

Pre-Counseling

Students interested in counseling as a career path are well served at Texas Wesleyan University. Classes within the [psychology degree](#) and sociology programs help provide students with an understanding of counseling and therapy.

Pursuing a [psychology degree](#) prepares students for entry into graduate programs offering Master's degrees in different areas of counseling. Students should maintain a GPA above 3.0 to increase their likelihood of admission success. Applicants are required to take the Graduate Record Exam (GRE).

Admission Requirements for Texas Wesleyan University Masters in Counseling

- Bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited college or university with at least 9 hours in [psychology](#), counseling or related coursework, including at least one statistics and one human development course.
- One of the following requirements
 1. 3.0 cumulative GPA score or 3.25 over the last 60 hours
 2. An official GRE score report. Recommended achievement of 150 verbal, 142 quantitative and 4.0 writing.
 3. Mental health casework and/or field experience with minimum GPA of 2.5 cumulative
- Interview session with program faculty

| Discipline | Required Hours | Texas Wesleyan Courses |
|----------------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| Psychology | 9 semester hours | PSY1301 PSY2303 PSY2342 |
| Human Development | 3 semester hours | PSY3303 |
| Statistics | 3 semester hours | PSY2420 |
| GRE | http://www.ets.org/gre | |

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