



2008 – 09 PETITION/PROGRAM SHEET

Degree: Bachelor of Arts

Major: Sociology

Concentration: Anthropology

www.mesastate.edu/schools/shss/sbs/soc/soc.htm

About This Major . . .

Sociology is the study of social life, social change, social organization, and the social causes and consequences of human behavior. Sociologists investigate the structure of groups, organizations, and societies, as well as how people interact within these contexts. Since all human behavior is social, the subject matter of sociology ranges widely from intimate families to hostile mobs; from organized crime to religious cults; and from the divisions of race, class and gender to the common beliefs in a culture. Sociology provides many distinctive perspectives on the social world, as well as a range of research methodologies that can be applied to virtually any aspect of social life, from corporate downsizing to problems of peace and war to the expression of emotion and beyond. Because sociology addresses the most challenging issues of our time, it is an expanding field whose potential is increasingly tapped by those who craft policies and create social programs. (www.asanet.org/public/what.html)

Sociology majors gain important skills in critical thinking, research methods and responsible citizenship. The Anthropology concentration emphasizes the fact that the student can also play a constructive role as a world citizen. Anthropology students can apply their knowledge to any graduate school or career path entailing the understanding and management of cultural diversity within the U.S. or overseas.

POLICIES:

1. It is your responsibility to determine whether you have met the requirements for your degree. Please see the MSC Catalog for a complete list of graduation requirements.
2. You must turn in your "Intent to Graduate" form to the Registrar's Office **by September 15 if you plan to graduate the following May, and by February 15 if you plan to graduate the following December.**
3. This program sheet must be submitted with your graduation planning sheet to your advisor during the **semester prior to the semester of graduation, no later than October 1 for spring graduates, no later than March 1 for fall graduates.**
4. Your advisor will sign and forward the Program Sheet and Graduation Planning Sheet to the Department Head for signature.
5. Finally, the Department Head or the department administrative assistant will take the signed forms to the Registrar's Office. (Students cannot handle the forms once the advisor signs.)
6. If your petition for graduation is denied, it will be your responsibility to reapply for graduation in a subsequent semester. Your "Intent to Graduate" does not automatically move to a later graduation date.
7. NOTE: The semester before graduation, you will be required to take a Major Field Achievement Test (exit exam).

NAME: _____ **STUDENT ID #** _____

LOCAL ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER: _____

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I, (Signature) _____, hereby certify that I have completed (or will complete) all the courses listed on the Program Sheet. I further certify that the grade listed for those courses is the final course grade received except for the courses in which I am currently enrolled and the courses which I complete next semester. I have indicated the semester in which I will complete these courses.

Signature of Advisor

Date

Signature of Department Head

Date

Signature of Registrar

Date

Students should work closely with a faculty advisor when selecting and scheduling courses prior to registration.

Degree Requirements:

- 120 semester hours total (A minimum of 28 taken at MSC)
- 40 upper division credits (A minimum of 15 taken within the major at MSC)
- 2.00 cumulative GPA or higher in all MSC coursework
- 2.00 cumulative GPA or higher in coursework toward the major content area
- Pre-collegiate courses (usually numbered below 100) cannot be used for graduation.
- When filling out the program sheet a course can be used only once.
- Program sheets are for advising purposes only. Because a program may have requirements specific to the degree, check with your advisor for additional guidelines, including prerequisites, grade point averages, grades, exit examinations, and other expectations. It is the student's responsibility to be aware of, and follow, all guidelines for the degree being pursued. Any exceptions or substitutions must be approved by the faculty advisor and/or Department Head.
- See the "Undergraduate Graduation Requirements" in the Mesa State College catalog for additional graduation information.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (31 semester hours)

See the current Mesa State College catalog for a list of courses that fulfill the requirements below. If a course is on the general education list of options and a requirement for your major, you must use it to fulfill the major requirement and make a different selection within the general education requirement.

Course No	Title	Sem.hrs	Grade	Term
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English (6 semester hours, must receive a grade of "C" or better and must be completed by the time the student has 60 semester hours.)

ENGL 111	English Composition	3	_____	_____
ENGL 112	English Composition	3	_____	_____

(ENGL 129, Honors English, may be substituted for ENGL 111 & ENGL 112.)

Math: MATH 110 or higher (3 semester hours, must receive a grade of "C" or better, must be completed by the time the student has 60 semester hours.)

MATH 1	_____	_____	_____	_____
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Humanities (3 semester hours)

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Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 semester hours)

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Natural Sciences (7 semester hours, one course must include a lab)

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History (3 semester hours)

HIST	_____	_____	_____	_____
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Fine Arts (3 semester hours)

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OTHER LOWER DIVISION REQUIREMENTS (6 semester hours)

Kinesiology (3 semester hours)

KINE 100	Health and Wellness	1	_____	_____
KINA 1	_____	1	_____	_____
KINA 1	_____	1	_____	_____

Applied Studies (3 semester hours)

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DEGREE DISTINCTION REQUIREMENTS (6 semester hours)

Two **consecutive** classes in the **same** foreign language. Must receive a grade of "C" or better. FLAS 114 & 115 will **NOT** fulfill this requirement.

FLA	_____	_____	_____	_____
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FLA	_____	_____	_____	_____
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SOCIOLOGY – ANTHROPOLOGY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

(54 semester hours) Must pass all courses with a grade of "C" or higher.

To continue in the program and eventually graduate as sociology anthropology majors a student must earn, within no more than three attempts, at least a grade of "C" in the major requirements.

Sociology Core (21 semester hours)

ANTH 201	Cultural Anthropology	3	_____	_____
SOCO 260	General Sociology	3	_____	_____
SOCO 264	Social Problems	3	_____	_____
SOCO 400	Classical Social Theory	3	_____	_____
SOCO 410	Contemporary Social Theory	3	_____	_____
STAT 200	Probability and Statistics	3	_____	_____
SOCI 310	Methods of Social Research	3	_____	_____

Concentration in Anthropology (24 Semester Hours)

ANTH 222	World Prehistory	3	_____	_____
ANTH 310	Ethnographic Methods	3	_____	_____

ANTH 405	Globalization and Culture Change	3	_____	_____
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OR

ANTH 410	World Cultures	3	_____	_____
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Five additional Anthropology courses selected from: ANTH 301, ANTH 320, ANTH 330, ANTH 340, ANTH 345, ANTH 350, ANTH 360, ANTH 370, ANTH 380, ANTH 390, ANTH 396/496 and ANTH 405 or ANTH 410 (If not taken as a requirement above).

_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____
_____	_____	3	_____	_____

Restricted Electives (9 Upper Division Semester Hours) Selected from Economics, History, Political Science or Sociology:

_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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Electives All college level courses appearing on your final transcript, **not listed above** that will bring your total semester hours to 120 hours. (23 semester hours; 1 hour of upper division needed.)

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SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCING FOR A MAJOR IN SOCIOLOGY – ANTHROPOLOGY

This is a recommended sequence of course work. Certain courses may have prerequisites or are only offered during the Fall or Spring semesters. It is the student's responsibility to meet with the assigned advisor and check the 2 year course matrix on the Mesa State website for course availability.

FRESHMAN YEAR

Fall Semester			Hours	Spring Semester			Hours
ENGL 111	English Composition		3	ENGL 112	English Composition		3
General Education History			3	General Education Humanities			3
General Education Applied Studies			3	General Education Mathematics			3
General Education Natural Science			3	ANTH 201	Cultural Anthropology		3
Elective			3	Elective			3
KINE 100	Health and Wellness		<u>1</u>	KINA	Activities (2 courses)		<u>2</u>
			16				17

SOPHOMORE YEAR

Fall Semester			Hours	Spring Semester			Hours
General Education Fine Arts			3	General Education Natural Science with Lab			4
Degree Distinction (Foreign Language)			3	Degree Distinction (Foreign Language)			3
General Education – Social/Behavioral Science			3	General Education – Social/Behavioral Science			3
SOCO 260	General Sociology		3	SOCO 264	Social Problems		3
ANTH 222	World Prehistory		<u>3</u>	STAT 200	Probability and Statistics		<u>3</u>
			15				16

JUNIOR YEAR*

Fall Semester			Hours	Spring Semester			Hours
ANTH	Upper Div Anthropology Option		3	ANTH	Upper Div Anthropology Option		3
ANTH	Upper Div Anthropology Option		3	ANTH	Upper Div Anthropology Option		3
ANTH 405	Globalization and Culture Change OR			SOCO 410	Contemporary Social Theory		3
ANTH 410	World Cultures OR		3	SOCI 310	Methods of Social Research		3
Choose to take either class Fall of Senior year				Elective			<u>3</u>
SOCO 400	Classical Social Theory		3				15
Restricted Elective			3				
Elective			<u>2</u>				
			15-17				

SENIOR YEAR

Fall Semester			Hours	Spring Semester			Hours
ANTH 310	Ethnographic Methods		3	ANTH	Upper Div Anthropology Option		3
ANTH 405	Globalization and Culture Change OR			Restricted Elective			3
ANTH 410	World Cultures OR		3	Elective			3
Neither class if either was taken the previous year				Elective			<u>3</u>
Restricted Elective			3				12
Elective			3				
Elective			<u>3</u>				
			12-15				

*Some Upper division courses are offered on alterative years, so the student may need to make changes.