

Psychology (Master of Arts Degree)
Concentration Area: Applied Developmental Psychology
General Information about Program

Program Objectives	The main objectives of the program are to help students to have descriptive, exploratory, and protective and preventive intervention skills related to human development based on theory and research in developmental psychology and make them qualified experts in the field of developmental psychology who would work as researchers and/or practitioners with the scientific knowledge and skills and the professional code of ethics.
Qualification Awarded	Master of Arts
Level of Qualification	QF-EHEA: 2 EQF-LLL: 7
Provisions for Registration	The conditions to apply for the master of art are defined in the requirements and regulations which are specified in " Özyeğin University Rules and Regulations for Graduate Programs " and Özyeğin University Directives on Graduate Program Admissions . Applicants must be either graduates of or graduating from an undergraduate program in case of Thesis and Non-Thesis program applications. Among admitted applicants, those who are expected to graduate must successfully complete their current programs prior to the enrollment date in order to be able to enroll in the university. For diplomas awarded by higher education institutions abroad their education and degree must be deemed recognized by YÖK to those awarded by higher education institutions in Turkey's.
Qualification Requirements and Regulations	To be able graduate from the Program, students have to complete 90 ECTS (Non-Thesis program) 120 ECTS (Thesis program) successfully. Turkish citizens have to provide graduate programs entrance exam score report (GRE or ALES) Foreign nationals are exempt from the requirement to submit ALES. Besides, applicants must submit English Proficiency Exam scores (TOEFL-IBT, KPDS or ÜDS) reports provided that they are still valid.
Specific Arrangements for Recognition of Prior Learning	Depending on the degrees awarded, courses taken as part of a degree (completed or not completed) may lead to recognition of these as prior learning by the program. The students who have taken courses in another institution in Turkey or abroad can ask for credit and grade transfer. The executive boards of relevant program will decide on the courses to be transferred.
Examination Regulations, Assessment and Grading	Evaluation and assessment methods for each course are defined in the 'Course Description Form' by the lecturer of course. These requirements and regulations are specified in the relevant articles of the " Özyeğin University Rules and Regulations for Graduate Programs "
Education Type	Full Time Education
Graduation Requirements	This degree is awarded to students who have successfully completed the required and elective courses in the curriculum and a master's thesis (thesis-option) or a project (non-thesis option), earning 90 ECTS in the non-thesis option and 120 ECTS with the thesis, and have a Cumulative Grade Point Average of at least 3.00 on a 4.00 scale.
Occupational Profiles of Graduates	Psychologists who successfully complete the Master's Program in Psychology with the concentration in Applied Developmental Psychology without thesis can work as practitioners and students who graduate from the program with thesis may go on to doctoral education.
Access to Further Studies	QF-EHEA: 3 EQF-LLL: 8