

**2026 Academic Planning Form: SOCIAL SCIENCE B.A.**

5/20/2022

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

	Fall Semester	# of Credits	Spring Semester	# of Credits	Total Year Credits
1 <sup>st</sup> 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	
2 <sup>nd</sup> 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	
3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	SSC Theory Requirement	3	SSC Courses (2)	6	
	Core	3	Free Elective	3	
	Core	3	Free Elective	3	
	Core	3	Free Elective	3	
	Core	3			
		15		15	
4 <sup>th</sup> 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	
*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:			Proficiencies:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>DWC - 4 semester sequence, 16-20 cr.</li><li>Theology (200 &amp; 300 level) - 6 cr.</li><li>Philosophy (1 Ethics) - 6 cr.</li><li>Natural Science - 3 cr.</li><li>Social Science - 3 cr.</li><li>Quantitative Reasoning - 3 cr.</li><li>Fine Arts - 3 cr.</li></ul>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Intensive Writing - I</li><li>Intensive Writing - II</li><li>Diversity</li><li>Civic Engagement</li><li>Oral Proficiency</li></ul>		
Major Requirements (10 SSC Courses):					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>10 Social Sciences courses (at least 6 of which are at the 300-400 level) including:</li><li>1 Research Methods (APG 249, APG 360, ECN 214, HIS 100, PSC 302, PSY 201, SOC 209)</li><li>1 Theory Course (APG 401; ECN 309, 484; PSC 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 348; PSY 306,</li></ul>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>317, 323, 486; SOC 403, 417)</li><li>1 Capstone Seminar (SSC 480)</li><li>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+3 from 3rd emphasis)</li></ul>		