

Graduate Certificate for Dual Credit Teaching in Psychology

The Graduate Dual Credit Teaching Certificate – Psychology (GDCTC - Psychology) provides post-baccalaureate high school educators, specifically those with master's degrees, with 18 graduate hours of discipline-specific knowledge required to meet the criteria for teaching dual credit courses in Texas and SACSCOC-accredited institutions. Courses taken as part of the certificate may transfer in part or whole toward a master's degree at St. Mary's University or other institution.

Certificate Course Requirements

The GDCTC - Psychology requires the completion of six of nine, on-line graduate courses (18 credit hours) in Psychology. Students can complete the certificate within nine months. The inclusion of nine possible courses offers flexibility for students using this program to later complete a master's degree in various disciplines (meaning students can select courses that best fit/would transfer to a specific graduate program).

Code	Title	Semester Hours
Required courses (18 hours)		18
PS 6341	Biological Psychology	3
PS 6391	Historical Topics and Recent Advances in Psychology	3
PS 6390	Advanced Social and Personality Psychology	3
PS 6337	Advanced Sexuality	3
or PS 6385	Advanced Statistics	
or AE 6385	Advanced Statistics	
PS 6355	Advanced Developmental Psychology	3
or PS 6387	Qualitative Methods	
or AE 6387	Qualitative Methods	
PS 6331	Abnormal II	3
or PS 6310	Race, Class and Gender in Community-based Research	
or AE 6310	Race, Class and Gender in Community-based Research	