

# PSYCHOLOGY

The Psychology Department at Minnesota State Mankato strives to provide an enriching educational environment for our students and to contribute to the scientific understanding of behavior through research. Through research and educational experiences in a range of specialties, graduates are prepared to pursue advanced degrees as well as careers in business, human resources, social services, and other related fields.

## PROGRAMS



### DEGREES AND CERTIFICATES

- Bachelor of Science in Psychology
- Psychology Minor
- Experimental Psychology Certificate
- Master of Arts in Industrial Organizational Psychology
- Doctor of Psychology in School Psychology
- Psychology Graduate Certificate

### ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Psychology majors at Minnesota State Mankato gain a scientific understanding of human behavior by actively engaging in research, even as undergrads. That experience, along with the range of specialties and interdisciplinary options available within the program, prepares them to pursue advanced degrees as well as careers in business, human resources and other related fields.

## REAL-WORLD CONNECTIONS



### SKILLS AND TALENTS

- Communication Skills
- Computer Skills
- Critical Thinking
- Cultural Competency
- Effective Listening Skills
- Problem-Solving Skills

### CAREERS

- Art Therapist
- Behavior Analyst
- Career Counselor
- Case Manager
- Child Development Specialist
- Clinical Psychologist
- Social Services

### EMPLOYERS

- Caravel Autism Health
- Counseling Services of Southern MN
- Fraser
- Harry Meyering Center
- REM Heartland
- South Central Human Relations Center

## INSPIRED ACTION



### EMPLOYMENT RATE

**93.4%**  
of program graduates begin their careers within one year of graduation.

Graduates: 612  
Respondents: 490  
[link.mnsu.edu/graduate-follow-up](http://link.mnsu.edu/graduate-follow-up)

### MEDIAN SALARY

**\$92,740**

The median annual wage for Psychologists in May 2023.

Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Outlook Handbook, Psychologists, at [link.mnsu.edu/psychology-salary](http://link.mnsu.edu/psychology-salary)

### PROGRAM WEBSITE



[hss.mnsu.edu/psychology](http://hss.mnsu.edu/psychology)



