

2026 Unit Selection Information Melbourne and Strathfield

1. Selection of Bachelor of Arts Major, Minor and Elective Units

Please refer to the 'Arts Unit Listing' document available under the 'Unit Offerings' tab in your Course Enrolment Guide for detailed information about which units are available in 2026 for each of the Arts Majors and Arts Minors.

If you are a **commencing** student in 2026, you must first select one Arts Major discipline and one Arts Minor discipline from the 2026 Arts Unit Listing and then select units consistent with these disciplines.

If you are a **continuing** student in 2026, you should continue to select units consistent with the Arts Major discipline and with the Arts Minor discipline you have chosen in the previous year. You might also need to select an Arts Elective Unit in 2026. Your Arts Elective Unit can be any unit from the '2026 Arts Unit Listing' document whose pre-requisite requirements you fulfil. Please note that your Arts Elective Unit should not be a psychology unit.

When selecting your major, minor and elective unit, please also keep the following in mind:

Arts Major

A Major is a total of 80cp from prescribed units in one discipline or approved interdisciplinary area, normally including at least 10cp at 100-level, at least 40cp at 200-level and at least 20cp from 300-level. Most majors can also be taken as a minor. Psychology double-degree students cannot undertake a Major in Psychology.

Arts Minor

A Minor is a total of 40cp from prescribed units in one discipline or approved interdisciplinary area, normally including at least 10cp at introductory level (i.e. 100 level) and at least 20cp at advanced level (i.e. 200 or 300 level). Most majors can also be taken as a minor. Psychology double-degree students cannot undertake a Minor in Psychology.

Arts Elective

Individual units undertaken other than those required for the selected majors or minors. These are listed in the Bachelor of Arts Schedule of Unit Offerings (subject to availability, unit limitations and provided that prerequisite and co-requisite requirements are met).

2. Selection of Psychology Elective Unit

As part of the course rules, you are required to complete a psychology elective, normally in second semester of 3rd year. Please refer to the table below to find a suitable Psychology Elective Unit for Semester 2 2026 on your campus.

Please refer to the [2026 ACU Handbook](#) to review the unit description of units that interest you, so you can find out more about their content and aim. Follow the link to the Handbook, select 'Unit' above the search bar and then enter the unit code of a unit you would like to learn more about. Please note that unit availability and study modes are subject to change.

Bachelor of Psychological Science/Bachelor of Arts

(Information last updated on 13 October 2025)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Location/s	Study Period	Mode	Pre-requisites
PSYC207	Culture and Psychology	Melbourne	Semester 2	Attendance	PSYC100 & PSYC101
PSYC224	Emotion and Social Cognition	Melbourne, Strathfield	Semester 2	Attendance	PSYC100 & PSYC101 & PSYC110 or PSYC104
PSYC317	Introduction to Neuropsychology	Strathfield	Semester 2	Attendance	PSYC315
PSYC322	Critical Thinking and Research Skills for Psychology	Melbourne, Strathfield	Semester 2	Online	PSYC206 or PSYC226 & PSYC213 or PSYC214
PSYC225 * (prev. PSYC109)	Applied Positive Psychology	Rome	TBC	Rome (SRM)	Nil

*** PSYC225 might be offered in Rome as part of ACU's Semester in Rome (ACUSiR) program. Click [here](#) for more information.**