**2016-2017**

**Pathways Four-Year Plan:** [**Sociology (BA)**](https://www.york.cuny.edu/produce-and-print/contents/bulletin/school-of-arts-and-sciences/behavioral-sciences/sociology-ba)

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

The goal of a Four-Year Plan is to ensure that students graduate with no more than 120 credits and in four 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 do not need to take all courses in the plan; they should consult with an academic advisor.

|  | Credit |  | Credit |
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| **FIRST YEAR - FALL** | **14** | **FIRST YEAR - SPRING** | **15** |
| English Composition (EC): ENG 125 | 3 | English Composition (EC): ENG 126 | 3 |
| Mathematical & Quantitative Reasoning (MQR) | 3 | Life & Physical Science (LPS) | 3 |
| Individual & Society (IS): SOC 101 | 3 | Creative Expression (CE) | 3 |
| World Culture & Global Issues (WCGI) | 3 | US Experience in its Diversity (USED) | 3 |
| Student Development 110 (recommended) | 2 | Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 |

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| **SECOND YEAR - FALL** | **15** | **SECOND YEAR - SPRING** | **15** |
| College Option: Foreign Language† | 3 | College Option: Foreign Language† | 3 |
| College Option: HE 111 | 3 | Additional Flexible Core Course | 3 |
| Writing Intensive (WI): SOC 201 WI | 3 | Scientific World (SW) | 3 |
| SOC 220 | 3 | SOC Elective (200-level)\* | 3 |
| Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 | Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 |

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| **THIRD YEAR - FALL** | **15** | **THIRD YEAR - SPRING** | **15** |
| Writing Intensive (WI): SOC 312 WI | 3 | College Option: Writing Requirement: WRIT 301 | 3 |
| SOC Elective (200-level)\* | 3 | SOC 321 | 3 |
| SOC Elective (300/400-level)\*\* | 3 | SOC Elective (300/400-level)\*\* | 3 |
| Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 | Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 |
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| **FOURTH YEAR - FALL** | **15** | **FOURTH YEAR - SPRING** | **16** |
| Writing Intensive (WI) | 3 | Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 |
| SOC Elective (300/400-level)\*\* | 3 | Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 |
| Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 | Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 |
| Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 | Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 |
| Minor Course or Free Elective | 3 | Minor Course or Free Elective | 4 |

* 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 credit for General Education requirements, you must still complete one (1) WI course in the upper division 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 Four-Year Plan.

†Foreign language courses are determined through placement by the Foreign Language Department, AC-3C08

**Notes for Sociology Major Requirements**

**Sociology Major Electives**

Five electives 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 288 | Understanding Youth in the Urban Context | 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 |