

**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: 60

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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

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.

Concentration Requirements 15

- ECON 101 Issues in Today's Economy 3
- PSYC 101 General Psychology 3
- SOCI 101 Sociology 3
- SOCI 201 Marriage and Family 3
- SOCI 203 Social Problems 3

General Education Requirements 45

- COMM 101 Public Speaking 3
- ENGL 101 English Composition I 3
- ENGL 102 English Composition II 3
- MATH 115 College Algebra 3
- EDUC 133 Research Skills *or*
- LEAR 101 College Success Skills *or*
- PED 116 Lifetime Fitness 1

Physical Science Elective with Lab 5

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Natural Science Elective with Lab

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Humanities Electives (from at least three areas)

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Social and Behavioral Science Electives 6

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General Education Electives 3

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Courses designated as Physical Science, Natural Science, Humanities, Social Behavioral and General Education electives can be found on page 88.
Placement Tests or pre-requisites are required for English Composition I, and Math courses. See page 24 for complete Placement information.
Some courses are not offer each semester. Always make an appointment with your major advisor to enroll each semester.