

Social & Behavioral Sciences

**UNITS** 

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## See a Counselor for Your Personalized Educational Plan!

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2022-23

# SOCIOLOGY

## AA-T SOCIOLOGY

## **Pathways for Transfer**

(CSUGE) NAA695 / (IGETC) NAA696

REQUIRED	UNITS	
SOC-1/1H	Introduction to Sociology/Honors	3
List A	Select TWO courses from LIST A	6-7
List B	Select TWO courses from LIST B	6
List C	Select from the list below	3

TERM 1				
CSUSB/CPP	UCR			
COURSE UNITS	COURSE UNITS			
ENG 1A 4	ENG 1A 4			
MAT 12 4	MAT 12 4			
SOC 1 3	SOC 1 3			
GUI 47 3	GUI 47 3			
Total Units 14 Total Units 14				

<b>√</b>	First Term To-Do List
	Submit official high school transcripts and AP/IB/CLEP exam scores
	Visit Engagement Center (ST 107)
	Meet with a <u>counselor</u> to personalize your EduNav plan and to <i>determine if you have already met the IGETC foreign language requirement through high school coursework</i>
	Register for ILA-800 each term to receive FREE tutoring

LIST A: Select TWO courses below (6-7 units)				
MAT-12/12H	Statistics /Honors	4		
OR				
PSY/SOC-48	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	3		
SOC-2	American Social Problems	3		
SOC-50	Introduction to Social Research Methods	3		

LIST B: Select TWO courses below (6 units)

Race and Ethnic Relations

Any course from List A not already used

SOC-10

TERM 2			
COURSE	UNITS	COURSE	UNITS
ENG 1B	4	ENG 1B	4
COM 1, 6 or 9	3	COM 1, 6 or 9	3
SOC 50	3	SOC 50	3
GEG 1	3	GEG 1/1L	4
HIS 6, 7, 14, 31 or 34	3	HIS 6, 7, 14, 31 or 34	3
Total Units	16	Total Units	17

<b>√</b>	Second Term To-Do List
	Visit the Counseling Center (2nd floor of CSS)
	Meet with a Mustang Mentor
	Get involved in <u>ASNC</u> or other <u>student organizations</u>
	Look for internship, research or volunteer opportunities in your field (s) of interest

SOC-12	Marriage Family Relations	3
SOC-20	Introduction to Criminology	
LIST C: Select	ONE course below (3 units)	UNITS
Any course from	n List A or B not already used	
SOC-3	Social Inequality	3
SOC-15	Women in American Society	3
ANT-2/2H	Cultural Anthropology/Honors	3
PSY-1/1H	General Psychology/Honors	3
PSY-8	Introduction to Social Psychology	3

TERM 3				
COURSE	UNITS			
SOC 10, 12 or 20	3			
PSY 1	3			
POL 1	3			
IGETC AREA 3A	3			
ADJ 1	3			
Total Units 15 Total Units 15				
	COURSE SOC 10, 12 or 20 PSY 1 POL 1 IGETC AREA 3A ADJ 1			

<b>√</b>	✓ Third Term To-Do List			
	Meet with a <u>counselor</u> to verify your transfer status			
	Attend Transfer Fair, transfer workshops and meet with university reps			
	Submit transfer applications (ask about UC TAG)			
	Complete <u>FAFSA</u> before march 2nd (include all transfer institutions that you applied to)			

This academic plan includes major coursework and recommended general education requirements for transfer. *Transfer requirements vary based on institution*. Please see a counselor to develop your personal educational plan and determine appropriate work/life/school balance.

TERM 4				
COURSE UNI	TS	COURSE	UNITS	
SOC, 10, 12 or 20	3	SOC, 10, 12 or 20	3	
BIO 1	4	ANT 1	3	
SPA 2	5	COM 12 or HUM 11	3	
EAR 20	3	EAR 20, PSY 9 or 35	3	
PHI 12 3				
Total Units 15 Total Units 15				

<b>✓</b>	Fourth Term To-Do List			
	Submit Degree Applications via WebAdvisor			
	Complete transfer application updates			
	Finish strong and order final transcripts for your transfer institution along with CSUGE or IGETC certification			

A **SOCIOLOGY** degree teaches students about the development, nature, and transformation of societal organization. Core courses include the examination of historical and contemporary theory and research as the basis from which to gain an in-depth awareness and understanding of the world in which we live. Emphasis is placed on how social structure creates inequality based on group membership such as ethnicity, class and gender. Social forces such as social conflict, collective behavior, social movements, and organizational and institutional influences are explored.

#### WHERE CAN I WORK?

- Correctional Facilities
- Foster Care & Adoption Agencies
- ♦ K-12 Schools
- ♦ Homeless & Women's Shelters
- ♦ Hospitals & Nursing Homes
- ♦ Judicial System
- ♦ Juvenile Group Homes

- Labor Unions
- ♦ Local, State, Federal Government
- ♦ Non-profit Organizations
- Residential Treatment Facilities
- ♦ Social Service Organizations
- Victim Services
- Universities & Colleges

WHAT CAN I DO WITH THIS ASSOCIATE DEGREE?						
Position Title	CA Annual Openings	CA Median Salary	In Riverside County Wages will Support			
Administrative Assistant	23,450	\$42,250	1 adult			
Government Program Eligibility Interviewer	2,390	\$64,640	1 adult, 1 child			
Human Service Assistant	5,910	\$39,980	1 adult			
Human Resources Assistant	1,840	\$42,110	1 adult			
Recreation/Youth Counselor	9,230	\$28,330	1 adult			
Social Service Assistant	5,910	\$40,610	1 adult			
<u>Teacher's Assistant</u>	17,710	\$34,580	1 adult			

WHAT CAN I DO WITH MORE EDUCATION AND TRAINING?			
Position Title	CA Annual Openings	CA Median Salary	In Riverside County Wages will Support
Arbitrators & Mediators	60	\$102,240	2 adults, 3 children
Labor Relations Specialist	710	\$77,090	1 adult, 2 children
<u>Probation Officer</u>	1,040	\$91,400	1 adult, 3 children
Social & Human Service Assistants	5,910	\$40,610	1 adult
Social Science Research Assistant	340	\$49,770	1 adult, 1 child
<u>Social Worker</u>	3,690	\$55,350	1 adult, 1 child
Sociologist	100	\$97,920	2 adults, 3 children
<u>University/College Professor</u>	100	\$104,240	2 adults, 3 children

#### ESTIMATED COST TO OBTAIN ASSOCIATE DEGREE

60 Units x \$46 per unit (CA residents) = \$2,760 Health, Books & Supplies = \$3,944 **Total C** 

Health, ASNC, Parking Fees (x 4 terms) = \$360

Total Cost = \$7,064

#### HOW DO I GET STARTED?

- ⇒ Visit the **Counseling Center** to learn about opportunities in the field and help determining if it is agood fit for your preferred values, strengths, skills, and interests. SSV 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.
- ⇒ Attend annual **TRANSFER FAIR** and **TRANSFER CENTER WORKSHOPS** to determine which university is the best fit for you as well as application requirements and transfer process.
- ⇒ Supplement curriculum with courses in political science, religion, anthropology, and classical civilizations.
- ⇒ JOB SHADOW and NETWORK WITH PROFESSIONALS in positions you wish to obtain.
- ⇒ Participate in campus clubs to gain **TEAMWORK** and **LEADERSHIP SKILLS**.
- ⇒ Practice interpersonal, small group and public speaking COMMUNICATION SKILLS.
- ⇒ Join PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION such as the American Sociological Association or the Association for Applied and Clinical Sociology to network and maintain current knowledge of opportunities in the field.

#### WHAT SKILLS DO I NEED?

- ⇒ Reading Comprehension understanding written sentences and paragraphs in work related documents.
- ⇒ Active Listening giving full attention to what other people are saying, taking time to understand the points being made, asking questions as appropriate, and not interrupting at inappropriate times.
- ⇒ **Social Perceptiveness** being aware of others' reactions and understanding why they react as they do.
- $\Rightarrow$  **Writing** communicating effectively in writing as appropriate for the needs of the audience.
- ⇒ **Active Learning** Understanding the implications of new information for both current and future problem-solving and decision-making.

#### PREFERRED WORK STYLES INCLUDE:

- ⇒ Analytical Thinking analyzing information and using logic to address work-related issues and problems.
- ⇒ **Achievement/Effort** establishing and maintaining personally challenging achievement goals and exerting effort toward mastering tasks.
- $\Rightarrow$  **Persistence** persistence in the face of obstacles.
- $\Rightarrow \ \ \textbf{Integrity} \text{being honest and ethical}.$
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