

While this form is intended to provide you with accurate information, the final responsibility for knowing and completing degree requirements is your responsibility. Course offerings and enrollment restrictions should be confirmed with your [Degree Audit Report \(DARS\)](#) and the [Course Explorer](#). It is strongly recommended that you meet with your Academic Advisor at least once per semester.

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General Education Requirements
Symbol Key: (IP=In Progress) (Check=Complete) (Box=Not Completed)

Composition I
 Advanced Composition
 Language Other Than English (LOTE)
 Natural Sciences & Technology
 Natural Sciences & Technology
 Humanities & Arts
 Humanities & Arts
 Western Cultures
 Non-Western Cultures
 U.S. Minority Cultures
 Social & Behavioral Sciences
 Social & Behavioral Sciences *Can complete w/SOC 100*
 Quantitative Reasoning I *Can complete w/SOC 280*
 Quantitative Reasoning II *Can complete w/SOC 380*

Course Planning Tips

- Aim for 5 classes each semester (15 credits hours)
- Run a DARS report frequently

Approved CLS Courses

Course	Title	Hours
SOC 101	Sociology of Gender	3 hrs
SOC 225	Race and Ethnicity	3 hrs
SOC 310	Sociology of Deviance	3 hrs
SOC 373	Social Inequality	3 hrs
SOC 378	Sociology of Law	3 hrs
SOC 375	Criminal Justice System	3 hrs
SOC 477	Law and Society ACP	3 hrs
SOC 479	Law and Society	3 hrs

Pre-Approval Required by Advisor, must focus on CLS theme

Course	Title	Hours
SOC 390	Individual Study	1-3 hrs
SOC 396	Special Topics	1-3 hrs
SOC 400	Internship	1-3 hrs
SOC 496	Advanced Special Topics	1-3 hrs

- LAS Additional Requirements**
- Your GPA (including transfer work) in the major must be a 2.0 or above, and your overall GPA must be 2.0 or above.
 - Complete at least 21 Advanced Hours of coursework in LAS
 - Complete at least 120 credit hrs. total (at least 60 hrs. at UIUC)

Sociology Major + CLS Minor Requirements (41 hours)

Students must complete 41 (overall) hours of Sociology (rather than 32) to complete the minor and major, of which 18 hours must be CLS related courses.

Required Core Courses

Course	Title	Hours	Semester	Done	CLS
SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	4*			
SOC 200	Introduction to Sociological Theory	3			
SOC 275	Criminology	3			
SOC 280	Introduction to Social Statistics	4*			
SOC 380	Social Science Research Methods	4 ADV			
SOC ____	Capstone (SOC 400, 450 or 495)	3 ADV			
SOC ____	Society and Law (SOC 378, 477 or 479)	3 ADV*			
Total Core Class (Non-ADV)				CLS Minor Hours	

*SOC 100 - If using transfer credit, some schools grant only 3 credits.
*SOC 280 - can be fulfilled with these courses: STAT 100, PSYCH 235, ECON 202, MATH 161. Parkland College: MATH 108 and MATH 160. Note that these courses do not count to overall sociology hours, they only fulfill the requirement.
*Society and Law: If a course is used to meet this requirement, it **does not also count** for the Elective Requirement, but does count for advanced hours.

Additional Advanced Courses (300/400 Level) (18 overall)

Sociology majors pursuing CLS minors must complete 18 (rather than 12) hours of advanced courses. The required core classes above provide 10 hours towards the 18 overall. Students will need to select at least 8 hours of which **one must be a CLS course**, see options listed to the left.

Course	Title	Hours	Semester	Done	CLS
SOC 380	Capstone and Society and Law	10	Via Core Courses	---	
Total Advanced Hours				CLS Minor Hours	

Additional Elective Courses (look at course explorer for current offerings)

Select additional sociology courses to reach the 41 hours overall minimum for major + CLS minor. Overall your hours must include at least 18 hours of CLS courses.

Course	Title	Hours	Semester	Done	CLS
Total Elective Hours				CLS Minor Hours	
Total Major Hours				Total CLS Hours	

Supporting Coursework Requirement (12 hours)

Supporting coursework consists of a set of courses which are themed, logically grouped, and which reflect, or support a student's interests outside of the major. **You must meet with your Academic Advisor before your Junior year to submit a plan.** Majors and minors outside of Sociology can be used for this requirement. Selected courses must receive a letter grade, they cannot be credit/no credit.

- Area of study or theme:
- The following courses **cannot** be used for supporting coursework:
- Sociology department courses or cross-listed in Sociology
 - Applied art courses, such as courses on a musical instrument
 - Courses that satisfy the foreign language requirement

Course	Title	Hours	Semester	Completed (X)



Undergraduate Planning Form

Sociology Major and Criminology, Law and Society Minor

(Catalog Year 2022-2023)

Winter		Spring			Summer			Fall		
Course	Hours	Course	Hours	Notes	Course	Hours	Notes	Course	Hours	Notes
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