

APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY Four-Year Graduation Guarantee 2017-2018 Catalog

Cedar Crest College's Four-Year Graduation (4YG) Guarantee is open to all academically qualified candidates enrolled full-time in a 4year bachelor's degree program, with the exception of Nuclear Medicine Technology. It does not apply to dual degree, fifth-year, or graduate programs. Provided students comply with all of the conditions of the program, Cedar Crest College will guarantee graduation within four years. The guarantee extends to one major only. While many students add additional majors and minors and finish within four years, Cedar Crest will not be able to provide four year guarantee in those cases.

<u>Conditions</u>

By signing below, _______ is enrolled in the 4YG program for the Applied Psychology major under the 2017 catalog requirements and agrees to

- assume ultimate responsibility for monitoring academic progress and the completion of all academic requirements;
- enroll at Cedar Crest for four continuous academic years;
- remain in good academic standing;
- complete an average of 30 new credits in each academic year. Courses must be selected in consultation with her academic advisor and 4YG coordinator and must apply to the recommended course sequence on page 2;
- maintain the GPA requirements of the Applied Psychology major and Liberal Arts Curriculum;
- meet regularly with her assigned academic advisor and 4YG coordinator following the schedule outlined below;
- resolve all outstanding holds that would prevent registration prior to the start of registration for each semester;
- register for classes each semester on the date appropriate for class standing as set forth by the Registrar;
- be responsive to communication from Cedar Crest College, including advisors and the 4YG coordinator;
- officially declare a Applied Psychology major by the completion of 30 credits. If a change of major is requested after 30 credits, the ability to sign a new 4YG contract is not guaranteed.
- complete the following and all other Applied Psychology major requirements:
 - Earn a C or better in all courses taken for major requirements.
 - Maintain a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA.
 - Complete each required PSY course within 2 attempts. Only one repeat of PSY course in which a grade of a C- or lower was earned is permitted.
 - o Abide by all other departmental policies and successfully meet all other graduation requirements.

The 4YG does not guarantee that courses will be offered at a particular time or on particular days, nor can it assure graduation in four years if accreditation agencies require immediate curricular changes. This agreement pertains only to the catalog specified; if major requirements change and the student elects to follow the newer requirements, this contract is void.

If a student meets all of the degree/program requirements but cannot graduate in four years because a course or courses are not available, the student will meet with her advisor as soon as the problem is discovered to discuss options for completion. These options could include a course substitution, an independent study, or permission to enroll in the course in a subsequent semester at no tuition cost to the student.

Required Meeting Schedule:

	Semester 1	Semester 2	Semester 3	Semester 4
Beginning of Semester	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor 4YG Coordinator
Prior to registration	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor AYG Coordinator	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor AYG Coordinator
	Semester 5	Semester 6	Semester 7	Semester 8
Beginning of Semester	Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor AYG Coordinator	Advisor Advisor 4YG Coordinator	Advisor 4YG Coordinator

I agree to the stipulations set forth in this agreement.

Student Signature

Date

ID Number

Entry Term

Advisor Signature

Date

4YG Coordinator Signature

Date



APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY Recommended Course Sequence 2017-2018 Catalog

FALL 20: Course	Cr	Title	√	SPRING 2 Course	Cr	Title
PSY 100	3	General Psychology		PSY 210	3	Lifespan Development
MAT 110	3	Probability and Statistics		PSY	3	Psychology elective**
FYS	3	First Year Seminar		WRI 100	3	College Writing
CCC 101	0.5	College Life		CCC 102	0.5	Exploring Your Future
	3	Art LAC course			4	Science LAC course with lab
	3	elective***		THS 105	3	Public Speaking
FALL 2018				SPRING 2	2019	
Course	Cr	Title	√	Course	Cr	Title
PSY 213	3	Introduction to Research Methods		PSY 214	3	Introduction to Statistics
PSY 170	1	Understanding and Using APA Editorial Style		PSY	3	Psychology elective**
PSY 215	3	Biopsychology*		PSY	3	Psychology elective**
	3	Writing II LAC course		CCC 201	3	Sophomore Expedition
	3	Science LAC course			3	Art LAC course
	3	elective***			!	1
FALL 20	19			SPRING 2	2020	
Course	Cr	Title	√	Course	Cr	Title
PSY 3	3	PSY 309 Abnormal Psychology or PSY 351 Theories of Personality		PSY	3	Psychology elective**
	3	ELT 235 Ethical Life		PSY	3	Psychology elective**
	3	Social Science LAC course			3	Art LAC course
	3	Humanities LAC course			3	Humanities LAC course
	3	elective***			3	elective***
FALL 202	20			SPRING 2	2021	
Course	Cr	Title	√	Course	Cr	Title
	3	PSY 365 Psychology Thesis I or elective			3	PSY 366 Psychology Thesis II or elective
PSY	3	Psychology elective**		PSY 363	3	Senior Capstone
PSY	3	Psychology elective**			3	Internship or elective
	3	elective***			3	elective***
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Complete 21 credits of additional PSY electives according to your interests. *Electives must be included to ensure that the overall total number of credits reaches the 120 credits needed to complete a degree.

Liberal Arts Curriculum (LAC) and College-Wide Requirements

Natural Science (SCI): 7 cr. total, one must be a lab-based course	Writing (WRI1, WRI2): 2 courses, 6 cr. total
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Arts (ART): 6 cr. total, one must be a 3 cr. course	Humanities (HUM): 2 courses, 6 cr. total
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Mathematics & Logic (ML): 6 cr. total, one must be a MAT course	Social Science (SS): 2 courses, 6 cr. total
1. MAT 110 2. PSY 214	1. PSY 100 2. PSY 210
Ethics (ETH): 1 course, 3 cr.	Global Studies (GS): 1 course, 3 cr.
1. ETL 235	1. CCC 201
Technology:	Information Literacy:
1. PSY 214	1. PSY 213
Oral Presentation:	
1. THS 105	