

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIOLOGY

Summary of Graduation Requirements

Subject Area	Credits
General Education Core (https://catalog.nsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-information/general-education-core-program/)	40
Major Requirements	45
Electives	35
Other Requirements	0
Total Credit Hours	120

Curriculum

Course	Title	Credits
First Year		
Select one of the following:		
HIS 100	History of World Societies I	
HIS 101	History of World Societies II	
HIS 102	United States History to 1865	
HIS 103	United States History Since 1865	
Select two of the following:		6
BIO 100	Biological Science	
BIO 105	Human Biology	
BIO 110	General Biology	
SCI 101	Physical Science for Non-Science Majors	
CHM 100	Man/Environment	
PHY 100	Physical Science	
Select one of the following:		1
BIO 100L	Biological Science Lab	
CHM 100L	Chemistry: Man & Environment Laboratory	
PHY 100L	Physical Science Laboratory	
CSC 150	Computer Literacy	3
ENG 101	College English I	3
ENG 102	College English II	3
HED 100	Personal and Community Health	2
MTH 103 or MTH 105	Mathematics in General Education or Intermediate Algebra	3
PED 100	Fundamentals of Fitness for Life	1
SOC 101	Introduction to the Social Sciences	3
SOC 110	Introduction to Sociology	3
SEM 101 & SEM 102	Spartan Seminar 101 and Spartan Seminar 102	2
Credits		30

Second Year

Select one of the following:			3
HIS 100	History of World Societies I		
HIS 101	History of World Societies II		
HIS 102	United States History to 1865		
HIS 103	United States History Since 1865		
Select two of the following:			6

HUM 210	Humanities		
HUM 211	Humanities		
ENG 207	Introduction to World Literature		
MUS 301	Music Appreciation		
Foreign Language			
SOC 234 or SOC 228	Urban Sociology or Demographic Principles		3
Select one of the following:			3
PSY 210	Introduction to Psychology		
POS 100	American National Government, American Government		
ECN 211	Principles of Microeconomics		
ENG 285	Public Speaking		3
SOC 237 or CJS 200	Racial & Ethnic Minorities or Introduction to Criminal Justice		3
SOC 230	Social Problems		3
XXX XXX	Free Elective		3
CJS 200	Introduction to Criminal Justice		3
SEM 201	Spartan Seminar 201		1
Credits			31

Third Year

SOC 338 or SOC 331	Sociology of Families or Social Psychology		3
Select one of the following:			3
ENG 383	African-American Literature, 1940-PRESENT		
HIS 335	African-American History		
HIS 336	African-American History Since 1865		
HIS 370	Early African History and Cultures, From the Beginning of Humankind to 1600		
HIS 377	Black Leaders, Then and Now		
POS 315	African American Politics		
SOC 344	Methods of Social Research		3
SOC 355	Elementary Social Statistics, Social Statistics		3
SOC 3XX	Sociology or CJS Elective		9
XXX XXX	Free Electives		9
Credits			30

Fourth Year

SOC 446	Sociological Theory		3
XXX XXX	Approved Elective		3
SOC 393	Internship		6
SOC 462	Complex Organizations		3
SOC 499	Applied Sociology		3
XXX XXX	Free Electives		11
Credits			29
Total Credits			120

Career Areas in Sociology

Students may follow the general curriculum (above) or specialize in courses relevant to career areas to increase their preparedness for specific career goals using the following guidelines and working closely with an advisor.

Crime and Criminal Justice

Code	Title	Credits
POS 100	American National Government,Americant Government	3
or PSY 210	Introduction to Psychology	
Select three of the following CJS Electives:		9
CJS 200	Introduction to Criminial Justice	3
CJS 220	Juvenile Delinquency	
CJS 225	Law Enforcement	
CJS 230	Introduction to Correctionims	
CJS 310	Criminology	
CJS 313	American Ct Systems Honors	
CJS 315	Sociology of Drug Usage	
CJS 492	Topics in Criminal Justice	
Choose three of the following Approved/Free Electives:		9
POS 332	Introduction to Jurisprudence	
SOC 458	Social Stratification	
SOC 237	Racial & Ethnic Minorities	
CJS XXX		

¹ Instead of SOC 137 Social Problems.

Family and Social Relations

Code	Title	Credits
PSY 210	Introduction to Psychology ¹	3
SOC 137	Social Problems ²	3
Select three of the following SOC XXX:		9
SOC 338	Sociology of Families	
SOC 331	Social Psychology	
SOC 205	Human Sexuality	
CJS 220	Juvenile Delinquency	
CJS 315	Sociology of Drug Usage	3
SOC 458	Social Stratification	3
Select one of the following Approved Electives:		3
PSY 220	Child Psychology	
PSY 225	Adolescent Psycholgy	
SOC 228	Demographic Principles	
Select two of the following Free Electives:		6
Any Approved Elective above		
SOC 458	Social Stratification	
SWK 327	Interviewing Techniques	
SOC 237	Racial & Ethnic Minorities	

¹ Instead of POS 100 American National Government,Americant Government.

² Instead of CJS 200 Introduction to Criminial Justice.

Social Inequality and Social Justice

Code	Title	Credits
ECN 210	Economics	3
or POS 100	American National Government,Americant Government	
SOC 137	Social Problems ²	3
SOC 237	Racial & Ethnic Minorities	3

SOC 458	Social Stratification	3
Select one of the following:		3
SOC 228	Demographic Principles	
SOC 234	Urban Sociology	
SOC 325	Sociology of Business & Internationalism	
Select three of the following Approved Electives/Free Electives:		9
CJS 310	Criminology	
CJS 230	Introduction to Correctionims	
CJS 200	Introduction to Criminial Justice	
POS	(Housing)	
POS 315	African American Politics	
GEO 130	Principles of Geography	
INT 411	Ideas and Their Influences	

¹ Instead of PSY 210 Introduction to Psychology.

² Instead of CJS 200 Introduction to Criminial Justice.

Population Studies and International Development

Code	Title	Credits
ECN 211	Principles of Microeconomics ¹	3
or POS 100	American National Government,Americant Government	
SOC 137	Social Problems ²	3
SOC 228	Demographic Principles ³	3
Select one of the following:		3
SOC 301	Demographic Methods I	
SOC 302	Migration	
SOC 303	Fertility and Family Planning	
SOC 304	Mortality	
SOC 401	Socio-Cybersecurity	
SOC 402	Family Demography	
SOC 403	Population Growth, Food and Environment	
SOC 404	Population and Socioeconmic Development	
SOC 234	Urban Sociology	
SOC 325	Sociology of Business & Internationalism	
Select three of the following Approved/Free Electives:		9
SOC 458	Social Stratification	
SOC 237	Racial & Ethnic Minorities	
INT 411	Ideas and Their Influences	
HIS	International Focus	
GEO 130	Principles of Geography	

¹ Instead of PSY 210 Introduction to Psychology.

² Instead of CJS 200 Introduction to Criminial Justice.

³ Instead of SOC 234 Urban Sociology.