✓					
Plus ONE from										
MCR101 #	Introduction to Microbiology							✓	✓#	
BIO216	Conservation Biology				✓			✓		
# Compulsory Residential School										

Click on the [subject code hyperlink](#) to check subject availability and to see if any prerequisites or assumed knowledge requirements apply to the subject.

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MINOR IN ENGLISH		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
LIT107	English Literature 1	✓	✓	✓	✓					
LIT108	English Literature 2					✓	✓	✓	✓	
Plus FOUR other subjects (at least one at level 3) from:										
CLT209	Media, Languages & Culture					✓			✓	
COM111 *	Professional Writing	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
COM327	Literature and Film			✓	✓					
LIT214	Australian Literature					✓	✓	✓	✓	
LIT220 *	Screenwriting				✓					
LIT221 *	Creative Writing					✓	✓	✓	✓	
LIT301	Modernism	✓	✓		✓					
LIT302	Contemporary Australian Writing				✓					
LIT303	The English Novel from Austen to Lawrence									✓
WRT301 *	Life Writing								✓	
* Students may only count ONE (1) of LIT220, LIT221, COM111 & WRT301 towards the English Minor (for other LIT subjects please consult the Handbook)										

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MINOR IN HISTORY & POLITICS		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
HST101	The Short Twentieth Century I	✓		✓	✓					
HST102	The Short Twentieth Century II					✓		✓	✓	
Plus FOUR other subjects (at least one at Level 3) from:										
HST201	Colonial Australia	✓		✓	✓					
HST204	Twentieth Century Australia							✓	✓	
HST210	Media and Society in the Twentieth Century	✓		✓	✓					
HST211	Gender, Sexuality and Identity in Europe from 1890								✓	
HST301	International History from 1945			✓	✓					
HST303	Literature and Society				✓					
HST308	Australia and Asia			✓	✓					
POL205	Political Ideas				✓					
POL210	Politics of Identity					✓			✓	

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MINOR IN HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
MGT100	Organisations and Management	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓
MGT210	Organisational Behaviour				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Plus FOUR other subjects (at least one at level 3) from:										
ECO130	Business Economics				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
HRM210	Human Resource Management			✓	✓	✓	✓			
MGT320	Managing Change	✓	✓		✓					✓
HRM310	Developing Human Resources				✓					
HRM320	Issues in Human Resource Management								✓	
HRM330	Strategic Human Resource Management								✓	

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MINOR IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
ITC106	Programming Principles	✓		✓	✓				✓	
ITC114	Introduction to Database Systems					✓		✓	✓	✓
ITC161	Computer Systems	✓		✓	✓					
ITC211	Systems Analysis					✓		✓	✓	
ITC331	Ethics and Professional Practice	✓		✓	✓					
ITC358	IT Security	✓		✓	✓					

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MINOR IN JUSTICE STUDIES		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
JST110	Law and Society	✓	✓		✓					✓
Plus FIVE of the following one of which must be at Level 3:										
JST117	Introduction to Intelligence				✓					
PSY211	Psychology of Crime				✓					
JST205	Criminology: History and Theory					✓	✓		✓	
PSY313	Psychology and the Legal System								✓	
JST123	Indigenous Australians and Justice: An Introduction				✓					
JST201	Criminal Law and Criminology	✓	✓		✓					✓
JST203	Punishment and the State					✓	✓		✓	
JST204	Young People and Crime					✓	✓		✓	✓
JST318	Human Rights and Social Justice					✓	✓		✓	✓

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MINOR IN LAW		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
LAW112 *	Introduction to Australian Legal System				✓				✓	✓
Plus FIVE of the following, excluding LAW314 <i>OR</i> Plus THREE of the following including LAW314 (16 points):										
LAW113 **	Criminal Law				✓					✓
LAW213 **	Criminal Procedure								✓	
LAW217 **	Civil Procedure				✓					
PSY211	Psychology of Crime				✓					
PSY313	Psychology and the Legal System								✓	
LAW314 *	Community Law and Culture: Regional, Rural, Remote and Indigenous Contemporary Issues (16)								✓	✓
LAW316	Dispute Resolution									✓
LAW317	Mediation									✓

* Compulsory residential school at Bathurst Campus

** Optional residential school at Bathurst campus

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MINOR IN MANAGEMENT		Subject Availability								
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		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
MGT100	Organisations and Management	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓
MGT210	Organisational Behaviour				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Plus FOUR other subjects (at least one at level 3) from:										
ECO130	Business Economics				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
MKT110	Marketing & Society	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓
HRM210	Human Resource Management			✓	✓	✓				
MGT320	Managing Change	✓		✓	✓					✓
MGT330	Business Strategy					✓		✓	✓	✓
MGT340	International Management					✓		✓	✓	

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MINOR IN MARKETING		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
Six subjects (at least one at Level 3) from:										
ACC100	Accounting 1	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓
ECO130	Business Economics				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
MGT100	Organisations and Management	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓
MGT210	Organisational Behaviour				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
MKT110	Marketing and Society	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓
MKT220	Consumer Behaviour	✓			✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
MKT310	Integrated Marketing Communications	✓	✓		✓					
MKT350	Product Innovation Management	✓			✓					

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MINOR IN MATHEMATICS & STATISTICS		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
MTH101	Computer Aided Mathematics 1 with Applications	✓		✓	✓					✓
MTH102	Computer Aided Mathematics 2 with Applications							✓	✓	
MTH220	Ordinary Differential Equations				✓					
STA201	Scientific Statistics				✓			✓	✓	
Plus TWO of:										
MTH218	Multivariable Calculus				✓					
MTH219	Linear Algebra								✓	
MTH307	Mathematical Modelling								✓	
STA448	Multivariate Statistical Analysis								✓	

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MINOR IN PHILOSOPHY		Subject Availability								
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		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
PHL101	Applied Ethics			✓	✓					
PHL103	Theories of Human Nature							✓	✓	
Plus FOUR other subjects (at least ONE at level 2 and at least ONE at level 3 from;										
PHL201	Critical Reasoning				✓			✓	✓	
PHL202	Ethics			✓	✓					
POL205	Political Ideas				✓					
PHL206	Knowledge and Reality								✓	
PHL302	Values and Decisions			✓	✓					

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MINOR IN SOCIOLOGY		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
SOC101	Introductory Sociology	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓
SOC102	Social Inequality					✓		✓	✓	✓
Plus FOUR other subjects (at least one at level 3) from the following:										
SOC108	Sociology of Health & Health Care				✓				✓	
SOC203	Sociology of Youth				✓					
SOC205	Social Research	✓	✓		✓					
SOC212	Class: Images & Reality									✓
SOC218	Policy, Power & Social Action								✓	
SOC226	Rural Sociology								✓	
SOC302	Environment & Society				✓					
SOC303	Sociological Theory								✓	
SOC308	Community Analysis				✓				✓	✓
COM219	Media, Communication and Globalisation					✓			✓	
<p>SOC101 and SOC102 are compulsory subjects in the psychology courses, and will also count as the first two subjects in a Sociology minor, leaving only four additional SOC subjects, one of which must be at level 3, to make up the six-subject minor.</p> <p>Students who complete a minor in Sociology will need to complete an additional two elective subjects to make up the 24 subjects required for their course.</p> <p>Other subjects may be available in the Sociology minor however students should discuss selecting alternative SOC subjects with the Course Director.</p>										

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MINOR IN WELFARE		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
HCS111	Introduction to Human Services		✓	✓	✓					
HCS103	Fields of Practice							✓	✓	✓
WEL218	Developing Cross Cultural Competencies		✓	✓	✓					✓
HCS310	Mental Health						✓	✓	✓	
Plus TWO other subjects from:										
SPE211	Foundations in Social Policy						✓	✓	✓	✓
HCS102	Communication and Human Services		✓	✓	✓				✓	
WEL206	Facilitating Positive Behaviours				✓					
WEL217	Social Dimensions of Disability								✓	
WEL228	Disability Issues for Families								✓	
WEL229	Introduction to Addiction Studies				✓				✓	
HCS205	Child Abuse and Child Protection								✓	
HCS321	Welfare Practice with Children, Young People & Their Carers			✓	✓				✓	
SOC308	Community Analysis				✓				✓	✓

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ELECTIVES

Students may choose their electives from any of the disciplines in which a minor study can be completed (e.g. Justice Studies, Sociology, etc.) provided that they satisfy the prerequisites or assumed knowledge requirements. The following additional psychology subjects may also be taken as electives.

- **Bachelor of Psychology** students admitted in 2017 are required to complete **two** electives.
- **Bachelor of Social Science (Psychology)** students admitted in 2017 are required to complete **three** electives. Those who intend to seek a transfer to the Bachelor of Psychology at the end of third year (equivalent full-time) will be required to complete **six** core Level 3 Psychology subjects i.e. one of the three electives must be a core psychology subject. Please refer to the Psychology Course Transfer Policy
- **Bachelor of Social Science (Psychology)/Bachelor of Business** students admitted in 2018 are required to complete **one** psychology elective.

Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
PSY211	Psychology of Crime				✓					
PSY214	Health Psychology				✓				✓	
PSY218	Psychology of Substance Abuse				✓					
PSY219 *	Psychology International Experience								✓	✓ *
PSY313	Psychology and the Legal System								✓	
PSY316	Psychology of Stress and Trauma								✓	

* Enrolment restrictions apply to PSY219. Students must be enrolled in a course offered by the Faculty of Arts and normally should have completed first year. The number of places available in this subject is limited. A competitive selection process will be used to allocate these places.

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ADDITIONAL ELECTIVE CHOICES in BUSINESS		Subject Availability								
Subject Code	Subject Title	Session 1				Session 2				Session 3
		BI	Ptl	WI	DE	BI	Ptl	WI	DE	DE only
ACC100	Accounting 1	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓
ECO130	Business Economics				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ITC105	Communication and Information Management	✓		✓	✓					✓
LAW110	Business Law	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
MGT100	Organisations & Management	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓
MKT110	Marketing & Society	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓

Additional Notes:

There are some PSY subjects that will *not* count towards a psychology degree, because the subject content overlaps with the content of some of the core subjects. Students are advised **not to enrol** in any of the following subjects:

- **PSY111** *Psychology for Health & Human Services*
- **PSY113** *Child & Adolescent Psychology*
- **PSY216** *Psychology of Ageing*

Students are invited to access the Orientation Course Induction Booklet and more information about Psychology courses [online](http://bjbs.csu.edu.au/schools/psychology).
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