



**JEFFERSON COMMUNITY COLLEGE A.A.S. EARLY CHILDHOOD > EXCELSIOR COLLEGE  
B.S. LIBERAL ARTS/MAJOR: PSYCHOLOGY**

JEFFERSON CC PROGRAM	CREDIT HOURS	EXCELSIOR COLLEGE REQUIREMENT/MAJOR REQUIREMENT
<b>HUMANITIES (9 Credits)</b>		
Humanities Electives from ART ( <i>ART 133 or higher</i> ), MUS or STA ( <i>except STA 211</i> ).	6.0	Humanities Requirement Satisfied
ENG*101:Research And Composition	3.0	Written English Requirement Satisfied
<b>SOCIAL SCIENCES (12 Credits)</b>		
PSY 133: Introduction to Psychology	3.0	Social Sciences/PSY IB
PSY 220: Child and Adolescent Development	3.0	Social Sciences/PSY IIB
SOC 144: Introduction to Sociology	3.0	Social Sciences
SOC 241: Marriage and the Family	3.0	Social Sciences
<b>MATHEMATICS &amp; SCIENCES (6 Credits)</b>		
Biology Elective	3.0	Natural Science/Math
Math Elective <b>Excelsior Recommends:</b> MTH 144: Statistics	3.0	Quantitative Requirement Satisfied/PSY IB
<b>EARLY CHILDHOOD COURSES (21 Credits)</b>		
ECD 101: Introduction to Early Childhood	3.0	Applied Professional
ECD 102: Agencies and Resources	3.0	Applied Professional
ECD 181: Child Health and Safety	3.0	Applied Professional
ECD 201: Lesson Planning, Design, Tech and Resources 1	3.0	Applied Professional
ECD 202: Lesson Planning, Design, Tech and Resources 2	3.0	Applied Professional
ECD 240: Field Work in Early Childhood Development	3.0	Applied Professional

ECD 280: Field Work in Early Childhood Development 2	3.0	Applied Professional
<b>RESTRICTED ELECTIVES (6 Credits)</b>		
<b>Excelsior Recommends:</b> PSY 232: Social Psychology	3.0	Arts & Sciences/PSY IID
<b>Excelsior Recommends:</b> PSY 235: Abnormal Psychology	3.0	Arts & Sciences/PSY IIC
<b>FREE ELECTIVES (6 CREDITS)</b>	6.0	Applied Professional
<i>PHYSICAL EDUCATION (2 Credits)</i>	2.0	<i>Not Applicable</i>
<b>TOTAL TRANSFERABLE HOURS</b>	<b>60.0</b>	

**REMAINING REQUIREMENTS TO COMPLETE THE EXCELSIOR COLLEGE B.S. LIBERAL ARTS/  
MAJOR: PSYCHOLOGY  
(Policy Date: 09/01/2007)**

This degree requires the completion of 120 credits in semester hours. Listed below are the remaining requirements. Lower level credits may be completed with additional community college coursework. Courses/exams offered at Excelsior College are denoted in bold.

**ARTS AND SCIENCES** (*coursework in the humanities, social sciences and natural sciences/math*)

**21.00** semester hours at the upper level

**6.00** semester hours at the lower level

**DEPTH REQUIREMENT**

A depth in the arts & sciences (*will be completed in psychology*)

A depth in any academic area

A depth consists of 12 completed credits in one academic discipline, with at least 3 of those credits at the upper level. For example, if a student completes 9 credits in history at the community college, completing 1 upper level course in history at Excelsior would constitute a depth. Credits completed for a depth fulfill overall credits needed for the degree - they are not in addition.

**APPLIED PROFESSIONAL/ADDITIONAL ARTS & SCIENCES** (*coursework in any academic area*)

**9.00** semester hours at the upper level in any academic area

**24.00** semester hours at the lower level in any academic area to include at least:

- One credit in Information Literacy

**INL\*102 INFORMATION LITERACY** or an approved alternative

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS** (*Credits completed for the major fall within overall credits listed above*)

**15.00** upper level credits to include coursework in the following areas:

**I. Core Requirements**

C. Research Methods/Experimental Psych/ Design

**SOC\*465 SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH**

**PSYX\*365 RESEARCH METHODS IN PSYCHOLOGY**

D. History & Systems/History of Psych/Psychological Foundations

**II. Intermediate and upper-level courses**

A. Biopsychology and Physiological Foundations (see catalog for example course titles)

E. Cognitive Bases

**PSY\*330 EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY**

**PSY\*340 PSYCHOLOGY OF LEARNING**

**RESEARCH & WRITING IN THE MAJOR:** This requirement can be met by taking an Excelsior College major course that incorporates a research & writing component, submitting a graded research paper for review, or taking the research & writing course section geared toward the chosen major (LA 490-LA 494)

Excelsior College puts no limit on the number of credits a student can transfer as long as that of credit meets degree requirements and comes from a recognized source. Any credit completed in addition to those from JCC will be considered for transfer: [www.excelsior.edu/waystoearncredit](http://www.excelsior.edu/waystoearncredit)

This transfer guide is provided for informational purposes only and does not guarantee requirements to complete degree. Requirements will be based on actual coursework taken by any individual student.

The first step in becoming an Excelsior College student is to apply by submitting an Undergraduate Application, which requires the inclusion of all official transcripts of prior college credits. Once an application is reviewed, an evaluation summary outlining what is still needed to complete this degree will be provided to the student. Upon receiving the results of this report, a student may enroll at any time. To apply to Excelsior College please visit <http://ccpartnerships.excelsior.edu>

Information about Excelsior College and its degree programs, including transfer options and currently available courses and examinations can be accessed on our website [www.excelsior.edu](http://www.excelsior.edu)

As part of the Excelsior/JCC partnership, students are required to take a minimum of 12 credits in Excelsior College coursework.