

SOCIAL SCIENCE/SOCIOLOGY

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS

Sociology is the scientific study of society, including social interactions, social organization, social behavior, and human groups. Topics of study include culture, socialization, deviance, social inequality (race, class, and gender), and social institutions (media, religion, government, economy, family, and education).

Famous people with Sociology degrees include Rev. Martin Luther King Jr., Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan, Congresswoman Shirley Chisholm, Congresswoman Maxine Waters, President Ronald Reagan, Michelle Obama, and sportscaster Ahmad Rashad.

Credits Required: 62

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Recommended Course Sequence

SEM 1: PSYCH 101, SOCI 101

SEM 2: ECON 101

SEM 3: SOCI 203

SEM 4: SOCI 201

Concentration Requirements 15

<input type="checkbox"/>	ECON	101	Issues in Today's Economy	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	PSYC	101	General Psychology	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	SOCI	101	Sociology	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	SOCI	201	Marriage and Family	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	SOCI	203	Social Problems	3

General Education Requirements 47

<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM	101	Fundamentals of Speech	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENGL	101	English Composition I	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	ENGL	102	English Composition II	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	MATH	115	College Algebra	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	PED	116	Lifetime Fitness	1
<input type="checkbox"/>			Physical Science Elective with Lab	5
<input type="checkbox"/>			Natural Science Elective with Lab	5
<input type="checkbox"/>			Humanities Electives (from at least three areas)	12
<input type="checkbox"/>			Social and Behavioral Science Electives	6
<input type="checkbox"/>			General Education Electives	6

After Graduation

This Associate's degree is designed for students who plan to transfer to a four-year college. A graduate degree in the field opens the doors to a career in research or college level teaching.

However, an Associate's degree paves the way into entry level positions in a number of fields such as social services, customer service, human resources, marketing, corrections, non-profit organizations, business, consumer research, government agencies, and more.

Courses designated as Physical Science, Natural Science, Humanities, Social Behavioral and General Education electives can be found on page 82.

Placement Tests or pre-requisites are required for English Composition I, Math courses and most General Education Electives. See page 31 for complete Placement information.

All first-time, full-time students with fewer than 15 credit hours after high school graduation are required to enroll in the College Success Skills course during their first semester.

Some courses are not offer each semester. Always make an appointment with your major advisor to enroll each semester.