



Social Science A.A.

Career Community: Social Sciences

Curriculum Code: 0121

~~Effective: Fall 2022 – Summer 2027~~

Discontinued Fall 2023; Last Award Summer 2026

Description

This degree is designed for students who intend to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a baccalaureate degree in this subject area. Students completing this curriculum will also satisfy the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) between two-year and four-year institutions in Michigan and qualify for an LCC Transfer Studies Certificate of Achievement (1482).

Milestone

In addition to the required General Education courses in Math and English, completion of ANTH 120 and SOCL 120 with a 2.0 or higher is a key component for success in completing this program. Knowledge obtained in these courses is the foundation for learning in other required courses. Students are encouraged to contact their faculty if they need additional assistance with learning the concepts presented in these courses.

Additional Information

A student must earn a minimum grade of 2.0 in all courses.

Contact Information

Contact the Sociology/Anthropology Program in the Arts & Sciences Building, Room 2203, telephone number 517-483-1061, or the Academic Advising Department, Gannon Building - StarZone, telephone number 517-483-1904.

General Education – Transfer Degrees (MTA), Recommended Courses

(For the full list of options, see [General Education](#))

- English Composition – *Select one*
ENGL 121, Composition I, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
ENGL 131, Honors Composition I, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- English Composition (second course) or Communications – *Select one*
ENGL 122, Composition II, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
ENGL 132, Honors Composition II, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- Humanities and Fine Arts – *Select two, each from a different discipline*
HIST 211, U.S. History to 1877, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
HIST 212, U.S. History: 1877 to Present, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
HUMS 160, Mythology, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
PHIL 151, Intro to Logic & Critical Think, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
PHIL 152, Introduction to Ethics, 4 credits / 4 billing hours

- Mathematics – *Select one*
MATH 120, College Algebra, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
STAT 170, Introduction to Statistics, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- Natural Sciences – *Select two, each from a different discipline, one must be a lab course*
ASTR 201, Introductory Astronomy, 4 credits / 5 billing hours
BIOL 120, Environmental Science, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
BIOL 125, Introductory Biology, 4 credits / 5 billing hours
CHEM 135, Chemistry in Society, 4 credits / 5 billing hours
GEOG 221, Physical Geography, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
GEOL 230, Environmental Geology, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
ISCI 131, Integrated Physical Science, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
PHYS 120, The Art of Physics, 4 credits / 5 billing hours
- Social Sciences
Program of Study Required Courses will meet this requirement

Program of Study Required Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
ANTH 120	Introduction to Anthropology	3 / 3
POLS 201	Intro to Political Science	3 / 3
PSYC 200	Introduction to Psychology	4 / 4
SOCL 120	Introduction to Sociology	4 / 4

Program of Study Required Courses, Limited Choices – *Select a minimum of 12 credits*

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
ANTH 270	Cultural Anthropology	3 / 3
HUMS 214	World Civilizations from 1600	4 / 4
POLS 260	Comparative Political Systems	3 / 3
PSYC 203	Social Psychology	3 / 3
RELG 150	Intro to World Religions	4 / 4
SOCL 255	Contemporary Social Problems	3 / 3
SOCL 260	Race and Ethnicity	3 / 3

Elective Courses, Recommended Choices – *Select courses as needed to complete a minimum of 60 total credits for this degree. (For the full list of options, see the [AA and AS Degree Electives](#))*

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
ANTH 272	Food and Sustainability	3 / 3
ANTH 275	Physical Anthro & Archaeology	4 / 4
ANTH 280	Forensic Anthropology	3 / 3
COMM 280	Intercultural Communication	3 / 3
GEOG 200	World Regional Geography	4 / 4
HONR 151	Honors Colloquy I	1 / 1

Course Code	Course Title	Credit / Billing Hours
HONR 155	Community Service Practicum I	1 / 1
HONR 156	Community Service Practicum II	1 / 1
HUMS 140	Art of Being Human	4 / 4
HUMS 213	World Civilizations to 1600	4 / 4
POLS 270	International Relations	3 / 3
PSYC 205	Human Growth and Development	3 / 3
PSYC 221	Child Psychology	3 / 3
PSYC 222	Adolescent Psychology	3 / 3
PSYC 250	Abnormal Psychology	3 / 3
RELG 212	Judaism, Christianity & Islam	4 / 4
SOCL 254	Marriage and Family	3 / 3

Minimum Total Credit Hours

60 credits / 61 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

Semester I
MTA English Composition
MTA Mathematics
ANTH 120 – Milestone course
Limited Choice

Semester II
MTA English Comp (2nd course) or Communications
MTA Natural Sciences
SOCL 120 – Milestone course
Limited Choice

Semester III
MTA Humanities and Fine Arts
POLS 201
Limited Choice
Limited Choice

Semester IV
MTA Humanities and Fine Arts
MTA Natural Sciences
PSYC 200
Electives as needed for total credits

LCC makes every effort to limit revisions to the pathways during their effective timeframe. However, the College reserves the right to update certificate and degree title changes, and make course changes as needed, without prior notice.