

From: Teresa Wilcox
Sent: Thursday, October 17, 2019 3:02 PM
To: Sarah Milton <smilton@fau.edu>
Cc: Michelle Cavallo <MCAVALLO@fau.edu>
Subject: Re: Removal of psychology electives from the Biology BS elective list

Sarah,

The Department of Psychology supports the Department of Biological Sciences proposal to remove the majority of psychology courses from the Biology BS and BA degrees. This is a change we believe to advantageous to our degree programs, as well as to biology's degree programs.

Best,

Teresa

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From: Michelle Cavallo on behalf of Sarah Milton
Date: Thursday, October 3, 2019 at 3:26 PM
To: Teresa Wilcox
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Subject: Removal of psychology electives from the Biology BS elective list

Dear Teresa,

As we've discussed, our department is submitting a proposal to delete the statement "*The Department of Psychology and Department of Biological Sciences jointly administer the Neuroscience and Behavior major. Thus, Biology majors may choose electives from that program list as well.*" from the required biology electives component of our BS program. The two Psychology courses which would remain within the Biology elective list are Comparative Animal Behavior (originally developed jointly by our departments) and Biological Bases of Behavior I. Please find attached the program change proposal.

We have been advised to "consult and list departments that might be affected by the change and attach comments" and so we asking that Psychology review our proposal.

Kindly send a letter of support or an email with your comments.

Thank you very much for your time and attention.

**Best,
Sarah**

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