



## **Sociology Minor Requirements**

Sociology minors must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.5 in sociology courses. They must also earn a grade of C or better in SOC 1010 or SOC 1020, and a C- or better in all courses to be counted toward the minor.

At least 50 percent of coursework for the minor must be completed at USU. None of the credits counted toward the minor may be taken pass-fail. Only classes with a Sociology (SOC) prefix will be accepted for the Sociology minor. SOC 1020 may be included as part of the 9 credits of electives in Sociology.

### **A. Required courses (3 credits)**

SOC 1010 (BSS) Introductory Sociology  
OR  
SOC 1020 (BSS) Social Problems

### **B. Departmental Electives (Minimum of 9 credits out of any of the following classes)**

#### **1. Crime & Deviance**

SOC 1020: (BSS) Social Problems  
SOC 3410: Juvenile Delinquency  
SOC 3420: Criminology  
SOC 3430: Social Deviance  
SOC 3520: Sociology of Mental Illness  
SOC 4800: Race & Crime  
SOC 4420: Criminal Law/Justice

#### **2. Social Inequality**

SOC 1020: Social Problems  
SOC 2370: Sociology of Gender  
SOC 2650: Globalization  
SOC 3320: Work and Inequality  
SOC 3330: Medical Sociology  
SOC 3010: Social Inequality  
PSY 3510: Social Psychology  
SOC 4800: Race and Crime

### **3. People, Place & Change**

SOC 2650: Globalization  
SOC 3200: Population and Society  
SOC 3600: Urban Places  
SOC 3610: Rural Sociology  
SOC 4350: Political Sociology  
SOC 4620: Sociology of the Environment and Natural Resources  
SOC 4640: Managing Community Conflict  
SOC 4720: Effective Community Engagement

### **4. Social Health and Well-Being**

SOC 2650: Globalization  
SOC 3200: Population and Society  
SOC 3330: Medical Sociology  
SOC 3430: Social Deviance  
PSY 3510: Social Psychology  
SOC 3520: Sociology of Mental Illness  
SOC 3750: Sociology of Aging  
SOC 4720: Effective Community Engagement

### **Teaching Minor**

SOC 1010 Introductory Sociology  
SOC 3010 Social Inequality  
SOC 3110\* Methods of Social Research  
SOC 4010 Contemporary Sociological Theory  
Six credits of additional course work with SOC prefix

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\* Prerequisite: Six credits of departmental courses.

Sociology classes are NOT usable if they are 10 years or older