

College of Social Sciences

Sociology BA

75 Quarter Credits

Why Study Sociology at EWU?

Within the Bachelor of Arts degree, the Department of Sociology and Justice Studies offers a program in sociology, blending career education and the liberal arts. The education goal is not to train students; neither is the goal to educate students solely in sociology. Rather, the goal is to use the discipline as a way to critically synthesize what is learned in a liberal arts program. The program envisaged here provides a general background which will enable the student to move into a variety of career paths, while retaining the opportunity for particular specializations within sociology and thematically related disciplines.

Other Degree Options

The sociology major provides students with a variety of skills including critical thinking, oral and written communication, the ability to work effectively in groups and the ability to generate data and conduct basic research, all of which are desired by prospective employers in a wide variety of settings. A minor in Sociology is also available.

Career Opportunities

Sociology majors go on to successful careers in an extraordinary range of public and private agencies including those in health care, social work, child welfare, criminal justice, business, government at all levels, law, gerontology, and environmental consulting.



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This is an example of a four year class schedule. Academic Advisors are there to help create individualized plans.

Year	Q1	Q2	Q3
First Year	BACR (5 cr.) ENGL 101 (5 cr.) SOCI 101 (5 cr.)	BACR (5 cr.) BACR (5 cr.) MATH 107 (5 cr.)	BACR (5 cr.) General Elective (5 cr.) ENGL 201 (5 cr.)
Second Year	BACR (5 cr.) Global Studies (5 cr.) SOCI/CRIM 356 or CSBS 320 (General Elective (5 cr.) SOCI 357 or CRIM 330 (5 cr.) SOCI 351 (5 cr.)	General Elective (5 cr.) SOCI 320* or 321* (5 cr.) SOCI 363 (5 cr.)
Third Year	Social Justice & Community E SOCI 465 (5 cr.) SOCI 470 (5 cr.)	General Elective (5 cr.) Major elective (1-5 cr.)* (3 cr SOCI 481 (5 cr.)	General Elective (4 cr.) General Elective (5 cr.) Institutions and Civil Society Major elective (1-5 cr.)* (3 cr
Fourth Year	General Elective (5 cr.) Social Justice & Community E Upper Div Elective (5 cr.)	General Elective (5 cr.) General Elective (5 cr.) SOCI 490* or SOCI 491* (5 cr	General Elective (5 cr.) General Elective (5 cr.) General Elective (5 cr.)

Listed is a Sample Four Year Plan. Individual plans will vary based on placement test scores and course availability.



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