



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 *can complete w/SOC 392*
- Language Other Than English (LOTE)
- Natural Sciences & Technology
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- Humanities & Arts
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- 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

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)
- Complete the 4th level or the 3rd level of two languages.

Sociology Major Requirements (32 hours)

Required Core Courses

Course	Title	Hours	Semester	Done
SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	4*		
SOC 200	Introduction to Sociological Theory	3		
SOC 280	Introduction to Social Statistics	4*		
Total Core Course Hours		11		

*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.

Advanced Courses (300/400 Level) (12 overall hours)

In addition to the two additional core classes below please select additional courses at the **300 or 400 level** to meet the major advanced hours requirement.

Course	Title	Hours	Semester	Done
SOC 380	Social Science Research Methods	4		
Capstone	SOC 400, 450 or 495 (choose 1)	3		
SOC		3		
SOC		3		
Total Advanced Hours (minimum 12 hours)		13		

Additional Courses (look at course explorer for current offerings)

Select additional sociology courses to reach the 32 hours overall Sociology minimum.

Course	Title	Hours	Semester	Done
		3		
		3		
		3		
Total Additional Hours		9		
Overall Total SOC Major Hours		33		

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: PSYC
 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)

Overall Advising Notes



Course	CRN	Hours	Day/Time	Notes
Total Hours				

Key: Sociology (SOC)						Overall Notes Year One
Semester 1			Semester 2			
Course	Hours	Notes	Course	Hours	Notes	
<i>Total Hours:</i>			<i>Total Hours:</i>			<i>Running Total:</i>
<i>Notes:</i>			<i>Notes:</i>			<i>ADV Total: 0</i>
Semester 3			Semester 4			Overall Notes Year Two
Course	Hours	Notes	Course	Hours	Notes	
<i>Total Hours:</i>			<i>Total Hours:</i>			<i>Running Total:</i>
<i>Notes:</i>			<i>Notes: Meet with Pre-Law Advising</i>			<i>ADV Total:</i>
Semester 5			Semester 8			Overall Notes Year Three
Course	Hours	Notes	Course	Hours	Notes	
<i>Total Hours:</i>			<i>Total Hours:</i>			<i>Running Total:</i>
<i>Notes: Think of applying for the "I am Ready Program" for LSAT prep, networking, etc. See more info: https://prelaw.illinois.edu/i-am-ready</i>			<i>Notes: Attend Law School Fair to get a feel for what to expect.</i>			<i>ADV Total:</i>
Semester 7			Semester 8 (Graduation!)			Overall Notes Year Four
Course	Hours	Notes	Course	Hours	Notes	
<i>Total Hours:</i>			<i>Total Hours:</i>			<i>Running Total:</i>
<i>Notes:</i>			<i>Notes:</i>			<i>ADV Total:</i>