

Transferring from the BA to another UQ degree

Information for domestic students planning to transfer from Bachelor of Arts (BA) to

Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours)

The sample enrolment plan below is for students who are studying in the Bachelor of Arts (BA) in 2025 who hope to transfer into the Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) in 2026. This plan has been approved by the Faculty of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences and the Faculty of Health and Behavioural Sciences and is provided as a guide only.

This information is based on the current structure of the BPsySc (Hons) program. Should the structure change in the future, students will be required to comply with the requirements of the program for the year they enter the BPsySc (Hons). The suggested courses are not compulsory, and many others are available.

Remember:

- To satisfy the Bachelor of Arts program rules, in their first year of study **all BA students must complete their first 8 units of courses the BA course list** (this excludes General Elective Courses). To view the full list of BA Courses and detailed information on a BA program requirements please see: <https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/requirements/program/2000/2025>
- Students will need to satisfy subject prerequisites AND obtain grades that will derive the required OP/entry rank for the *relevant program*. These are often best achieved by enrolling in courses they enjoy and therefore should consider their choices carefully. Students may wish to contact UQ Admissions to discuss how their entry rank will be calculated on the basis of their academic history.
- Students may seek further information on the Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) by contacting the Faculty of Health and Behavioural Sciences.
- Students intending to change programs in 2026 should familiarise themselves with all relevant rules and procedures. More information is available from:
 - Programs and Courses website: <https://programs-courses.uq.edu.au/>
 - Admissions: email admissions@uq.edu.au or telephone 07 3365 2203.
 - 'Transferring Programs' sessions run during Orientation - check the *Orientation Guide* for details.
- To apply for a new single program in the following year, you must submit a new application through QTAC. You cannot request this transfer internally. Please visit the myUQ website or contact UQ Admissions for more information.

Bachelor of Arts → Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours)

Semester One	Units	Semester Two	Units
<i>Introductory level Arts course from the BA course list, e.g. SOCY1050 Introduction to Sociology</i>	2	<i>Introductory level Arts course or general elective e.g. CRIM100 Introduction to Criminology</i>	2
<i>Introductory level Arts course from the BA course list, e.g. PSYC1030 Introduction to Psychology: Developmental, Social and Clinical Psychology</i>	2	<i>Introductory level Arts course or general elective, e.g. PSYC1040 Psychological Research Methodology I</i>	2
<i>Introductory level Arts course from the BA course list, e.g. NEUR1020 The Brain and Behavioural Sciences</i>	2	<i>Introductory level Arts course or general elective e.g. PSYC1100 The Psychology of Communication*</i>	2
<i>Introductory level Arts course from the BA course list, e.g. RELN1000 Religions, Spiritualities, and Non-Religion</i>	2	<i>Introductory level Arts course or general elective, e.g. GEOG1000 Human Settlements</i>	2
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If successful in securing a place in the Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours), students may apply for credit for the courses indicated in **bold** above, plus non-psychology elective credit. Subject to successful completion of courses.

*PSYC1100 is not on the BA course list and can only be studied in Semester 2 if 8 units from the BA course list are completed in Semester 1. If commencing a Bachelor of Arts in Semester 2 students will not be able to enrol in courses not on the BA course list (e.g. PSYC1100) as they will need to meet the first 8 unit Program Rule requirement.