

Department of Psychology
CRITERIA FOR SATISFACTORY PROGRESS IN GRADUATE PROGRAMMES

YEAR 1: M.Sc. 1 ¹		YEAR 2: M.Sc. 2		YEAR 3: Ph.D. 1 ¹		YEAR 4: Ph.D. 2	
DEADLINE DATE ²	OBJECTIVE	DEADLINE DATE ²	OBJECTIVE	DEADLINE DATE ²	OBJECTIVE	DEADLINE DATE ²	OBJECTIVE
Mid-September	Registration in courses	Mid-September	Registration in courses	Mid-September	Registration in courses	Mid-September	Registration in courses
October	Applications for external awards due	October	Applications for external awards due	October	Applications for external awards due	October	Applications for external awards due
End of 1st Term	Selection of thesis topic, supervisor, committee			End of 1st Term	Selection of thesis topic, supervisor & committee		
End of 2nd Term	1. Proposal approved & ethics clearance obtained 2. M.Sc.1 course work successfully completed	End of 2nd Term	M.Sc. course work successfully completed	End of 2nd Term	Ph.D.1 course work successfully completed	December	PhD proposal approved
Summer	Thesis Research	Summer	Thesis Research	Summer	Thesis Research	End of 2nd Term	Ph.D.2 course work successfully completed
		August 31	1. Completed M.Sc. thesis submitted to Graduate School for binding 2. Application for Ph.D.			June 30	Comprehensive examination (1st attempt)
						Summer	Thesis Research
						August 31	Comprehensive examination (2nd attempt)
		YEAR 5: REGISTRATION IN Ph.D.3		YEAR 6: REGISTRATION IN Ph.D.4		YEAR 7: REGISTRATION IN Ph.D.5	
		September	Registration in 999	September	Registration in 999	September	Registration in 993, Clinical Internship
			Thesis Research			October of Year 8	Ph.D. conferred (Clinical Program)
				August 31	Ph.D. thesis submitted for oral defence. Ph.D. conferred (non-Clinical Programs)		

¹ This timetable is designed for those students entering the M.Sc. programme. Students entering the Ph.D. programme with a non-Queen's M.Sc. should discuss this timetable with the Chair of Graduate Studies.

² Date after which progress is deemed to be unsatisfactory if objective is not met, unless Graduate Committee acknowledges extenuating circumstances