

2026-2027 Requirements for Bachelor of Arts Degree in Sociology

General Education Core Requirements, 56-58 Credits

First Year Seminar (3 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
COLA 100LA				

English Composition (6 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
ENG 101				
ENG 102				

Second Year Seminar (3 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
ENG 231 or 232				

Mathematics (3 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
MATH 120 or higher				

Constitution (US and NV, 4-6 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
HIST 100 or PSC 101				

Sciences (7 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
4cr Science with lab				
3cr Science				

Analytical Thinking (3 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem

Fine Arts (6 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
From Gen Ed list				

Humanities (6 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
From 2 different areas				

Social Sciences (9 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
From 3 different areas				
Multicultural				

2 World Languages or 2 World Cultures (6 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
International				

Department Requirements

38 Credits

- Minimum C- grade in all SOC courses
- SOC courses cannot be used in General Education
- Minimum 26 credits SOC must be 300-400 level

Sociology Core (17 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
SOC 101 or 102				
SOC 403 (4 credits)				
SOC 404 (4 credits)				
SOC 421				
SOC 422				

Sociology Electives (18 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
SOC (300-400 level)				
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Sociology Capstone (3 Credits)

- SOC 403 and 421 must be completed prior

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
SOC 489				

Related Areas (24-26 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem

Electives (0-4 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem

Other General Degree Requirements

- Minimum 120 credits required to graduate
- 42 credits must be Upper Division (courses numbered 300 or higher)
- Minimum 30 Upper Division credits must be completed at UNLV
- 50% of Department requirements must be completed at UNLV
- Last 30 credits must be earned as a declared major in the College of Liberal Arts
- 2.0 Cumulative UNLV GPA required to graduate
- Maximum 4 credits of PEX can be used towards graduate requirements
- At least one Multicultural and one International course must be completed. Students can combine these courses with others in their major or the General Education.