

2025 Academic Planning Form: SOCIAL SCIENCE

6/1/2021

1st Courses recommended for Social Science - Any social science course for which there are not prerequisites
(Anthropology, Economics, History, Linguistics, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology)

	Fall Semester	# of Credits	Spring Semester	# of Credits	Total Year Credits
1st Year	DWC 101 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credit hrs)	4	DWC 102 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credits hrs)	4	
	SSC Course	3	SSC Course	3	
	Core	3	Core	3	
	Core	3	Core	3	
			Core	3	
		13		16	29
2nd Year	DWC 201 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credit hrs)	4	DWC 202 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credits hrs)	4	
	SSC Course	3	SSC Research Methods Requirement	3	
	Core	3	Core	3	
	Core	3	Core	3	
	Core	3	Core	3	
		16		16	32
3rd Year	SSC Theory Requirement	3	SSC Courses (2)	6	
	Core	3	Free Elective	3	
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	Core	3			
		15		15	30
4th Year	SSC Courses (2)	6	SSC 480 Capstone Seminar	3	
	Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3	
	Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3	
	Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3	
			Free Elective	3	
		15		15	30
Graduation Requirement includes a minimum of 120 credit hours			Total Program of Study Credits		121

****Currently, SSC Majors fulfill the Social Science Core requirement; they can meet Core Proficiency requirements through selection of the appropriate courses offered in the college curriculum. Consult the Program Advisor.**

Core requirements include a foundational component and satisfaction of all proficiencies.

Foundational Component:

- DWC - 4 semester sequence, 16-20 cr.
- Theology (200 & 300 level) - 6 cr.
- Philosophy (1 Ethics) - 6 cr.
- Natural Science - 3 cr.
- Social Science - 3 cr.
- Quantitative Reasoning - 3 cr.
- Fine Arts - 3 cr.

Proficiencies:

- Intensive Writing - I
- Intensive Writing - II
- Diversity
- Civic Engagement
- Oral Proficiency

Major Requirements (10 SSC Courses):

- 10 Social Sciences courses (at least 6 of which are at the 300-400 level) including: 317, 323, 486; SOC 403, 417
- 1 Research Methods (APG 249, APG 360, ECN 214, HIS 100, PSC 302, PSY 201, SOC 209)
- 1 Theory Course (APG 401; ECN 309, 484; PSC 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 348; PSY 306, 417)
- 1 Capstone Seminar (SSC 480)
- 7 electives that may only be fulfilled with courses from the student's 3 areas of emphases (2 from 1st emphasis+2 from 2nd emphasis+3from 3rd emphasis)