CLUB AND HONOR SOCIETY
Psychology majors may participate in a full range of extracurricular activities at Alcorn State University.

PSYCHOLOGY SOCIETY CLUB
Within the department of Psychology is the Psychology Society Club, an active group that helps students get to know one another while exploring interesting aspects of Psychology.

PSI CHI HONOR SOCIETY
Alcorn State University’s chapter of Psi Chi, an international honor society in Psychology, offers membership to qualified juniors and seniors.

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WHY SHOULD I SELECT PSYCHOLOGY AS A MAJOR?

The department of Psychology endeavors to acquaint students thoroughly with the content and methods of scientific Psychology, the science of behavior and mental processes. While emphasizing the scientific approach to the understanding of human behavior and personality, Alcorn’s Psychology courses demonstrate that this branch of science is complementary to and compatible with a sound philosophy of human nature.

WHAT ARE COMMON CAREER PATHS FOR PSYCHOLOGY MAJORS?

• Career Counselor
• Case Manager
• Child Care Worker
• Laboratory Assistant
• Market Researcher
• Psychiatric Technician
• Probation and Parole Officer

TEN SKILLS PSYCHOLOGY MAJORS GAIN WHILE EARNING THEIR DEGREE

• Predict and understand the behavior of individuals and groups;
• Understand how to use and interpret data;
• Evaluate the legitimacy of claims about behavior;
• Know about memory and learning function;
• Have insight into problematic behaviors;
• Demonstrate the capacity to adapt to change;
• Understand and operate effectively throughout the channels of an organization;
• Manage difficult situations in high stress environments;
• Start and carry out projects with limited information or experience; and
• Show persistence in challenging circumstances.

MAJOR COURSES REQUIRED FOR A DEGREE IN PSYCHOLOGY

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