



Sociology – Bachelor of Arts
College of Arts and Sciences
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2023-2024 Transfer Course Sheet
Minimum GPA | 2.75
Minimum Transferable Hours | 24
Maximum Transferable Hours | 89
Second-Choice Major Eligible | YES

Required Coursework for Admission

Course Name	Hrs.	TCCNS	TAMU
Composition and Rhetoric	3	ENGL 1302	ENGL 104
Any Sociology course	3	e.g. SOCI 1301	e.g. SOCI 205

- **Maximum Transferable Hours are hours completed at the time of application**
- **Required coursework must be completed with a grade of C or better**
- ENGL 1301 is a transferable course and will be accepted in place of ENGL 1302 if ENGL 1302 is in progress.
- Students may have to complete ENGL 1301 at their institution before taking ENGL 1302.
- The Department of Sociology will accept AP/IB credit when applicable; scores should be submitted at the time of application in order to be considered for coursework required for admission. DO NOT retake classes for which you have AP/IB credit.

Recommended Coursework for Admission

Course Name	Hrs.	TCCNS	TAMU
Foreign Language I	4	e.g. SPAN 1401	e.g. SPAN 101
Foreign Language II	4	e.g. SPAN 1402	e.g. SPAN 102
Foreign Language III*	3	e.g. SPAN 2311	e.g. SPAN 201
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Business Math I or Statistics	3	MATH 1324 or MATH 1342	MATH 140 or STAT 201

- **Foreign Language is recommended if applying to a bachelor of arts; if applicant has over 60 hours at the time of application it is highly recommended they have completed at least four semesters of the same foreign language.**

The recommendations below represent what a typical TAMU student's schedule looks like during the first four semesters. If working to complete an Associate's Degree before transferring, please align your degree plan to satisfy TAMU degree requirements. You may not have to complete the coursework in the sequence below but this major requires or recommends specific coursework to be completed.

Additional Recommended Coursework Prior to Transfer

FALL SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
SOCI XXXX	SOCI XXX	Sociology Course	3
	TAMU Core	Mathematics	3
	TAMU Core	American History	3
		Foreign Language I	4
ENGL 1301	ENGL 103	Composition and Rhetoric	3
Total			16

SPRING SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
	TAMU Core	Life Physical Science	3
MATH 1342	STAT 201	Elementary Statistical Inference	3
	TAMU Core	American History	3
		Foreign Language II	4
ENGL 1302	ENGL 104	Composition and Rhetoric	3
Total			16

FALL SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
	TAMU Core	Creative Arts	3
	TAMU Core	Social Science	3
	TAMU Core	Life Physical Science	3
GOVT 2305	POLS 206	Government/Political Science	3
		Foreign Language III	3
Total			15

SPRING SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
	TAMU Core	Social Science	3
	TAMU Core	Language, Philosophy, and Culture	3
	ENGL XXX	English Literature	3
GOVT 2306	POLS 207	Government/Political Science	3
		Foreign Language IV	3
Total			15

Coursework Timeline

- Competitive applicants will have the Recommended or Required coursework completed by the application deadline.



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- Applicants to the summer/fall term **may be** asked to submit spring final grades, this is not a guarantee.
- Summer coursework **will not** be considered for summer/fall applicants.
- Fall coursework **will not** be considered for spring applicants.
- Before applying, applicants to the spring term should have the Recommended or Required coursework completed by the end of Summer II semester.

Additional Transfer Requirements

- Transfer applicants should have completed a full semester (spring or fall) course load of 12 transferable hours (minimum) after graduating from high school.
- The Department of Sociology is looking for students who are interested in pursuing our degree as a focus. Students should indicate our department as the primary major they are interested in if they wish to be admitted. The essay and supporting materials should reflect that the student is interested in pursuing our degree.
- Second-choice majors are considered.
- Maximum credit hours listed are hours completed at the time of application. All courses completed, regardless of degree applicability, are considered including transcribed credit by exam hours.
- Applicants cannot select which hours are transferable, or opt to exclude completed hours, and all hours will be factored when calculating maximum transferable hours.
- Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee admission. The entire record is reviewed for consistency in coursework and grades.

Additional Information

- Applicants should be serious about earning a degree in Sociology. Intended major changes after the first semester may be limited, based on the number of credit hours already completed.
- All majors are required to have at least one SOCI course on their schedule each semester.
- Transfer applicants are instructed NOT to accept transfer admission to any major with the expectation of later applying for an on-campus change of major.

Career & Educational Opportunities

Majoring in Sociology provides a solid foundation in the knowledge and skills needed to address real-world social issues and problems, while allowing students to explore a wide range of social topics and issues. The department offers two courses specifically designed to prepare majors for post-graduate employment or entry into graduate, law, or professional schools. Further, some courses include hands-on service-learning opportunities in which students connect service and/or research in the community with course material. For sociology majors seeking to enter applied fields, we have a highly praised internship program that offers practical experience in community nonprofit organizations, government agencies, and businesses. To further complement our courses, students accepted into our honors program have opportunities to work one-on-one with professors engaged in sociological research.

Transfer Course Sheet Notes

1. Admission preference is given to applicants with the highest GPA and the most appropriate courses completed.
2. Transfer applicants are encouraged to complete [University Core Curriculum](#) coursework found in the [Undergraduate Catalog](#) unless specified above.
3. This Transfer Course Sheet was supported in a partnership between the Office of Admissions and the College of Arts and Sciences at Texas A&M University with the Undergraduate Catalog having the most extant and definitive information.
4. Please direct all application questions to the Office of Admissions.