

# Liberal Arts

## PSYCHOLOGY CONCENTRATION

Associate of Arts

### Prepare For Four-Year Programs!

The Liberal Arts Associate of Arts with a Concentration in Psychology was developed to provide students with a framework that prepares graduates to transfer to four-year colleges and universities. The curriculum is built on existing Liberal Arts degree requirements, supplemented with psychology courses. The Psychology Concentration prepares students for a major in psychology at the baccalaureate level giving students the basic knowledge and principles of human behavior that are essential for those students preparing for career paths in mental health, education, criminal justice, or social services. Liberal Arts studies focuses on developing critical thinking and communication skills - which according to the National Association of Colleges and Employers, are highly sought after by employers. Therefore, students who complete the Liberal Arts Associate in Arts can choose between transferring into a baccalaureate degree program, or into their career.

### Careers & Degree Pathways

- **Careers:**
  - Teacher's Aide
  - Social Services
  - Youth Counselor
  - Research Assistant
- **Degrees:**
  - Psychology
  - Neuroscience
  - Social Work
  - Human Resources

**Learn More!**



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**RIVER VALLEY**  
Community College



**93%**

Job placement rate  
for RVCC graduates



**86%**

Of students receive  
financial aid

# Program of Study

## First Year: Fall Semester

### Credits

#### Title

College Composition	3 - 4
Psychology Elective	3 - 4
Humanities/Fine Arts/World Language Elective	3 - 4
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Mathematics Elective	3 - 4

## First Year: Spring Semester

#### Title

200-Level English Elective	3 - 4
Psychology Elective	3 - 4
Psychology Elective	3 - 4
Open Elective	3 - 4
Mathematics Elective	3 - 4

## Second Year: Fall Semester

#### Title

Humanities/Fine Arts/World Language Elective	3 - 4
Psychology Elective	3 - 4
Open Elective	3 - 4
Psychology Elective	3 - 4
Lab Science Elective	4

## Second Year: Spring Semester

#### Title

Open Elective	3 - 4
Psychology Elective	3 - 4
Psychology Elective	3 - 4
Lab Science Elective	4



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