

## BS Sociology Degree Major (Fall 2024 & Later)

### Minimum 120 credits required for Bachelor's degree

#### Foundational Core (27-29 Credits) Grade

FYWS-125 <sup>1</sup>	First Year Seminar	
MA _____	Foundational Core Math course	
Choose 1 course from each area *		
<sup>2</sup> Natural/Physical Science		
Literature		
History	HI-100,102,110, or 115	
Arts/Design/Comm.		
Philosophy		
Theology/Relig		
Social/Behavioral Science		

#### Human Journey Seminars: Great Books in CIT (6 Credits)

CIT 201	CIT Seminar I	
CIT 202	CIT Seminar II	

#### Liberal Arts Explorations (LAE) (12 Credits Total)

**Student must complete 4 courses from at least 2 different subjects and one course in each area.**

**(see list on Registrar's Website - checksheets)**

Humanistic Inquiry (3 credits)		
Social and Global Awareness (3 credits)		
Scientific Literacy (3 credits)		
LAE in any area (3 credits)		

\* See list of courses.

<sup>1</sup>(Requires Grade C or higher)

<sup>2</sup>Science/Natural Science courses includes

approved Math and Computer Science courses. Students are required to take at least one course in Biology, Chemistry, or Physics in the Foundational or Liberal Arts Exploration Core. CS and MA courses may be used as a Science/Natural Science in either the Foundational Core **or** as a requirement in the LAE Core but not in both categories.

Note: MA 006 and ESL courses **will not** count towards the 120 credit graduation requirement.

Approved Study Abroad courses may be used to satisfy requirements for the foundational core or a Liberal Arts Exploration

A maximum of 8 Applied Music credits may be applied towards graduation

### Required Curriculum for Degree in Major Sociology Major (36 credits)

Grade

AN 110	Human Cultural Diversity	
SO 110	Sociological Imagination	
SO 372	Sociological Theory	
SO 382	Methods of Social Research	
SO 384	Applied Social Theory and Methods	
SO 392	Sociology Internship	
SO 398	Senior Seminar in Sociology	
	Sociology or Anthropology Elective	
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#### Required Supporting courses

Grade


#### General Electives (number of credits vary)

Grade


#### Checksheet Key

T	Course transferred and Requirement satisfied
W	Requirement waived
TW	Course transferred and Requirement waived

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Sociology is the systematic and scientific study of social life, from peer groups to mass media to the global economy. The Sociology major curriculum is value driven and the faculty provide a course of study that fosters awareness of social conflict and inequality all the while highlighting practices and structures that promote for healthy self development, cohesive family and community, and a fair and just society. The major provides an excellent foundation for careers in professional sociology and social research, teaching, counseling, community service, human resources, journalism, government service, law, NGOs and other non-profit organizations.

**SUGGESTED FOUR YEAR SEQUENCE OF STUDY:**

<b>YEAR 1</b>	<b>SEMESTER 1</b>	<b>YEAR 1</b>	<b>SEMESTER 2</b>
FYWS 125	First Year Writing Seminar or	FYWS	First Year Writing Seminar or
or XX	Foundational Core	or xx	Foundational Core
MA ____	College-level Math course		Foundational Core
	Foundational Core		Foundational Core
	Foundational Core		Foundational Core
SO110	Sociological Imagination	AN110	Human Cultural Diversity

<b>YEAR 2</b>	<b>SEMESTER 3</b>	<b>YEAR 2</b>	<b>SEMESTER 4</b>
CIT 201	Catholic Intellectual Tradition	CIT 202	Catholic Intellectual Tradition
	Foundation Course		LAE Course
	LAE Course		LAE Course
	LAE Course	SO	Sociology Elective
SO	Sociology Elective	SO/AN	Sociology or Anthropology Elective

<b>YEAR 3</b>	<b>SEMESTER 5</b>	<b>YEAR 3</b>	<b>SEMESTER 6</b>
SO372	Sociological Theory	SO384	Applied Social Theory and Methods
SO382	Methods of Social Research	SO	Sociology Elective
SO	Sociology Elective		Free Elective
	Free Elective		Free Elective
	Free Elective		Free Elective

<b>YEAR 4</b>	<b>SEMESTER 7</b>	<b>YEAR 4</b>	<b>SEMESTER 8</b>
SO398	Senior Seminar in Sociology	SO392	Sociology Internship
	Free Elective		Free Elective
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	Free Elective		Free Elective