

SOCIOLOGY FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

The Associate in Arts in Sociology for Transfer (AA-T) is a study of society, the social construction of reality and social interaction. Emphasis is placed on how social structure creates inequality based on group membership such as ethnicity, class and gender. The development and transformation of societies are explored, focusing on social forces such as social conflict, collective behavior, social movements, and organizational and institutional influences.

The program is suited to the needs of students who will complete their education at Chaffey College with an Associate in Arts degree, as well as those students who will complete their Chaffey Associate in Arts degree and transfer to a four year institution to complete their bachelor's degree. Successful completion of the transfer degree in Sociology guarantees the student acceptance to a California State University (*but does not guarantee acceptance to a particular campus or major*) to pursue a baccalaureate degree, in preparation to pursue a career in the fields of sociology, social service, education, social science research, demographer/planner, political research, counseling, journalism and business.

CAREER AT A GLANCE:

HOW DO I KNOW IF THIS MAJOR IS FOR ME?

- You enjoy working with diverse groups of people
- You want to help and provide service to others
- You can combine pieces of information to form general conclusions
- You like researching social influences and the impact on groups
- You enjoy starting up and finishing projects
- You are comfortable in a leadership position
- You like having set procedures and routines
- You enjoy observing/studying the behaviors of others

Use Focus2Career on your MyChaffey portal to learn more about careers and majors that fit you best.

WHERE CAN I WORK?

Justice Centers	Jails/Prisons
Courthouses	Non-Profit Agencies
Family Services	Social Advocacy Services
Human Resources	Marketing
Youth Camps	City/County Offices
Schools & Colleges	Legislative Organizations
Grassroots Organizations	Federal/State Government

For more information visit: www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov/OccGuides

HOW DO I GET STARTED?

- Volunteer at community events
- Practice interpersonal, small group and public speaking communication skills
- Job shadow and network with professionals in positions you wish to obtain in the future
- Participate in campus clubs to gain teamwork and leadership skills
- Attend university tours and visit the Transfer Center to decide where you want to transfer

WHAT CAN I DO WITH THIS ASSOCIATE DEGREE?

<i>Position Title</i>	<i>CA Median Salary</i>
Childcare Worker	\$25,570
Community Outreach Specialist	\$31,200
Youth Counselor	\$42,120
Human Services Assistant	\$40,450
Eligibility Worker	\$49,560
Camp Counselor	\$27,290
Advocate	\$38,110
Social Work Assistant	\$40,450
Recreation Worker	\$27,290

WHAT CAN I DO WITH HIGHER EDUCATION AND ADDITIONAL TRAINING?

<i>Position Title</i>	<i>CA Median Salary</i>
College/University Professor	\$98,800
Market Research Analyst	\$70,030
School Counselor	\$62,790
Survey Researcher	\$62,850
Sociologist	\$94,230
Social Worker	\$51,470
Public Relations Specialist	\$65,880
Counselor	\$62,790
Grant Writer	\$59,950
Equal Opportunity Officer	\$80,830
Housing Manager	\$67,240
Community Development Director	\$85,410
Urban Design Consultant	\$85,410

For more information about careers, education and training requirements, salary data, and job outlooks visit www.onetonline.org

For additional information about career pathways and to find out if this major is a good fit for you visit the Career Center located in MACC 203. Career information was collected from www.onetonline.org and www.bls.gov.

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MAJOR AND COURSE REQUIREMENTS:

To obtain the Sociology AA-T degree, students must:

- Complete all the major requirements listed below with grades of C or better.
- Complete a minimum of 60 CSU-transferable units with a grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 or better.
- Complete either the California State University General Education Breadth pattern (CSU GE), or the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC).

LEGEND: G=Grade IP=In Progress N=Need **Bold: Prerequisites** Plain Text: No Prerequisites

<i>Major Requirements for the Associate in Arts for Transfer Degree: (A401A/B)</i>		Grade	IP	Need	Units
SOC 10	Introduction to Sociology				3

Student Name: _____

<i>List A: Plus any two courses from the following:</i>		Grade	IP	Need	Units
SCSCI 10	Statistics for Social Science				4
SOC 70	Social Problems				3
SOC 80	Introduction to Research Methods and Sociology				4

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<i>List B: Plus any two courses from the following:</i>		Grade	IP	Need	Units
<i>Any List A course not used above, and/or:</i>					
PSYCH 65	Social Psychology				3
SOC 14	Sociology of Gender				3
SOC 15	Ethnic and Race Relations: U.S. and Global Perspectives				3
SOC 16	Marriage, Family, and Relationships				3

Counselor: _____

COUNSELOR NOTES:

<i>List C: Plus any one course from the following:</i>		Grade	IP	Need	Units
<i>Any List A or B course not used above, and/or:</i>					
ANTHRO 3	Introduction to Social and Cultural Anthropology				3
SOC 18	Sociology of Aging				3

Units for the Major: 19-21

	IGETC	CSU
General Education	37	39
Total units that may be double counted	12	15
Elective (CSU transferable) units	14-16	15-17
	60	60

\$46 per unit for CA Residents