

West Texas A&M University
STARR Center
Degree Checklist
2008-2009

NAME: _____ WT ID: _____ DATE: _____

Sociology
Department Psychology, Sociology and Social Work
OM 416 651-2590

Bachelor of Science Degree
BS.SOCI (122)

CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 39 HOURS ♦		
Number of hours does not include specific core requirements listed below. HRS		
Communication (10)		
ENGL 1301 (ENG 101); 1302* (ENG 102) or 2311* (ENG 270)	6	
Communication (11)		
SCOM 1315 (101), 1318 (103), or 1321 (201)	3	
Mathematics (20)		
MATH 1314* (110), 1324* (115), 1332**/**, 2412*, or 2413*	3	
Natural Sciences (30)		
Take two courses from:		
PSES 1301 (216), 1307 (112); ANSC 1319 (121); BIOL 1406 (101) or 1408 (NEW), 1407* (102) or 1409* (NEW), 1411 (122), 1413 (121); CHEM 1405 (121), 1411* (101), 1412* (102); GEOL 1401 (GESC 111) or 1403 (GEOL 101), 1402 (GESC 112), 1404 (GEOL 102); PHYS 1401* (101), 1402* (102), 1411, 1412, 2425* (210), 2426* (211)	6-8	
Humanities (40-41)		
ENGL 2321* (NEW), 2326* (NEW), 2331* (NEW), 2341* (NEW), 2343* (NEW); HIST 2311 (110), 2372 (210); MCOM 1307 (MC 107); PHIL 1301 (101), 2374 (204); or SPAN 2312*/** (207) Choose 1	3	
Visual and Performing Arts (50)		
HUMA 1315 (FA 101); ARTS 1303 (ART 151), ARTS 1304 (ART 152); DANC 2303 (NEW); MUSI 1306 (MUS 101) or 1208 and 1209; or THRE 1310 (105) Choose 1	3	
Social and Behavioral Sciences (60)		
HIST 1301 (201), 1302 (202), 2301 Choose 2	6	
Social and Behavioral Sciences (70)		
POSC 2305 (101) or POSC 2370 (NEW); 2306 (102)	6	
Social and Behavioral Sciences (80)		
See University Core Requirements below	(3)	
Institutionally Designated Option (90)		
PHED 1111 (SES 101); PHED/ANSC activity course; DANC 1241 (1070), 2241* (2370); MUEN 1026 Upon written recommendation of the University physician or the coordinator for Student Disability Services, students may substitute a one hour elective course in lieu of physical education course.	1-2	
SOCIOLOGY REQUIREMENTS: 39 HOURS		
UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS: 3 HOURS		
CORE 80		
PSYC 2301 (PSY 201) or SOCI 1301 (201)	3	
SOCIOLOGY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 36 HOURS		
SOCI 1301 (201) (IF NOT TAKEN AS A CORE) Introduction to Sociology	0-3	
SOCI 1306 (212) Social Problems	3	
SOCI 3362* (362) Statistics for the Social Sciences	3	
SOCI 4302* (402) Criminology	3	
SOCI 4321 (421) Racial and Cultural Minorities	3	
SOCI 4361* (461) Sociological Theory	3	
SOCI 4362* (462) Social Research	3	

PSYC 2301 (PSY 201) (IF NOT TAKEN AS CORE) General Psychology	0-3	
ADVANCED SOCIOLOGY ELECTIVE	3	
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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE REQUIREMENTS: 6 HOURS OPTION		
Six hours chosen from biology, chemistry, geology, geosciences, mathematics, physics and natural sciences.	6	
ELECTIVES (39 HOURS BY ADVISEMENT)****		
ELECTIVES (ADVANCED)		
ELECTIVES (ANY LEVEL)		
TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE DEGREE	123	

♦ Core curriculum courses should be taken during the first two years of enrollment. For a list of core courses with descriptions see www.wtamu.edu/starr/.
* Indicates prerequisites—see [catalog](#) for more information.
** While MATH 1332 will fulfill core math requirements for students in the 2008-2009 catalog, it will NOT prepare them for math beyond MATH 1332 such as Business Math II (MATH 1325), Pre-Calculus (MATH 2412), etc.
*** Or an equivalent course (second year, second semester) in French or German.
****At least 36 hours of advanced work (courses at the 3000- or 4000-level) are required to receive a bachelor's degree. At least 30 must be earned in residence at WTAMU.

Note: This is NOT a degree plan. Upon completion of 60 hours, apply for a degree plan in the office of the dean of the College of Education and Social Sciences located in Old Main, Room 410D, or call 651-2600.