

Course Sequencing		
Year	Quarter	Subject
First Year	Fall	ENGL& 101 (English Composition 1) SOC& 101 (Intro to Sociology) PE (1 credit) HDEV 101 or 102 (Creating Academic Success OR College Connections) FYI 101 (First Year Introduction)
	Winter	MATH& 146 (Intro to Statistics) PSYC& 100 (General Psychology) SOC& 201 (Social Problems)
	Spring	ENGL& 102 (English Comp 2) OR ENGL& 235 (Technical Writing) BIOL& 100 (Survey of Biology w/ Lab) PE (1 credit) Elective (5 credits)
Second Year	Fall	SPAN& 121 (Spanish 1) CMST 101, &220, 110, &210 OR 260 ENVS& 101 (Intro to Environmental Science w/ Lab) PE (1 credit)
	Winter	ART& 100 (Art Appreciation) Elective (10 credits)
	Spring	PHIL 150 (Intro to Ethics) NUTR& 101 (Intro to Nutrition) Elective (5 credits)

The plan above is only a sample. If you want to see all of the courses we offer, please visit our online catalog [here!](#)

BEFORE YOU START

Ready to get started? To begin working towards the AA-DTA degree, you simply need to apply and be accepted to CBC. You can apply online at www.columbiabasin.edu.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Are you curious about culture and cultural diversity? Do you want to learn about human interaction and how social groups and organizations work in society? Do you ever wonder about the impact that social norms and influences have on your day-to-day life?

Studying Sociology at Columbia Basin College (CBC) will provide you with the theoretical knowledge and methodological tools you need to think, work and see the world like a sociologist. Sociology courses are frequently challenging and eye-opening, and you'll acquire sociological knowledge and skills including the following:

- Using sociological theories to understand and analyze historical and contemporary events that shape your own life experiences
- Understanding social issues and developing problem-solving and leadership skills
- Familiarize yourself with different cultures and sub-cultures and develop an appreciation of cultural diversity
- Gain insight about how human beings interact with one another in groups and social institutions
- Learn how to be successful in your personal and professional life and contribute to your community and society
- Learn methodological tools and skills for conducting social research
- Develop awareness of ethical issues in social research

OUT OF CLASS TO DO'S

- Contact your instructors and/or the CBC Career Services Center to find an internship, observation/shadowing experience, or a job in the field related to sociology.
- Research transfer schools of interest with your Completion Coach.
- Visit the Academic Success Center for quiet study space, small group study, supplemental instruction and tutoring assistance.

FAQs

Class Times/Delivery Format

Classes are offered in a variety of formats, including in-person, online and hybrid.

Length of Program

Full-time students can complete the AA-DTA in two years.

Which Quarter Can I Begin?

You can begin any quarter!

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

By examining the groups, cultures, organizations, social institutions and processes that develop when people interact, your research could help administrators, educators, lawmakers, and social workers to solve social problems and formulate public policy.

Sociologists specialize in a wide range of topics, including education, health, crime, poverty, families, gender, race and ethnic relations, and nonprofit and organizational effectiveness. Do you envision yourself in front of the classroom? Many people who study sociology go on to become high school and post-secondary educators.

Sociology is also excellent preparation for related careers in:

- Policy analysis
- Demography
- Survey research
- Statistics and data analytics
- Social services, including social work and aging support
- Criminal justice and law
- Communication and public relations
- Human resources

APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID OR OTHER FUNDING

Please complete:

The FAFSA application: The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) provides financial aid for U.S. citizens and eligible non-citizens, such as permanent residents. Visit the [FAFSA website](#) to create your FSA ID and to complete your application.

OR

The WASFA application: The Washington Application for State Financial Aid (WASFA) is for DACA or HB 1079 undocumented students. Visit the [Washington Student Achievement Council website](#) to complete your WASFA application.

Did you know??? You can apply for CBC scholarships two times every year! Click [here](#) for more information!

PLEASE NOTE: This document represents a sample plan for degree completion with this program of study. Actual course selection and sequence may vary and should be discussed individually with your Completion Coach. Completion Coaches can also help you plan other experiences to enrich your education such as internships, research, learning communities, and campus involvement and community-based learning.

Office Hours: Monday to Thursday 7 am to 4:30 pm; Friday 7 am to noon

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