

# ANTHROPOLOGY/SOCIOLOGY (BA)

## Tourism, Environment, and Sustainable Development

Anthropology and Sociology are two of the social sciences that offer a most comprehensive study of human behavior. The underlying concept in both disciplines is that of sociocultural relativism, which is the understanding that human diversity and human problems must be examined in context. From this perspective, understanding ourselves and others becomes an attainable goal through the fascinating and intensive study of cultural and human evolution, contemporary America society, and world cultures. Through such study, students gain an awareness of important issues such as:

- Global ecology, third world cultures, and development
- Issues in ethnic identity, gender and race in the United States and abroad
- American institutions and social issues such as social class and stratification.

A BA in Anthropology/Sociology assists students in developing a global perspective and as a result, prepares them not only for graduate studies, if that is an option, but also for careers in applied social sciences, consulting, business, government services (domestic or overseas), and community and third world development. Students are encouraged to explore fieldwork/internship opportunities as part of this preparation.

## Degree Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
<b>Major Requirements</b>		
AN 2100	Foundations of Anthropology (GACO)	4
SO 2225	Foundations of Sociology (DICO)	4
<b>Quantitative Reasoning in the Discipline Connection</b>		
Complete one course from the following:		3-4
GE 2050	GIS I: Introduction to Geographic Information Systems (QRCO,TECO)	
MA 2300	Statistics I (QRCO)	
SS 3705	Social Statistics (QRCO)	
<b>General Education</b> ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education</a> )		
EN 1400	Composition	4
IS 1111	The First Year Seminar: Critical Thinking and the Nature of Inquiry	3
MA	Mathematics Foundations	3-4
CTDI	Creative Thought Direction	3-4
PPDI	Past and Present Direction	3-4
SIDI	Scientific Inquiry Direction	3-4
SSDI	Self and Society Direction	3-4
Directions (select from CTDI, PPDI, SIDI, SSDI) <sup>1</sup>		4-8
INCO	Integration Connection	3-4
WECO	Wellness Connection	3-4
GACO	Foreign Language <sup>2</sup>	6
Electives		35-39
<b>Option Requirements</b>		

Complete one course from the following required options:	28
Anthropology	
Sociology	
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>120</b>

- <sup>1</sup> Directions should total 20 credits (unless the major has a waiver for a specific Direction).
- <sup>2</sup> The foreign language requirement for all BA degrees calls for 0-6 credits: one year of one language (6 credits); or one 3000/4000 level world language course (3 credits); or being a native speaker of a language other than English (zero credit). American Sign Language I and II fulfill this requirement; however, American Sign Language does not satisfy the Global Awareness Connection.

A minimum 2.20 grade point average in all AN and SO courses is required.

## Anthropology Option of BA Anthropology/Sociology

Course	Title	Credits
AN 3295	Great Discoveries in Archaeology	4
AN 4415	Methods of Social Research (TECO)	4
AN 4605	Seminar: Theory, Practice, and Careers (WRCO)	4
<b>Anthropology Option Component</b>		
Complete three 3000/4000 level Anthropology courses		12
<b>Sociology Component</b>		
Complete one 3000/4000 level Sociology course		4
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>28</b>

## Sociology Option of BA Anthropology/Sociology

Course	Title	Credits
SO 3130	Wealth and Poverty	4
SO 4415	Methods of Social Research (TECO)	4
SO 4605	Seminar: Theory, Practice, and Careers (WRCO)	4
<b>Sociology Option Component</b>		
Complete three 3000/4000 level Sociology courses		12
<b>Anthropology Component</b>		
Complete one 3000/4000 level Anthropology course		4
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>28</b>

## Recommended Course Sequence Required Options in this Major

Complete one option

### Anthropology Option of BA Anthropology/Sociology

Check all course descriptions for prerequisites before planning course schedule. Course sequence is suggested but not required.

Course	Title	Credits
<b>Year One</b>		
EN 1400	Composition	4
IS 1111	The First Year Seminar: Critical Thinking and the Nature of Inquiry	3

MA ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#MATH">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#MATH</a> )	Mathematics Foundations	3-4
AN 2100	Foundations of Anthropology (GACO)	4
CTDI ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#CTDI">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#CTDI</a> )	Creative Thought Direction	3-4
PPDI ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/undergraduate-programs/general-education/#PPDI">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/undergraduate-programs/general-education/#PPDI</a> )	Past and Present Direction	3-4
GACO ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#GACO">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#GACO</a> )	Foreign Language	6
Elective		1-4
Credits		27-33
<b>Year Two</b>		
SO 2225	Foundations of Sociology (DICO)	4
SIDI ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#SIDI">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#SIDI</a> )	Scientific Inquiry Direction	3-4
SSDI ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#SSDI">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#SSDI</a> )	Self and Society Direction	3-4
Directions (choose from CTDI, PPDI, SIDI, SSDI) ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/</a> ) <sup>1</sup>		4-8
Complete a Quantitative Reasoning in the Discipline Connection Course:		3-4
GE 2050	GIS I: Introduction to Geographic Information Systems (QRCO,TECO)	
MA 2300	Statistics I (QRCO)	
SS 3705	Social Statistics (QRCO)	
WECO ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#WECO">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#WECO</a> )	Wellness Connection	3-4
Elective		6
Credits		26-34
<b>Year Three</b>		
AN 3295	Great Discoveries in Archaeology <sup>2</sup>	4
Complete three 3000/4000 level Anthropology courses (Anthropology Component) <sup>2</sup>		12
Electives		14
Credits		30
<b>Year Four</b>		
AN 4415	Methods of Social Research (TECO) <sup>2</sup>	4
AN 4605	Seminar: Theory, Practice, and Careers (WRCO) <sup>2</sup>	4
Complete one 3000/4000 level Sociology course (Sociology Component) <sup>2</sup>		4

INCO ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#INCO">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#INCO</a> )	Integration Connection	3-4
Electives		14-15
Credits		29-31
Total Credits		120

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MA ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#MATH">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#MATH</a> )	Mathematics Foundations	3-4
SO 2225	Foundations of Sociology (DICO)	4
CTDI ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#CTDI">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#CTDI</a> )	Creative Thought Direction	3-4
PPDI ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#PPDI">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#PPDI</a> )	Past and Present Direction	3-4
GACO ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#GACO">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#GACO</a> )	Foreign Language	6
Elective		1-4
Credits		27-33
<b>Year Two</b>		
AN 2100	Foundations of Anthropology (GACO)	4
SIDI ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#SIDI">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#SIDI</a> )	Scientific Inquiry Direction	3-4
SSDI ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#SSDI">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#SSDI</a> )	Self and Society Direction	3-4
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MA 2300	Statistics I (QRCO)	

SS 3705	Social Statistics (QRCO)	
Elective		9-10
	Credits	26-34
<b>Year Three</b>		
SO 3130	Wealth and Poverty <sup>2</sup>	4
Complete three 3000/4000 level Sociology courses (Sociology Component) <sup>2</sup>		12
WECO ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#WECO">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#WECO</a> )	Wellness Connection	3-4
Electives		10-11
	Credits	29-31
<b>Year Four</b>		
SO 4415	Methods of Social Research (TECO) <sup>2</sup>	4
SO 4605	Seminar: Theory, Practice, and Careers (WRCO) <sup>2</sup>	4
Complete one 3000/4000 level Anthropology course (Anthropology Component) <sup>2</sup>		4
INCO ( <a href="https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#INCO">https://coursecatalog.plymouth.edu/general-education/#INCO</a> )	Integration Connection	3-4
Electives		14-15
	Credits	29-31
	Total Credits	120

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