

# 2025/2026

# Sociology Course

# Enrollment

- Step 1: Review the Basics
- Step 2: Complete a module checklist
- Step 3: Plan Ahead
- Step 4: Ask Questions

*Information provided applies to Sociology department modules. Other departments may vary.*

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# Student Responsibility

Students are responsible for their academic career. As a student, you must:

- Familiarize yourself with the University rules and regulations found on the [Academic Calendar](#)
- Meet all academic deadlines including course add/drop deadlines. All Undergraduate deadlines are listed on the Academic Calendar using the “[Sessional Dates](#)” tab.
- Ensure you have access to Student Center and your Western email. Important information is communicated regularly.
- You must complete necessary module requirements as listed on the academic calendar and [module checklist](#) provided by the Sociology department.
- Ensure module courses are completed on main campus and the residency requirement is met.
- Review pre-requisites and anti-requisites prior to course enrollment.
- Meet [graduation requirements](#) set by the University for your degree type. This includes meeting minimum grade requirements, breadth, essay, total credit minimum and maximums etc.
- Seek academic guidance if you have questions or concerns regarding module requirements or Sociology course selection.

# Enrollment Dates

Your enrollment appointment is the earliest date/time you can enroll in courses.

The enrollment appointment week is determined by year of study. Exact day/time within that week is assigned at random. Your exact enrolment date and time will be available on [Student Center](#) the week prior to your enrollment week.

Year of Study	Enrollment Week
Year 1	June 23 - 27
Year 2	July 21 - 25
Year 3	July 14 - 18
Year 4	July 7 - 11

# Step 1: Review the Basics

- **First year Requirements:**

- 5.0 first year credits – numbered 1000-1999 (courses 2000 and above are upper year)
- Must include four different subjects
- Can only include 2.0 credits in one subject
- Must include at least 1.0 credit from two categories (A&B, B&C or A&C)

Please note: *A maximum of 7.0 total credits are permitted at the 1000-1999 level within a 3 year or 4 year degree.*

Review the [Sociology 1st year document](#) to learn more about first year and module admission requirements.

- **Admission requirement:** The minimum grade and course(s) necessary to declare a module. All Sociology/Criminology modules require the completion of 1.0 credits in Sociology at the 1000 level. Grade requirements differ between Honours and Non-honours modules. Review the [module checklist](#) for more information.
- **Senior Level Requirement:** Courses at the 2000-4999 level.  
4 Year Degree (20.0) - requires a minimum of 13.0 senior level credits out of the 20.0 total credits  
3 Year Degree (15.0) - requires a minimum of 8.0 senior level credits out of the 15.0 total credits

# Common Terms

- **Module:** A specified group of senior level (2000-4999) courses required by the department for a degree. Modules include Honours Specialization, Specialization, Major and Minor. Multiple modules can be combined from a list of approved [module combinations](#).
- **Electives:** Courses in any subject(s) outside of the first year requirement and module requirements. Electives allow students the flexibility to explore other subject areas and interest. Students commonly create their course schedule to include both module courses and electives each year.
- **Degree Structure:**
  - 3 Year Degree consists of 15.0 total credits. The 15.0 credits include 5.0 first year credits (1000-1999) and 10.0 credits split between Module(s) + Electives. Limited module combinations are permitted.
  - 4 Year Degree consists of 20.0 total credits. The 20.0 credits include 5.0 first year credits (1000-1999) and 15.0 credits split between Module(s) + Electives. The 4 year degree is the most common option. Both Honours and non-honours degrees are available as a 4 year degree in a variety of module combinations.

**Pre-requisite:** *Enrollment in a particular year, module or course that must be successfully completed prior to registration in the course.*

Starting in Fall 2022, many prerequisites for Sociology courses have been removed or reduced. This allows for more course enrolment flexibility.

**Anti-requisite:** *Courses that overlap or share similar course content. Students cannot take two courses that are listed as anti-requisite.*

**Example:** Sociology 2259 and Sociology 2257A/B.

**Enrolment Priority/Restriction:** *A set of dates when specific groups of students can enrol in a course.*

## SOCIOLOG 2263A - THINKING SOCIOLOGICALLY

**Course Description:** An in-depth examination of many of the core ideas that sociologists use in their analyses, including the social, society, subjectivity, institutions, and others. Involves questions regarding how we approach these theoretically evaluating their impact on our current social order.

Antirequisites(s): Sociology 2240E, Sociology 2270A/B, Sociology 2271A/B

Anti-requisite

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Priority

Pre-requisite

# Western Degree Structure

There are three types of undergraduate degrees:

1. **Honours Bachelor Degree (4 Year):** 15.0 credits required after first year (20.0 credits total)
2. **Bachelor Degree (4 Year):** 15.0 credits required after first year (20.0 credits total)
3. **Bachelor Degree (3 Year):** 10.0 credits required after first year (15.0 credits total)

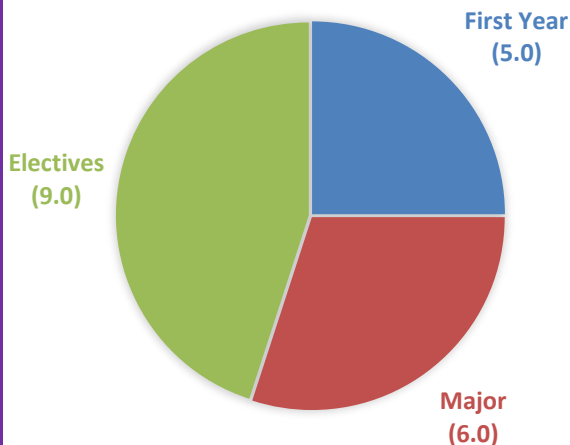
The Office of the Registrar offers more information regarding [module combinations](#)

DEGREE TYPES	AVAILABLE MODULES COMBINATIONS
Honours Bachelor Degree (4 year) (20.0 credits total)	Honours Specialization Honours Specialization + Major Honours Specialization + Minor Major + Major
Bachelor Degree (4 year) (20.0 credits total)	Specialization Specialization + Major Specialization + Minor Major + Major Major Major + Minor Major + Minor + Minor
Bachelor Degree (3 year) (15.0 credits total)	Major Major + Minor Minor + Minor

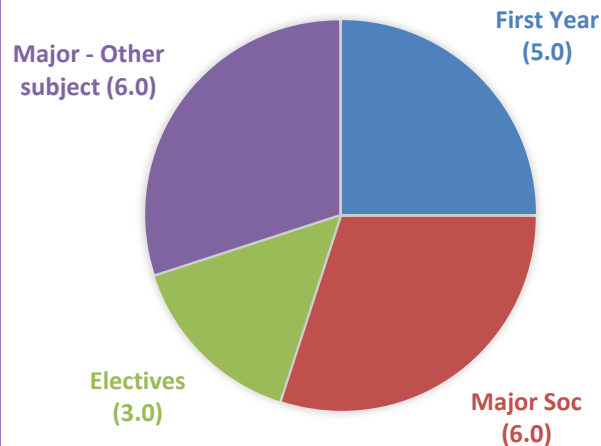
# Common Degrees

Each degree type includes first year requirements, module requirements and electives. The number of module courses and electives will vary based on module choice. Within the total 20.0 credits for the 4 year degree, 5.0 credits must be completed at the 1000 level to satisfy the first year requirement. The remaining 15.0 credits are split between module courses and electives. Combining multiple modules (ex: Double Major) or larger modules (ex: Specialization) will increase the number of module requirements and reduce the number of electives required. A 4 year Major and a 4 year Double major take the same amount of time to complete because they are both 20.0 total credits.

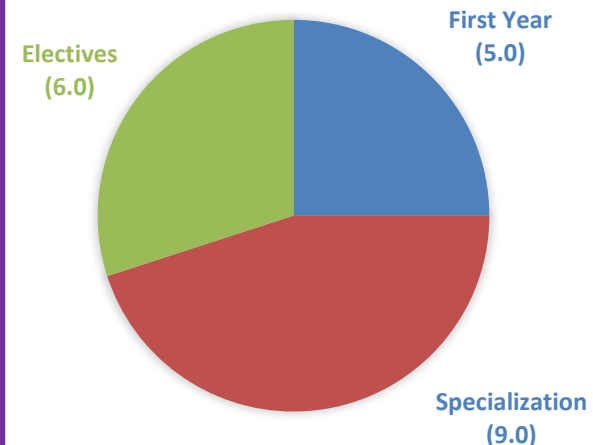
## SOCIOLOGY MAJOR



## DOUBLE MAJOR



## SOCIOLOGY SPECIALIZATION



# Understanding Course Codes

## Course Suffix (A, B, E, F, G):

The letter at the end of a course code indicates the type of course (essay, non-essay) and when the course is offered (Fall or Winter).

- **A** = 0.5 credit non-essay course offered in the fall semester (Sept-Dec) ex: Soc 2205A.
- **B** = 0.5 credit non-essay course offered in the winter semester (Jan-April) ex: Soc 2206B.
- **F** = 0.5 credit essay course offered in the fall semester (Sept-Dec) ex: Soc 3301F.
- **G** = 0.5 credit essay course offered in the winter semester (Jan-April) ex: Soc 2190G.

**The Sociology Department no longer offers 1.0 credit full year courses (Sept-April)**

**Ex: Soc 1020, Soc 1021E, Soc 2140, Soc 2259 etc.**

# Understanding Course Codes

When a module requirement indicates:



[Sociology 2205A/B](#) "Statistics for Sociology"

The "A/B" means that students can **complete the course in the Fall semester (2205A) OR Winter semester (2205B) but NOT both.**

The course itself (Sociology 2205A/B "Statistics for Sociology") covers the same course content in the fall and winter semesters. If a student completes both 2205A and 2205B it acts as though the course is repeated. The 0.5 credit received in the first course attempt would be excluded.

Students may choose to repeat a course if the first attempt was a failed grade (49% or lower) or the final grade was below the minimum for a particular module (ex: Honours). More information regarding maximum [course attempts and repeats](#) is available on the academic calendar.

## Sociology Course Level:

**1000-1999:** Typically completed by first year students but can be completed by students in any year. Large class sizes. Be mindful not to exceed the 7.0 maximum at this level permitted throughout your entire degree.

**2000-2999:** Completed throughout 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> year.

**3000-3999:** Completed throughout 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> year. 2<sup>nd</sup> year students may be eligible to enrol if space is available. Typically essay courses with small to medium class sizes.

**4000-4999:** Completed throughout 4<sup>th</sup> year. 3<sup>rd</sup> year students may be eligible to enrol if space is available. 400 level courses are not required for all modules. Typically essay courses with small class sizes.

*2000-4999 level courses are "Senior level" courses.*

# Essay Requirements

All students must complete a minimum of 2.0 essay credits (course code ending with E, F, G) during their degree.

The 2.0 essay credits include:

**1.0 Credits at any level (1000-4999) and**

**1.0 Credits at the Senior level (2000-4999)**

Essay Courses can be completed throughout your degree in any subject(s) of your choice. The course can fulfill more than one requirement:

Essay + First year + Category B Breadth requirement (ex: English 1020E)

Essay + Elective (ex: Philosophy 2074F)

Essay + Module requirement (ex: Sociology 3309G).

Essay requirements must be completed at Western. Transfer credits, exchange or Study Abroad courses do not satisfy the essay requirement.

It is common for students to complete more than the minimum 2.0 essay requirement. Typically, 3000-4999 level Sociology courses are essay courses.

# Breadth Requirements

All students must complete a minimum of 1.0 credits in each of the 3 Breadth categories (A, B, C). Search the [Academic Calendar](#) by course subject to determine which breadth category the course fulfills.

**1.0 Category A (Social Science)** ex: Sociology 1027A (0.5) + Sociology 1025B (0.5)

**1.0 Category B (Arts & Humanities)** ex: English 2033E (1.0)

**1.0 Category C (Science)** ex: EarthSci 1022A (0.5) + CompSci 1020A.

A list of [popular Science \(Category C\) courses](#) for Social Science students is available. These courses do not require a background in Science.

Students commonly complete all breadth requirements in first year. Students must complete at least 2 categories of breadth requirements in first year (Category A + Category B or C). Remaining breadth requirements can be completed throughout your degree if they were not completed in first year.

One course can fulfill a breadth requirement + essay requirement + first year requirement all at once. Ex: GSWS 1020E.

Note: Sociology 2205A/B “Statistics for Sociology” is NOT a Category C course. Breadth categories are assigned based on course subject. Sociology is a Category A course.

# Course Load

**Undergraduate students typically complete a [course load](#) of 5.0 credits each academic year (Sept-April).** This ensures students graduate on schedule by completing 15.0 total credits for a 3 year degree and 20.0 total credits for a 4 year degree.

Students are permitted to enrol in a maximum of 2.5 credits each semester (Fall and Winter). A summer semester is available, although a limited number of courses are offered.

Students may choose to complete fewer than 5.0 credits each year based on personal preference. Most commonly, students complete fewer than 5.0 credits due to failed course(s), withdrawing from a course after the add deadline, or repeating a course.

Students who complete fewer than 5.0 credits each year must:

- A) Catch up on missing credits in the summer term(s) to graduate on schedule,
- B) If eligible, request a [course overload](#) via your Home Faculty academic counselling office
- C) Postpone graduation until all required credits are completed.

Simply attending Western for 4 years does not guarantee a 4 year degree. Students must complete 20.0 total credits while ensuring the correct courses are completed for their module and general graduation requirements.

## Tips for Success

Students are encouraged to prioritize enrolling in module courses during fall/winter semesters along with some electives/other module courses. Summer courses selection is limited. Please do not rely on summer courses to complete your module requirements. The module courses you need may not be offered in the summer.

# Step 2: Complete a Module Checklist

In preparation for course enrollment, all 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> year students must complete a module checklist. The checklist is a visual aid to help you keep track of the completed and remaining module requirements and general graduation requirements.

[Module checklists](#) are available on the Sociology website for each module



[Minor in Sociology \(Checklist\) - 4.0 Credits](#)



[Major in Sociology \(Checklist\) - 6.0 Credits](#)



[Specialization in Sociology \(Checklist\) - 9.0 Credits](#)



[Minor in Criminology \(Checklist\) - 4.0 Credits](#)



[Major in Criminology \(Checklist\) - 6.0 Credits \\*](#)



[Double Major Sociology + Criminology \(Checklist\) - 11.0 Credits \\*](#)



[Honours Double Major in Sociology + Criminology \(Checklist\) - 11.0 Credits \\*](#)



[Honours Specialization in Sociology \(Checklist\) - 9.0 Credits](#)

# Module Requirements

Sociology Major Module Requirements (6.0 Credits)

Module Avg

1.0 Credits:

☐ [Sociology 2205A/B](#), "Statistics for Sociology" OR [stats antirequisite](#) PLUS [Sociology substitution](#)

☐ [Sociology 2206A/B](#), "Research Methods in Sociology" OR [research methods antirequisite](#) PLUS [research methods substitution](#)

☐ 0.5 Credits from: [Sociology 2263A/B](#), "Thinking Sociologically" (or the former: [Sociology 2240E](#), [Sociology 2270A/B](#), [Sociology 2271A/B](#))

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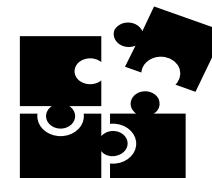
☐ 2.5 *additional Credits* in Sociology numbered 2000-3999.

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☐ 2.0 *additional Credits* in Sociology numbered 3000-4999.

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The module is similar to a puzzle. Each 0.5 credit course is a puzzle piece used to complete the entire puzzle. One puzzle piece (course) can only fill one spot (requirement) in the puzzle (module).



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☐ 2.5 additional Credits in Sociology numbered 2000-3999.

Soc 2205A	✗	Soc 3309G	✗	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>
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☐ 2.0 additional Credits in Sociology numbered 3000-4999.

Soc 3309G	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>
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Double counting is not permitted within the module. 6.0 credits of *different* courses must be completed for the major.

Example 1: **Sociology 2205A** is used to fulfill the core module requirement. It cannot be used again to fulfill the 2000-3999 level requirement.

Example 2: **Sociology 3309G** can be used to fulfill 0.5 credits of the 2.0 credits at the 3000-4999 level. It cannot be used again to fulfill the 2000-3999 level requirement.

# General Graduation Requirements

Page 2 of the module checklists include information regarding [General Graduation Requirements](#). Some requirements vary based on degree type (3 year, 4 year and Honours). Please review the appropriate module checklist for more information.

<a href="#">First Year</a>	<input type="checkbox"/> 5.0 courses numbered 1000-1999 in at least 4 different subjects.		
	1.0 courses 1000-1999 Category B (Arts & Humanities) or Category C (Science).		
	<input type="checkbox"/> 60% in principal courses (1000 level Sociology) for admission into the Major.		
	<input type="checkbox"/> (Honours) 70% in 3.0 principal courses including 1.0 1000 level Sociology. No principal course less than 60%.		
Major	<input type="checkbox"/> 6.0 courses specified by the Department of Sociology (listed above on page 1).		
	60% cumulative average in the Major module.		
	(Honours) 70% cumulative average in the Major module as part of an Honours degree.		
Essay Requirement	Course code ending with E, F, G. Course can count toward module and/or breadth requirements.		
	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 credit 1000-4999 level	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>
	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 level 2000-4999 (Senior level)	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>
<a href="#">Breadth Requirement</a>	<a href="#">Breadth Requirements</a> can be at any level (1000-4999). 1.0 credits required in each of the 3 categories (A, B, C)		
	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 Category A (Social Science)	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>
	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 Category B (Arts & Humanities)	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>
	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 Category C (Science)	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>	<a href="#">Click here to enter course</a>
Courses	No more than 9.0 credits in one subject (Sociology) within 15.0 total credits (3 year) or No More than 14.0 credits in one subject (Sociology) within 20.0 total credits (4 year). <a href="#"># Soc credits</a>		
	No more than 7.0 1000-1999 level courses (Year 1). <a href="#"># 1st yr credits</a>		
	At least 8.0 2000-4999 Senior level courses within 15.0 total ( <a href="#">3 year</a> degree) or At least 13.0 2000-4999 Senior level credits within the 20.0 total ( <a href="#">4 year</a> degree).		
Averages	60% cumulative average in the Major module.		
	60% cumulative average in any additional module completed.		
	60% cumulative average on 15.0 courses (3 year) or 20.0 (4 year) successfully completed.		
	(Honours) 70% cumulative average in each Major Module. At least 60% in each module course.		
	(Honours) 65% cumulative average on 20.0 courses successfully completed.		

# Module Requirements

- *Most* module courses do NOT need to be completed in a particular year or in a particular order. Please pay close attention to pre-requisites and enrollment priorities.
- Students are encouraged to enrol in a mix of module courses and electives/other module courses each year.
- Students can complete the following Sociology courses based on year of study:
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> year: 1000 , 2000 and some 3000 level
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> year: 1000 , 2000 , 3000 and some 4000 level
  - 4<sup>th</sup> year: All levels (1000-4000)
- All 2000 level module requirements do NOT need to be completed in 2<sup>nd</sup> year. It is common for 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> year students to complete some 2000 level courses.
- When filling out the checklist, pay close attention to the rules regarding double counting courses, course substitutions and antirequisites.

# Core Module Courses

Most Sociology modules include core courses:

- Sociology 2205A/B “Statistics for Sociology”
- Sociology 2206A/B “Research Methods in Sociology”
- Sociology 2263A/B “Thinking Sociologically” (Theory).

\* The Honours Specialization required additional core course (ex: Soc 3306A/B, 3307F/G, 3404F/G etc). The 2000 level core courses are prerequisites to 3000 level core courses. More information is available on the Honours Specialization checklist.

\* The Sociology Minor does not include core courses.

**Question:** I need to complete Soc 2205A/B and 2206A/B but the courses are full. What should I do?

**Answer:** 2<sup>nd</sup> year students received an enrollment appointment at the end of July. Some courses may be full before your enrollment appointment. You can simply enrol in other 2000 level Sociology courses and electives to fill the 5.0 credits for 2<sup>nd</sup> year. Soc 2205A/B and 2206A/B can be completed in 3<sup>rd</sup> year or even 4<sup>th</sup> year.

**Question:** I need to take Soc 2205A/B and 2206A/B. Do I have to complete them in the same year? Which course do I complete first?

**Answer:** Sociology modules allow flexibility in the order students complete module courses. Students can complete the courses in any order of their choice:

**Different semesters:** Soc 2205A + Soc 2206B

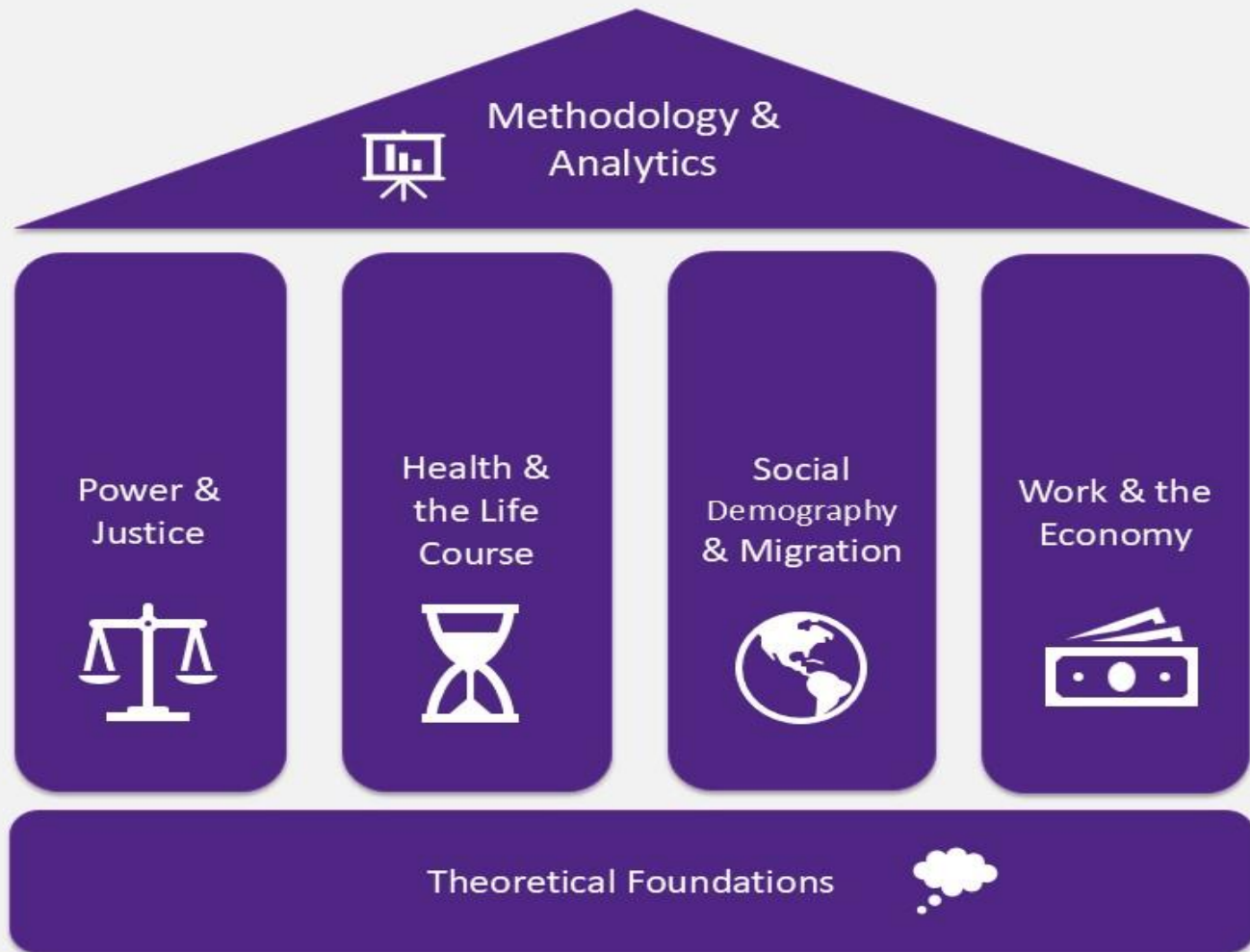
**Different Order:** Soc 2206A + 2205B.

**Same semester:** Soc 2205B + 2206B.

**Different years:** Soc 2205A in Fall 2025 and Soc 2206A in Fall 2026.

# Sociology

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Sociology courses are divided into Core courses and the 4 areas of Sociology.

# Module Courses

The Sociology department offers courses in 4 areas of Sociology along with Core courses. Sociology modules include a Course Range (ex: 2000-3999) rather than a specific list of courses to choose from.

☐ **2.5 additional Credits** in Sociology numbered 2000-3999.

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☐ **2.0 additional Credits** in Sociology numbered 3000-4999.

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This allows for the highest level of flexibility. Students can choose to fulfill the 2000-3999 and 3999-4999 level requirement with a variety of main campus Sociology course of their choice within that range.

**Question:** Do I need to complete courses in all 4 areas of Sociology?

**Answer:** No. Aside from core courses, students have the flexibility to complete Sociology courses in a variety of areas based on their interests. You can choose courses in many of the 4 areas of Sociology or just one area. A list of [Courses by Area](#) is available.

# Question: Can I complete 2000 level courses in 3<sup>rd</sup> year?

**Answer:** Yes! All 2000 level courses do not need to be completed in 2<sup>nd</sup> year. Students can complete 2000 level courses in 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> year.

**Year 3** (5.0 credits):  
2.0 Sociology credits  
at the 2000 level  
(core courses)  
+ 3.0 credits of  
Elective/other  
module.



## Sociology Major Module Requirements (6.0 Credits)

Module Avg

### 1.0 Credits:

- ✓ **Sociology 2205A/B**, "Statistics for Sociology" OR stats antirequisite PLUS Sociology substitution
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- ✓ 0.5 Credits from: **Sociology 2263A/B**, "Thinking Sociologically" (or the former: **Sociology 2240E**, **Sociology 2270A/B**, **Sociology 2271A/B**)

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- ✓ 2.5 *additional* Credits in Sociology numbered 2000-3999.

<b>2266B</b>	<b>Soc 2222A</b>	<b>Soc 2105A</b>
<b>Soc 2257B</b>	<b>Soc 2144B</b>	

- ✓ 2.0 *additional* Credits in Sociology numbered 3000-4999.

<b>Soc 3301F</b>	<b>Soc 4422F</b>
<b>Soc 3309G</b>	<b>Soc 3260B</b>

**Year 2:** (5.0 credits)  
2.0 Sociology  
credits at the 2000  
level  
+ 3.0 credits of  
electives/other  
module courses



**Year 4** (5.0 credits):  
2.0 Sociology credits at  
the 3000-4999 level  
and 3.0 elective/other  
module credits.



**Question:** I am completing a double Major in Sociology + Criminology. I noticed there are similarities between the two modules. Can I count courses twice?

**Answer:** A double major generally consists of 12.0 (or more) credits. Typically, 6.0 credits for Major 1 and 6.0 credits for Major 2. **When completing a Double major in Sociology + Criminology, the department permits a 1.0 credit overlap.**

The Sociology + Criminology Double major is 11.0 credits rather than 12.0 credits. Students complete 1.0 credits in Sociology 2205A/B + Soc 2206A/B along with 5.0 credits toward the Sociology Major and *different* 5.0 credits toward the Criminology Major.

No other double counting or overlap is permitted. One course fulfills ONE module requirement. One course can NOT be used to fulfill two requirements within the major or between both majors.

The Sociology major must be fulfilled with 5.0 credits that differ from the 5.0 credits used to fulfill the Criminology major.

### Sociology Major Module Requirements (5.0 credits):



0.5 Credits from: [Sociology 2263A/B](#), (or the former [Sociology 2240E](#), former [Sociology 2270A/B](#) or former [Sociology 2271A/B](#))

Soc 2263A

☐ 2.5 *additional Credits* in Sociology numbered 2000-3999.

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☐ 2.0 *additional Credits* in Sociology numbered 3000-4999.

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### Criminology Major Module Requirements (5.0 credits):

☐ **Substitute** 0.5 Credits from: [Sociology 2263A/B](#) (or the former [Sociology 2240E](#), former [Sociology 2270A/B](#) or former [Sociology 2271A/B](#)) requirement with 0.5 credit Sociology course at the 2000-4999 level.

Soc 2263A



Soc 2222B

**Question:** I am completing a double major in Sociology and Criminology. Both modules require Soc 2263A/B. What do I do?

**Answer:** No other double counting is permitted. Soc 2263A will count toward the Sociology Major. As outlined on the checklist, a substitution is required on the Criminology major. Students can count any other main campus 0.5 credit Sociology course at the 2000-4999 level as the substitute (ex: Soc 2222B). The substitute course cannot be a course already counted elsewhere in the Sociology or Criminology module. This ensures the Sociology + Criminology double major consists of 11.0 **different** 2000-4999 level module courses.

**Double Major Overlap** (1.0 credit)

1.0 Credits:

- ☒ [Sociology 2205A/B](#), OR [stats antirequisite](#) PLUS [Sociology substitution](#)  
☐ [Sociology 2206A/B](#), OR [research methods antirequisite](#) PLUS [research methods substitution](#)

**Sociology Major Module Requirements (5.0 credits):**

- ☐ 0.5 Credits from: [Sociology 2263A/B](#), (or the former [Sociology 2240E](#), former [Sociology 2270A/B](#) or former [Sociology 2271A/B](#))

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- ☐ 2.5 additional Credits in Sociology numbered 2000-3999.

Soc 2205A

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- ☐ 2.0 additional Credits in Sociology numbered 3000-4999.

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Soc 3358F

**Criminology Major Module Requirements (5.0 credits):**

- ☐ **Substitute** 0.5 Credits from: [Sociology 2263A/B](#) (or the former [Sociology 2240E](#), former [Sociology 2270A/B](#) or former [Sociology 2271A/B](#)) requirement with 0.5 credit Sociology course at the 2000-4999 level.

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1.0 Credits:

- ☐ [Sociology 2266A/B](#)  
☐ [Sociology 3260A/B](#)

- ☐ 1.0 additional Credits from: The former Sociology 2140, [Sociology 2261A/B](#), [Sociology 2228A/B](#), [Sociology 2257A/B](#), The former Sociology 2259, [Sociology 2267A/B](#), [Anthropology 2238A/B](#), [Law 2101](#), [Philosophy 2080](#), [Political Science 3332F/G](#), [Psychology 2032A/B](#):

Soc 2257B

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- ☐ 1.5 additional Credits in Sociology numbered 2100-2999 (or above):

Soc 2257B

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- ☐ 1.0 additional Credits in Sociology numbered 3000-4999:

Soc 3358F

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The Sociology + Criminology double major consists of 11.0 module credits. The module requirements must be completed using **different** 2000-4999 level courses. No other double counting is permitted.

Examples include:

- A) **Soc 2205A** fulfill a 0.5 credit core module requirement. It cannot be counted again toward the 2000-3999 requirement. The 2000-3999 level requirement must be completed by different Sociology courses in that level.
- B) **Soc 2257B** fulfills a 0.5 credit from the list of courses on the Criminology major. It cannot be counted again toward the 2100-2999 level requirement on the Criminology major or Sociology major.
- C) **Soc 3358F** fulfills a 0.5 credit 3000-4999 level requirement on the Criminology major. It cannot be counted again toward the 3000-4999 level requirement on the Sociology major. The 3000-4999 level requirement on the Sociology major must be completed with different sociology courses at that level.

## Question: I am completing a Double Major in Sociology + Psychology. Both modules require a Statistics course. What should I do?

**Answer:** This situation is common when completing a double major in a variety of subjects/departments (not only Soc + Psych). Many departments and modules require Statistic courses. Due to similarities in course content, some courses are anti-requisite. **It is the student's responsibility to review the anti-requisites before enrolling in courses. Do not enrol in anti-requisite courses.**



### SOCIOLOGY 2205A/B STATISTICS FOR SOCIOLOGY

An introduction to the techniques of statistical analysis used by sociologists, including descriptive statistics, the normal curve, hypothesis testing and various measures of association.

**Antirequisite(s):** Biology 2244A/B, Economics 2122A/B, Economics 2222A/B, Geography 2210A/B, Health Sciences 3801A/B, MOS 2242A/B, the former Psychology 2810, the former Psychology 2820E, Psychology 2811A/B, Psychology 2830A/B, Psychology 2850A/B, Psychology 2851A/B, Social Work 2207A/B, Statistical Sciences 2035, Statistical Sciences 2141A/B, Statistical Sciences 2143A/B, Statistical Sciences 2244A/B, Statistical Sciences 2858A/B.

The listed Psychology Statistics courses are antirequisite to Sociology 2205A/B. Your options include:

- A) Complete Soc 2205A/B for the Sociology Major. A substitution is required on the other major (Psych). Contact the other department for further information on approved substitutions.
- B) Complete a Psychology statistics course as outlined on the Psychology major requirements (ex: Psych 2811A). This course will NOT also fulfill the Sociology major statistics requirement. **Substitution instructions are included on the Sociology major checklist:**

**Course substitution:** Students who complete an anti-requisite course to [Sociology 2205A/B](#) must substitute the module requirement with a 0.5 credit Sociology course at the 2000-4999 level. The same rule applies to anti-requisite courses to [Sociology 2206A/B](#). The substitution ensures students complete 6.0 Sociology credits for the Major.

#### 1.0 Credits:

☐ [Sociology 2205A/B](#), "Statistics for Sociology" OR Psych 2811A (antirequisite) PLUS Sociology 2105B (substitute)

**Question: I am completing a Double Major in Sociology + Psychology. Both modules require a Research Methods course. What should I do?**

**Answer:** Many departments and modules require a Research Method courses. Due to similarities in course content, some courses are anti-requisite. The list of anti-requisites is much smaller for Research Methods than Statistics courses. **It is the student's responsibility to review the anti-requisites before enrolling in courses. Do not enrol in anti-requisite courses.**

#### SOCIOLOGY 2206A/B RESEARCH METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY



An introduction to the research process and ethical dilemmas faced by sociologists, as well as a survey of the essential procedures used to collect sociological data, e.g. sampling, questionnaire design, and observational field research techniques.

**Antirequisite(s):** Social Work 2206A/B, Health Sciences 2801A/B, Political Science 3324F/G, or Political Science 2325F/G.

**A Psychology Research methods course is not listed as anti-requisite to Sociology 2206A/B. You must complete Sociology 2206A/B for the Sociology major AND a Research methods course listed on the Psychology major. Contact the Psychology department regarding the Psychology major.**

A Research methods substitution is required for other module combinations where the courses are listed as anti-requisite (ex: Sociology + Health Science double major, Sociology + Political Science double major etc). Contact the appropriate department for more information.

## Criminology Major Module Requirements (6.0 Credits)

Module Avg

### 1.0 Credits:

- ☐ [Sociology 2205A/B](#), OR [stats antirequisite](#) PLUS [Sociology substitution](#)
- ☐ [Sociology 2206A/B](#), OR [research methods antirequisite](#) PLUS [research methods substitution](#)
- ☐ 0.5 Credits from: [Sociology 2263A/B](#), (or the former [Sociology 2240E](#), former [Sociology 2270A/B](#) or former [Sociology 2271A/B](#))

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### 1.0 Credits:

- ☐ [Sociology 2266A/B](#)
- ☐ [Sociology 3260A/B](#)
- ☐ 1.0 Credits from: The former Sociology 2140, [Sociology 2261A/B](#), [Sociology 2228A/B](#), [Sociology 2257A/B](#), the former Sociology 2259, [Sociology 2267A/B](#), [Anthropology 2238A/B](#), [Law 2101](#), [Philosophy 2080](#), [Political Science 3332H/G](#), [Psychology 2032A/B](#):

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- ☐ 1.5 *additional* Credits in Sociology numbered 2100-2999 (or above):

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- ☐ 1.0 *additional* Credits in Sociology numbered 3000-4999:

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## Question:

I am completing a double Major in Criminology + Psychology. Can I count Psych 2032B toward the Criminology Major AND the Psychology major?

## Answer:

No. Double counting is not permitted within the module or between two Social Science modules. If Psych 2032B is used to fulfill 0.5 credits toward the Psychology major, it can NOT also be counted toward the 0.5 credits from the list on the Criminology major. If Psych 2032B is not used toward the Psychology major, it can be used toward the Criminology major.

**One course fulfills one module requirement. This ensures 6.0 credits are completed for the Criminology major and 6.0 credits of *different* courses are used toward the other major.**

# Step 3: Plan Ahead

Your enrollment appointment is the earliest date/time you can enroll in courses.


The enrollment appointment week is determined by year of study. Exact day/time within that week is assigned at random. Your exact enrolment date and time will be available on [Student Center](#) the week prior to your enrollment week.

Year of Study	Enrollment Week
Year 1	June 23 - 27
Year 2	July 21 - 25
Year 3	July 14 - 18
Year 4	July 7 - 11

# Course Availability



Use [Draft My Schedule](#) to map out your class schedule **BEFORE** your enrollment appointment.

Subject:	<input type="text" value="Sociology"/>	Course Suffix:	<input type="text" value="Any (any suffix)"/>
Course Number:	<input type="text" value="eg. 1001"/>	Course Delivery Type:	<input type="text" value="All"/>
Component:	<input type="text" value="All"/>	Starting Time:	<input type="text" value="All"/>
Day of Class:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mon <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tue <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Thu <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fri	 Campus:	<input type="text" value="Main"/>
			<input type="button" value="Submit"/>

☐ Show only courses open for registration.  
\*Note: may not be an accurate reflection during

It is important to focus your search on “Main” campus Sociology courses.

**Main campus students must complete main campus Sociology courses to fulfill Sociology/Criminology module requirements.**

Sociology courses completed at an affiliate campus will count as electives only.



Filter your search by Subject and campus first. You can also filter by day of the week, course type (essay) and delivery method (in-person).

Completing the draft schedule does NOT mean you are enrolled in the courses. **You must enrol in courses on Student Center during your assigned enrollment appointment.**

Pay close attention to enrollment priorities, pre-requisites and anti-requisites. Draft my Schedule will allow you to add courses to your draft schedule that you may not be eligible for. Avoid enrollment errors during your enrollment appointment by ensuring you are eligible for the course before you add it to your draft schedule.

# Question: Can I take a Sociology course at King's?

**Answer:** Students completing a main campus Sociology or Criminology module must complete the module requirements on main campus. Sociology courses completed at King's will count as an elective only. The course can NOT be used to fulfill a main campus Sociology or Criminology module requirement.

Students with exchange or transfer credits must contact the Sociology department at [socugrad@uwo.ca](mailto:socugrad@uwo.ca) for more information.

Please pay close attention to the priority or constraint listed on each course. Common examples include:

## Requisites and Constraints

PRIORITY TO STUDENTS REGISTERED IN A SOCIOLOGY OR CRIMINOLOGY MODULE AT KING'S. JULY 30 PRIORITY CHANGE: ACCESS TO STUDENTS AT KING'S. WAIT LIST OPTION AVAILABLE.

**REQUISITES:** Prerequisite(s): 1.0 from Sociology courses at the 1000 level.

Many Sociology courses at King's are restricted to King's students. Main campus students can NOT enrol.

## Requisites and Constraints

MAIN CAMPUS STUDENTS REQUIRE HOME FACULTY PERMISSION. WAIT LIST OPTION AVAILABLE.

**REQUISITES:** Prerequisite(s): 1.0 from Sociology courses at the 1000 level.

Main campus students may be eligible to enrol in a limited number of affiliate courses. **If eligible to enrol, the King's Sociology course will count only as an elective.** The course can NOT count toward the main campus Sociology/Criminology module. Contact [socugrad@uwo.ca](mailto:socugrad@uwo.ca) for more information about home faculty permission.

## Requisites and Constraints

WAIT LIST OPTION AVAILABLE.

Some King's Sociology courses do not list a restriction or constraint. **All King's Sociology courses, regardless of restriction, will count only as an elective for main campus Sociology/Criminology students.** The enrollment system will not prevent you from enrolling. It is your responsibility to enrol in Sociology module courses on main campus. By enrolling in the King's course, you understand that the course will count as an elective.

# Enrollment Priority

An enrollment priority is a constraint that limits enrollment to a particular group (module/campus/year) for a specific duration.

Please pay close attention to priority change dates and enrollment system closures.

Students must meet **BOTH** the prerequisite **AND** the enrollment priority to enrol in the course.

## Priority Change Date #1

Enrollment is temporarily **closed** on Weds July 30<sup>th</sup> at 12:00am (Midnight).

Enrollment **reopens** July 31<sup>st</sup> from 9:00am-11:59pm August 5<sup>th</sup>.

## Priority Change Date #2

Enrollment is temporarily **closed** on Weds August 6<sup>th</sup> at 12:00am (Midnight).

Enrollment **reopens** August 7<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am until the course [Add deadline](#).

# Question: Why can't I enrol in the course I want?

**Answer:** The first step is to check the prerequisite and enrollment priority listed on the course. The enrollment system will not allow students to enrol unless BOTH the prerequisite and enrollment priority are met. Student's cannot enrol in a course if they have a timetable conflict or their schedule is full.

## SOCIOLOG 3358F - WOMEN AND CRIME

### Requisites and Constraints

PRIORITY TO YRS 3 & 4  
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY  
MODULES ON MAIN CAMPUS.  
JULY 30 PRIORITY CHANGE:  
ACCESS TO ALL OTHER  
STUDENTS. WAIT LIST OPTION  
AVAILABLE.

**REQUISITES:** Prerequisite(s):  
Registration in third year or  
above.

**Scenario 1:** A 2<sup>nd</sup> year Sociology student tries to enrol during their enrollment appointment on July 22<sup>nd</sup>. Space is available in the course. They cannot enrol because they do not meet the priority or prerequisite. This student can try again in 3<sup>rd</sup> year to enrol.

**Scenario 2:** A 3<sup>rd</sup> year Criminology major is trying to enrol. They meet the priority and prerequisite. They cannot enrol because they are already enrolled in the maximum 2.5 credit course load for the semester.

**Scenario 3:** A 4<sup>th</sup> year Anthropology major student is trying to enrol on July 14<sup>th</sup>. They meet the prerequisite as a 4<sup>th</sup> year student but not the priority. The enrollment system is closed July 30<sup>th</sup> when the priority changes. If space is available in the course, the student can enrol on July 31<sup>st</sup> when the enrollment system re-opens.

# Course Planning Tips

- Prioritize enrolling in courses you NEED first. Enrol in module courses first, then fit in available electives into your schedule. Students are not permitted to enrol in two courses that overlap/conflict in their class schedule.
- Course availability may be limited. It is common for 2<sup>nd</sup> year students to notice some core or popular courses are full before their enrollment appointment starts. It is best to have back up course options in mind. Enrol in what you can in 2<sup>nd</sup> year. You will have a better chance of enrolling in popular courses in 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> year when you have an earlier enrollment appointment.
- Avoid filling your schedule with courses in one subject. Aim to have mix of electives/other module courses along with Sociology module courses each year. You do not need to have a balance of electives and module courses each year. Some semesters or years may be more heavily focused in module courses than electives/other module or visa versa. Often course enrollment is dependent on course availability and what fits in your schedule.
- It is best to fill your schedule on your enrollment date. Be mindful when using the course Swap feature when you add your name to a waitlist for a course that is full.

**Question:** A course I want to take is full. What do I do?

**Answer:** Enrol in a different course as a backup option. Then Use the “Swap” function to add your name to the waitlist for the course you want. Be sure to designate the enrolled backup course as your “Swap”. If you get a spot in the waitlist course, you will be automatically removed from the backup course and enrolled in the waitlist course you want.

Click the [“Swap a Class”](#) tab to watch the step-by-step instruction video

### Swap a Class or Lab/Tutorial

If you need help swapping a class or lab/tutorial, watch the video below or follow the written steps.



**Question:** I am on the waitlist. Why haven't I been enrolled in the course?

**Answer:** Adding your name to a waitlist does not guarantee that you will get a spot in the course.

- A currently enrolled student must drop the course before a spot will become available. The course capacity will not be increased. Special permission is not granted to enrol in a course that is full.
- An available spot will be automatically offered to the waitlist student in position #1. If the student is already enrolled in a full course load (2.5 credits per semester), has a schedule conflict or does not meet the priority or prerequisite, the student will be skipped. Waitlist student #1 will be skipped and waitlist student #2 will be offered the spot in the course.
- Using the swap function correctly will avoid this issue of getting skipped. If student #1 is offered the spot, the enrollment system will automatically remove the student from the designated swap course to make space in the student's schedule to enrol them in the desired waitlist course.

Please review the Office of the Registrar's Frequently Asked Questions section using the "[Waitlist a Class](#)" tab for more information. Contact the [Registrar's Live Chat](#) if you have questions about the waitlist.

# Step 4: Ask Questions

The Sociology Undergraduate Coordinator is available to answer your questions:

**Group Drop-In Session (Zoom):** Ask questions about module requirements and receive assistance with course enrollment.

- **Thursday July 3<sup>rd</sup> from 2:00-3:00pm**
- **Monday July 7<sup>th</sup> from 12:00-1:00pm**
- **Monday July 14<sup>th</sup> from 11:00am-12:00pm**
- **Monday July 21<sup>st</sup> from 10:00-11:00am**

**One-on-One Drop-In appointments (Zoom):** 5-10 minute appointments on a first come, first serve basis using the waiting room. Intended for quick questions, not for module/graduation checks. Available throughout July:

- **Mondays (July 7, 14, 21, 28) from 2-3pm**
- **Wednesdays (July 9, 16, 23, 30) from 10-11am**
- **Fridays (July 11, 18, 25) from 11am-12pm**

# Module/Graduation Checks

Email [socugrad@uwo.ca](mailto:socugrad@uwo.ca) to ask specific questions about your progress in a module or course selection. Students must complete and attach the module checklist, draft schedule and list any questions you may have.

Due to the high volume of requests received during the course enrollment period, response times may be delayed.

# Important Resources

- [Module checklists](#) – Determine which module courses remain to be completed
- [Draft My Schedule](#) - Map out your class schedule. Search courses by subject, date/time and campus. View course prerequisite, antirequisite, and enrollment priority.
- [Step-by-step guide](#) – Add, drop or swap courses and add yourself to a waitlist.
- [“How Do I”](#) - Guide to navigating the new Student Center layout.
- [Zoom Information Sessions](#) – Attend a drop-in information session on Zoom with the Sociology Undergraduate Coordinator. Ask questions about Sociology/Criminology module requirements and course selection.
- [Registrar’s Office Live Chat](#) – Ask questions about enrolment and receive assistance if you are experiencing technical difficulties with course enrollment.