

# SOCIOLOGY MINOR

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## Program Description

The sociology minor introduces students to the ways in which social institutions, such as the family, government, religion, education, mass media, and the justice system inform both individual and social actions. Students will learn to employ various theoretical frameworks and research methodologies to critically examine current social problems, the structure of social institutions, inequality and the role of power in society. Special emphasis is placed on developing skills and knowledge that enable students to critically reflect on prevailing social relations in everyday life.

## Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
SOCY 101	Introduction to Sociology	4
Select one of the following:		3-4
SOCY 238	Social Psychology	
SOCY 214	Criminology	
SOCY 227	Population and Ecology	
Select one of the following:		3
SOCY 310	Dev of Sociological Theory	
SOCY 311	Comtemp Sociological Theory	
SOCY 301	Social Research Methods	
Select one elective from the following:		3
SOCY 314	Social Change	
SOWK 480	Grantwriting	
SOCY 497	Community Action Project	
Additional sociology courses to total a minimum of 23 credits		9-10
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>22-24</b>