

4-Year Academic Plan: Sociology

The following is a sample outline demonstrating 4-year completion of this bachelor's degree. Each student's reality will vary slightly, as this plan does not include transfer work, Advanced Placement (AP), or concurrent enrollment credits. Math and English placement will be based on the student's ACT/SAT scores. **PLEASE NOTE:** The following plan assumes students are prepared to take the Math course listed. If prerequisites are required, additional semesters may be required to complete degree.

*While every effort has been made to align this sample with departmental offerings and recommendations, **this is a GUIDE ONLY.** Please meet with your academic advisor and consult DegreeWorks for specifics.*

1st Year Fall (16 credits)

ENGL 1010 Intro to Academic Writing (3)
American Institutions Course (3)
Life Science Knowledge Area w/ lab* (4)
SOC 1010 **or** SOC 1020 (3)
Free electives (3 credits)

1st Year Spring (14 credits)

ENGL 2010 Intermediate Writing (3)
INFO 1010 Information Literacy (1)
Fine Arts Knowledge Area (3)
Humanities Knowledge Area (3)
Free electives (4 credits)

2nd Year Fall (15 credits)

MATH 1030 Contemporary Math or higher* (3)
SOC 3450 Applied Research Methods (3)
SOC upper-division elective* (3)
SOC upper-division elective* (3)
Free electives (3 credits)

2nd Year Spring (15 credits)

Physical Science Knowledge Area w/ lab* (4)
SOC upper-division elective* (3)
Upper-division electives (3 credits)
Free electives (5 credits)

3rd Year Fall (15 credits)

SOC 3780 Social Theory (3)
SOC upper-division elective* (3)
Upper-division electives (3 credits)
Free electives (6 credits)

3rd Year Spring (15 credits)

SOC 4500 Global Issues In Sociology (3)
SOC upper-division elective* (3)
Free electives (9 credits)

4th Year Fall (15 credits)

SOC 3030 or upper-division elective ** (3)
SOC upper-division elective* (3)
Free electives (9 credits)

4th Year Spring (15 credits)

SOC 4999 Senior Capstone (3)
Free electives (12 credits)

Color Key:

General Education Courses (green)

Major-required course & GE requirement (purple)

Major Courses (black)

Upper-Division Elective/minor/etc. (blue)

Electives/minor/etc. (red)

Other Notes:

- (*) See catalog for available options
- (**) Must take SOC 3030 for Engaged Learning focus for capstone. SOC 3450 counts as prereq for Research focused capstone. All students must take SOC 3450.
- All students must earn a minimum of 40 upper-division credits (3000-4999 level)
- Students electing to complete the Bachelor of Arts
- will take 16 hours of one foreign language (not included here)