

College of Liberal and Fine Arts

B.S. Sociology-General Sociology

Degree Offered at Stephenville

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YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER		
	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
F I R S T	ENGL 1301 TSU Core: CAO	ENGL 1301	3	ENGL 1302 TSU Core: Communications	ENGL 1302	3
	TSU Core: Mathematics	See list of approved courses	3	TSU Core: Communications	See list of approved courses	3
	HIST 1301 TSU Core: American History	HIST 1301	3	HIST 1302 TSU Core: American History	HIST 1302	3
	TSU Core: Creative Arts	See list of approved courses	3	TSU Core: Language, Philosophy, & Culture	See list of approved courses	3
	SOCI 1301 TSU Core: Social & Behavioral Science	SOCI 1301	3	SOCI 2303	SOCI 2303	3
	FYS 1100 TSU Core: CAO	PSYC or EDUC 1100, PSYC or EDUC 1200, PSYC or EDUC 1300	1			
	Total Hours			16	Total Hours	
YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER		
	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
S E C O N D	GOVT 2305 TSU Core: Government/Political Science	GOVT 2305	3	GOVT 2306 TSU Core: Government/Political Science	GOVT 2306	3
	TSU Core: Life & Physical Science	See list of approved courses	4	TSU Core: Life & Physical Science	See list of approved courses	4
	Elective [#]	None	3	Elective [#]	None	3
	SOCI 1306	SOCI 1306	3	Elective [#]	None	3
				Minor Elective ²	None	3
	Total Hours			13	Total Hours	
YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER		
	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
T H I R D	SOCI 3330	None	3	Elective [#]	None	3
	Advanced SOCI Elective [#]	None	3	Advanced SOCI Elective [#]	None	3
	Advanced SOCI Elective [#]	None	3	Advanced SOCI Elective [#]	None	3
	Minor Elective ²	None	3	Advanced SOCI Elective [#]	None	3
	Minor Elective ²	None	3	Minor Elective ²	None	3
	Total Hours			15	Total Hours	
YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER		
	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
F O U R T H	SOCI 4303* ¹ or SOCI 4399 ¹	None	3	SOCI 4303* ¹ or SOCI 4399 ¹	None	3
	SOCI 4302*	None	3	Advanced Elective [#]	None	3
	Elective [#]	None	3	Advanced Minor Elective ²	None	3
	Advanced SOCI Elective [#]	None	3	Advanced SOCI Elective [#]	None	3
	Advanced Minor Elective ²	None	3	Advanced SOCI Elective [#]	None	3
	Total Hours			15	Total Hours	

*Designates Writing Intensive Courses

[#]See University Catalog or Academic Advisor for Applicable Courses

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Degree Specific

- This 8 semester evaluation is contingent on the successful completion of each class. Please note this evaluation is designed with **prerequisites in mind.**
- ¹The Sociology degree requires students to complete both SOCI 4303 and SOCI 4399. Students will complete one of these two courses in the fall semester and the other course in the spring semester. These courses are not repeatable and offered on an every-third semester rotation.
- ²The Sociology degree requires students to complete a minor. Please consult an advisor for minor options.

Degree Information

- This 120 hour four-year degree plan provides a model for on-time completion of this TSU program using as many TCCNS courses as possible. The four-year plan also shows the first point when no TCCNS options are available for this program. See the current Undergraduate Catalog for course prerequisites. Course availability at TSU is subject to change, and the plan shown below may change based on updates to TSU's course offerings.
- Texas Common Course Numbering System (TCCNS) provides a shared, uniform set of course designations for students and their advisors to use in determining both course equivalency and degree applicability of transfer credit on a statewide basis.
- **Individual academic programs may require specific courses contained in parts of the University Core Curriculum as prerequisites for certain major requirements.** Students who wish to take courses that will fulfill both core and major requirements simultaneously should check with academic advisors for assistance in selecting core courses.
- Students meet the Writing Proficiency Requirement by completing two upper-level Writing Intensive courses in their major or courses designed for their degree program. Contact the Academic Advisor for additional information or questions.
- Residence is satisfied only by official enrollment in and completion of course work applied toward the degree requirements.
 - A minimum of 30 semester hours of work counted toward the degree must be completed with Tarleton. The work completed at Tarleton and counted toward the degree must include at least 30 advanced hours (3000 or 4000 level) and 12 of these advanced hours must be in the major subject.
- A minimum of 45 advanced credits (3000/4000 level course work) are required and needed to satisfy degree requirements.
- How does duplicating a course impact my GPA?
 - A student may take a course a second or subsequent time at the same institution. The highest grade will be included in the GPA calculation.
- Can I take a course at another school and transfer it back to TSU?
 - If you plan to take a course at another school and transfer it back to TSU, you need to meet with both an advisor and Transfer Services. An advisor can tell you the correct course number to take and assist with completion of a Concurrent Enrollment Form if needed.