

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS IN SOCIOLOGY FOR TRANSFER

Curriculum Guide for Academic Year 2015-2016

Resources available for transfer students:

Academic Counselors at LAC 562-938-4561 or at PCC 562-938-3920

Transfer Center at LAC 562-938-4670 or at PCC 562-938-3920

ASSIST web site at www.assist.org.

Program of study leading to:
Associate in Arts (AA-T) Degree

REQUIRED CORE:

SOCIO 1/1H Introduction to Sociology/Honors

| C-ID Descriptor | CSU GE Area | IGETC Area | Units | In Progress | Completed Grade |
|--------------------|----------------|---------------|----------|----------------|--------------------|
| SOCI 110 | D0 | 4J | 3 | | |
| Subtotal | | | 3 | | |

IN ADDITION, Complete 2 Courses from LIST A:

LIST A

SOCIO 2 Modern Social Problems
 † STAT 1/1H Elementary Statistics/Honors
 PSYCH 2 Research Methods for Psychology

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| SOCI 115 | D0 | 4J | 3 | | |
| MATH 110 | B4 | 2 | 3 | | |
| SOCI 120 | | | 4 | | |
| Subtotal | | | 6-7 | | |

IN ADDITION, Complete 2 Courses from LIST B:

LIST B

Any LIST A course not used above
 SOCIO 40 Sociology of the Family
 SOCIO 11 Race & Ethnic Relations in the U.S.
 PSYCH 11 Social Psychology

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| | | | 3-4 | | |
| SOCI 130 | D0 | 4J | 3 | | |
| SOCI 150 | D0 | 4J | 3 | | |
| PSYC 170 | D9 | 4I | 3 | | |
| Subtotal | | | 6-7 | | |

IN ADDITION, Complete 1 Course from LIST C:

LIST C

Any LIST A or B course not used above
 PSYCH 1 Introduction to Psychology
 ANTHR 2 Cultural Anthropology
 GEOG 2 Cultural Geography

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| | | | 3-4 | | |
| PSY 110 | D9 | 4I | 3 | | |
| | D1 | 4A | 3 | | |
| | D5 | 4E | 3 | | |
| Subtotal | | | 3-4 | | |
| TOTAL UNITS: | | | 18-19 | | |

IN ADDITION to the above major courses, students are also required to obtain general education certification and meet other degree requirements as specified below.

General Education Certification Requirements

Completion of EITHER the California State University General Education-Breadth pattern (CSU GE Breadth) OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern IS REQUIRED. For general education patterns, visit the following web site: <http://osca.lbcc.edu/genedplan.cfm>, or the LBCC catalog. After completion of the General Education Pattern **students must request GE certification.** Consult with a counselor for more information about the GE Certification process.

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Other Degree Requirements

1. **Minimum Unit Requirements:** Complete a minimum of 60 transferable units. Please note that additional units may be required to meet this minimum based upon courses selected to fulfill CSU-GE Breadth Pattern or the IGETC Pattern.

| If following CSU-GE Breadth Pattern | | If following IGETC Pattern | |
|--|-----------|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| | Units | | Units |
| Sociology Major | 18-19** | Sociology Major | 18-19** |
| CSU-GE Breadth | 39 | IGETC Pattern | 37 |
| Electives | 2-3 | Electives | 4-5 |
| Minimum Required | 60 | Minimum Required | 60 |

****Double-Counting of Units:** SB 1440 Regulations allow for double-counting of major requirements towards CSU-GE Breadth or IGETC patterns, and **9-15 units** of the Sociology for Transfer coursework can be applied to the CSU-GE Breadth or IGETC patterns.

2. **Minimum grade and GPA requirements:** Maintain an **overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.0** ("C" average) in all CSU-transferable coursework. For the major **complete each course with a grade of "C" or better**, or "P" if course is graded on a P/NP basis.
3. **Residence for the Degree:** Complete at least 12 units of the required 60 in residence at LBCC.
4. **Degree Application:** Complete and submit the degree application form to the Admissions and Records office during your final semester of course work. These forms are available in the Admissions and Records office, or online at <http://admissions.lbcc.edu/> . Refer to the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu>) and click the "Important Dates" link to view the actual deadline for each semester.

Program Mission and Outcomes

Sociology is the scientific study of societies, institutions and social dynamics.

Sociology explains processes and problems occurring in social stratification, social class, culture, social mobility, religion, secularization, law, and deviance

Sociology coursework at Long Beach City College introduces students to modern social problems, sociology of race and ethnicity, the social experience of Latinos, and issues of marriage and family life.

Outcomes:

- Analyze and describe the major concepts, theoretical perspectives, empirical findings, and historical trends in sociology.
- Apply basic research methods in sociology, including research design, data analysis, and interpretation. Analyze the advantages and limitations of different investigative methods.
- Describe and apply the sociological perspective to understanding group dynamics and individual experience within institutions.
- Demonstrate critical thinking and analytic skills in the application of social theory to solve problems that arise in institutional and societal contexts.

Legend

† This course has a prerequisite; prerequisite courses must be completed with at least a "C" or "P" grade. Refer to the General Catalog (<http://www.lbcc.edu/cat/index.html>), the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu/>), or the online Credit Course Outline (<http://wdb-asir.lbcc.edu/coursecurriculum/coursedetails/>) for specific prerequisite information.