Curriculum Change Form  
(Present only one proposed curriculum change per form)  
(Complete only the section(s) applicable.)

**Part I**

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| Is this a SACS Substantive Change? | Yes**** | No | X |

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*If Applicable (Type NA if not applicable.)

**Approval needed for new, revised, or suspended programs

***Approval/Posting needed for new degree program or certificate program

****If "yes", SACS must be notified before implementation. Please contact EKU's Office of Institutional Effectiveness.

**Completion of A, B, and C is required: (Please be specific, but concise.)

A. **Specific action requested:**  
(Example: To increase the number of credit hours for ABC 100 from 1 to 2.)

Remove PSY 200 from the DARS/CARES listing under Supporting Courses.

A. **Effective date:**  (Example: Fall 2001)

Summer 2009

A. 3. **Effective date of suspended programs for currently enrolled students:** (if applicable)

B. **The justification for this action:**

Although NOT REQUIRED for the B.S. in Biology, medical schools usually recommend a course in psychology for admission. In the past, we ensured that pre-med students took a course in psychology by including it as a requirement in the DARS/CARES system, but not as a requirement in the major. Now that PSY 200 is included in the General Education program, we can require that the student take it as part of General Education. Since it is listed in DARS/CARES as a supporting course requirement, the students cannot currently use PSY 200 in General Education. This change would allow them to do so.

C. **The projected cost (or savings) of this proposal is as follows:**

**Personnel Impact:** None

**Operating Expenses Impact:** None

**Equipment/Physical Facility Needs:** None

**Library Resources:** None
Part II. Recording Data for New, Revised, or Dropped Course
(For a new required course, complete a separate request for the appropriate program revisions.)

1. For a new course, provide the catalog text.
2. For a revised course, provide the current catalog text with the proposed text using strikethrough for deletions and underlines for additions.
3. For a dropped course, provide the current catalog text.

**New or Revised* Catalog Text**
(*Use strikethrough for deletions and underlines for additions. Also include Crs. Prefix, No., and description, limited to 35 words.)

Part III. Recording Data for New, Revised, or Suspended Program

1. For a new program, provide the catalog description as being proposed.
2. For a revised program, provide the current program requirements using strikethrough for deletions and underlines for additions.
3. For a suspended program, provide the current program requirements as shown in catalog. List any options and/or minors affected by the program’s suspension.

**New or Revised* Program Text**
(*Use strikethrough for deletions and underlines for additions.)

Pre-Medical Science (p. 69 in 2008-09 Catalog)

**Biology (B.S.)**

**Major Requirements** ................................................35-36 hours
BIO 121, 131, 141, 315, 316, 320; 328 or 348; 490, 514, one elective in biology at the 300-500 level.

**Supporting Course Requirements** .................................32-33 hours
CHE 111, 115, 112, 116 or 116H, 361, 366, 362 and 367;
MAT 124* or 261*; PHY 131, 132; STA 215 or STA 270.

**General Education Requirements** .................................30 hours
Standard General Education program, excluding blocks II, IVA, IVB, VII (QS), and VIII (6 hours). Refer to Section Four of this Catalog for details on the General Education and University requirements.

**University Requirement** ..........................................1 hour
ASO 100.

**Free Electives** .........................................................28-30 hours

**Total Curriculum Requirements** ................................128 hours
*A preparatory course in mathematics may be required before admission to calculus.

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**PSY 200** Strongly recommend students take PSY 200 Introduction to Psychology.