



## 2015-2016 Pathways Major Plan

### Sociology (BA)

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The following is a **suggested** plan of study for completion of this degree program.

The goal of a Major Plan is to ensure that students who completed an Associate’s Degree (AA or AS) graduate with no more than 120 credits and in two years.

- All students should speak with an academic advisor about their academic programs.  
**This document is not a substitute for academic advisement.**
- Students are encouraged to take Winter and Summer courses to facilitate their progress towards graduation.
- Transfer students may not need to take all courses in the plan; they should consult with an academic advisor.
- This plan requires transfer credit for the following courses:
  - ENGL 125 (English Composition I); SOC 101 (Introductory Sociology)

	Credits		Credits
<b>THIRD YEAR - FALL</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>THIRD YEAR - SPRING</b>	<b>15</b>
College Option: Writing Intensive (WI): SOC 201 WI	3	College Option: Writing Requirement: WRIT 300-level	3
SOC 220	3	SOC Elective (200-level)*	3
Minor Course or Free Elective	3	SOC Elective (200-level)*	3
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<b>FOURTH YEAR - FALL</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>FOURTH YEAR - SPRING</b>	<b>15</b>
SOC 321	3	SOC 312 WI	3
SOC Elective (300/400-level)**	3	SOC Elective (300/400-level)**	3
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- York students are required to complete (pass) three (3) Writing intensive (WI) courses: two (2) in the lower division (100-200 level) and one (1) in the upper division (300-level).
- If you transferred to York College with an Associate’s Degree (AA or AS), or with credit for all General Education requirements, you are exempt from completing two (2) of your lower division (100-200 level) Writing Intensive (WI) courses. You must still complete one WI course in the upper division (300-level) within your major. If your major has no upper division WI course, you must take a WI course chosen in consultation with your major advisor.
- B.A. students must complete 90 credits of liberal arts – See Bulletin.
- Students are strongly encouraged to select a Minor program of study, in consultation with an academic advisor, especially those planning to attend graduate school. Minor courses would replace the “free electives” in the Two-Year Plan.

**Notes for Sociology Major Requirements**

**Sociology Major Electives**

Five elective courses (15 credits) in Sociology are required. At least three electives must be at the 300-400 level, and no more than two electives can be at the 200 level.

**\*Select two (2) courses at the 200-level:**

Course	Title	Credit
SOC 202 WI	Major Ideas and Issues in Education	3
SOC 226	Survey Research I: Planning and Design of Research	4
SOC 227	Survey Research II: Data Collection, Processing and Analysis	4
SOC 231	Sociology of Small Groups	3
SOC 235	Ethnicity	3
SOC 236	Sociology of Aging	3
SOC 238	Industrial Sociology	3
SOC 239	Sociology of Work	3
SOC 243	Sociology of Leisure	3
SOC 245	Medical Sociology	3
SOC 247	Family and Kinship	3
SOC 252	Social Problems	3
SOC 255	Deviance and Social Control	3
SOC 271	Sociology of Education	3
SOC 289	Urban Sociology	3
SOC 290	Field Work and Research	3
SOC 291	Field Work and Research	2
SOC 292	Field Work and Research	1

**\*\*Select three (3) courses at the 300-400 level:**

Course	Title	Credit
SOC 314	Social Structure and Personality	3
SOC 325	Field Research Practicum	4
SOC 333	Social Stratification	3
SOC 334	Complex Organizations	3
SOC 338	Sociology of Gender and Sexuality	3
SOC 341	Political Sociology	3
SOC 342	Sociology of Higher Education	3
SOC 344	Sociology of Religion	3
SOC 346	Selected Topics in Social Institutions	3
SOC 347	Selected Topics in Social Institutions	3
SOC 348	Selected Topics in Social Institutions	3
SOC 354	Criminal Justice Administration (Prerequisite: SOC 255)	3
SOC 364	Social Change	3
SOC 365	Collective Behavior	3
SOC 366	Sociology of Modernization and Development	3
SOC 381	Population Problems	3
SOC 390	Field Work and Research	3
SOC 401	Seminar: Advanced Topics in Sociology	3
SOC 402	Seminar: Advanced Topics in Sociology	3
SOC 403	Seminar: Advanced Topics in Sociology	3
SOC 411	Sociology of Knowledge	3
SOC 412	Seminar: Contemporary Issues in Sociological Theory	3
SOC 490	Independent Reading in Sociology	3