

PRESS RELEASE

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2018 COS Graduate to Pursue Dream of Becoming a Psychologist

Weed / COS –College of the Siskiyous Psychology major, Natalie McGraw of Redding, CA is transferring to the University of Nevada, Reno in August to continue her education.

McGraw is a 2015 graduate of Shasta High School in Redding, CA. She attended College of the Siskiyous for the past three years and received her Associate of Arts degree in May 2018. In addition to being a full-time student, McGraw also worked part-time in the COS Human Resources Department as a student worker. When asked “what was her favorite class and teacher at COS,” McGraw responded, “Abnormal Psychology taught by Andrea Craddock.”

Psychology is the systematic and scientific study of human behavior and mental processes. It focuses on the biological, social, personal, and cognitive factors that influence behavior and covers such topics as the nervous system, sensation and perception, learning and memory, motivation and emotion, personality, development, normal and abnormal behavior, and social psychology.

There are many career options available for the psychology major. A few of these require an associate degree, most require a bachelor's degree, and some require a graduate-level degree: drug abuse counselor, marriage/family/child counselor, high school or college counselor or instructor, opinion survey designer, mental health worker, employment counselor, social worker, research assistant, and research analyst.

For information or questions regarding Psychology or other programs at College of the Siskiyous contact the Office of Instruction by calling (530) 938-5201. For more information about classes or degrees offered at COS visit the website at www.siskiyous.edu/instruction. Registration for the fall semester is open. Classes do and will fill fast! First day of the fall semester is August 27th.



McGraw is pictured with fellow 2018 Graduate, Ryan Blythe, who is also transferring to the University of Nevada, Reno.