

Social Science AA (Associate GE Track)

+If you have completed coursework at another college and/or are starting in a semester other than a Fall term, please follow up with the Counseling Department to determine if this sequence is appropriate for your academic and career goals.

Program Description: Social Science is the study of people as members of a society. It examines individual and group behavior, communication and decision-making from a contemporary view, as well as historical roots and evolving perspectives. This degree takes an interdisciplinary approach to the field and is designed to provide an overview of the broad range of courses that constitute and are available in the social sciences.

Program SLO: Analyze current and historical individuals or groups using concepts and theories from the social sciences.

Important Transfer Information: The sequence listed below, may not meet all your transfer admissions requirements. Connect with a counselor to develop an individual student education plan through the Counseling Department @ <https://www.canyons.edu/counseling> or (661) 362-3288/(661) 362-3822.

Major courses are sequenced and **BOLDED** based on recommendations by the [Sociology Department](#).

First Semester (2-15 units minimum)		FA = Fall; WI = Winter; SP = Spring; SU = Summer		
Course	Title	Units	Major and GE Courses	
PSYCH 101/101H or PSYCH 172/172H	Introduction to Psychology (FA, WI, SP, SU) or Developmental Psychology (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Major Course and Area B	
ANTHRO 103/103H or ANTHRO 210	Cultural Anthropology (FA, WI, SP, SU) or Indians of California (FA, SP)	3	Major Course and Diversity	
ENGLISH 101/101H	English Composition (FA, WI, SP, SU)	4	Area DI	
Math Competency	Choose one course from the Associate GE Area 3 (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3-5	Area 3 and DII	
PE/Wellness	Take two of any KPEA or Dance activity classes (FA, WI, SP, SU) (except Dance 100) or Health 100, 149, 150, 243 (FA, WI, SP, SU)	2-3	Area F	
		Term Total:	15-18	

Check the Honors website for most recent course offerings. Must be enrolled in the Honors program to take courses - see below

Second Semester (16-30 units minimum)				
Course	Title	Units	Major and GE Courses	
SOCI 101/101H or SOCI 207	Introduction to Sociology (FA, WI, SP, SU) or Social Problems (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Major Course	
HIST 101/101H or 102 or 161	History of Western Civilization: Pre-Industrial West (FA, SP, SU) or History of Western Civilization: The Modern Era (FA, SP, SU) or World History I (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Major Course	
Natural Science	Choose one course from the Associate GE Area A (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Area A	
SOCI 200/200H or another Arts Course	Choose one course from the Associate GE Area C category (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Area C	
American Institutions – Choose Option I or II	Complete first course in chosen option – (note: must take both classes within one option) (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	American Institutions	
		Term Total:	15	

Third Semester (31-45 units minimum)				
Course	Title	Units	Major and GE Courses	

	POLISC 230, 250, or 270	Political Theory (FA, SP) or Comparative Government & Politics (FA, SP) or International Relations (FA, SP)	3	Major Course
	Group 1 Course	Choose one course from Group 1, listed below (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Major Elective
	American Institutions	Complete second course in chosen option – (note: must take both classes within one option) (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	American Institutions
	Associate Elective	Choose any course that is 100-level or higher (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Elective
	Associate Elective	Choose any course that is 100-level or higher (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Elective
		Term Total:	15	

Fourth Semester (46-60 units minimum)				
Course	Title	Units	Major and GE Courses	
	Group 1 Course	Choose one course from Group 1, listed below (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Major Elective
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	Associate Elective	Choose any course that is 100-level or higher (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Elective
	Associate Elective	Choose any course that is 100-level or higher (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Elective
	Associate Elective	Choose any course that is 100-level or higher (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3	Elective
		Term Total:	15	

Total Units: 60

Group 1 – Need three courses from this area that have not already been taken (9 units)

BUS 126	Managing Diversity in the Workplace (FA, SP, SU)	3
COMS 260	Communication and Gender (FA, SP, SU)	3
ECON 201/201H	Macroeconomics (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3
GEOGRPH 102	Human Geography (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3
HIST 120/120H	The Role of Women in the History of the United States (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3
HIST 240	Latin American Civilization (FA)	3
PSYCH 235	Psychology of Gender Roles (FA, SP, SU)	3
PSYCH 240	Abnormal Psychology (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3
PSYCH 272	Adult Development and Aging (TBD)	3
SOCI 103/103	Intimate Relationships and Families (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3
SOCI 105	Multiculturalism in America (FA, SP, SU)	3
SOCI 200/200H	Introduction to Women's Studies (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3
SOCI 233	Sociological Issues of Life and Longevity (FA, SP)	3
SOCI 250	Introduction to Criminology (FA, WI, SP, SU)	3

Students can take additional courses listed above to fulfill elective units.

American Institutions Requirement – Select one of the options below and complete a total of 6 units

Option 1	One course from the following: Economics 170/170H, History 111/111H, History 112/112H, History 120/120H, or History 130 AND Political Science 150/150H (FA, WI, SP, SU)
Option 2	History 111/111H AND History 112/112H (FA, WI, SP, SU)

Counseling Resources

Sociology Department: www.canyons.edu/sociology

Associate General Education:

https://www.canyons.edu/_resources/documents/studentservices/counseling/top10/AssociateDegreeRequirements20192020.pdf

COC Honors Program: <https://www.canyons.edu/academics/honors/index.php>

Career Resources

California Career Zone: www.californiacareerzone.com

O*Net Online: www.onetonline.com

Bureau of Labor and Statistics: www.bls.gov