

GEP Social Sciences

Requirement (6 credit hours)

- A total of six credit hours from the university approved GEP Social Sciences course list.
- The selected courses must be from two different disciplines.
- Special Note: If a student changes a General Education course except for HES courses from a letter grade to credit-only (S/U), then the course will not satisfy the GEP requirements. Consult your academic advisor if you have questions.

Double-counting

- A course taken to satisfy a Major requirement may also satisfy this requirement if the course is on the approved GEP Social Sciences course list.
- A course that satisfies the Social Sciences requirement may also satisfy the Global Knowledge or U.S. Diversity co-requisite if the course also exists on either university approved GEP co-requisite course list.

Rationale

The study of social sciences enables students to understand individual and collective human behavior by exploring meaning within a variety of social, cultural, political, and economic contexts, analyzing the structures within which human goals are established and human choices are made, and applying theoretical and empirical models to specific cases.

Category Objectives

Each course in the Social Sciences category will provide instruction and guidance that help students to:

1. Examine at least one of the following: human behavior, culture, mental processes, organizational processes, or institutional processes; and
2. Demonstrate how social scientific methods may be applied to the study of human behavior, culture, mental processes, organizational processes, or institutional processes; and
3. Use theories or concepts of the social sciences to analyze and explain theoretical and/or real-world problems, including the underlying origins of such problems.

Code	Title	Hours	Counts towards
AEE 323	Leadership Development in Agriculture and Life Sciences	3	
AEE 350	Personal Leadership Development in Agriculture and Life Sciences	3	
AFS 305	Racial and Ethnic Relations	3	USD
ANT 251	Physical Anthropology	3	
ANT 252	Cultural Anthropology	3	GK

ANT 253	Unearthing the Past: Introduction to World Archaeology	3	GK
ANT 254	Language and Culture	3	USD
ANT 261	Technology in Society and Culture	3	GK, IP
ANT 310	Native Peoples and Cultures of North America	3	USD
ANT 315	The Aztecs, Maya, and Their Predecessors: Archaeology of Mesoamerica	3	GK
ANT 325	Andean South America	3	GK
ANT 330	People and Cultures of Africa	3	GK
ANT 345	Anthropology of the Middle East	3	GK
ANT 370	Introduction to Forensic Anthropology	3	
ANT 461	Wealth, Poverty and International Aid	3	GK
ANT 471	Understanding Latino Migration	3	GK, IP
ANT 481	Zooarchaeology	3	
ANT 561	Wealth, Poverty and International Aid	3	GK
ANT 571	Understanding Latino Migration	3	GK, IP
ANT 581	Zooarchaeology	3	
ARE 201	Introduction to Agricultural & Resource Economics	3	
ARE 201A	Introduction to Agricultural & Resource Economics	3	
ARE 309	Environmental Law & Economic Policy	3	
ARE 311	Agricultural Markets	3	
ARE 433	U.S. Agricultural Policy	3	
COM 112	Interpersonal Communication	3	

COM 289	Science Communication and Public Engagement	3	HUM, IP	NR 460	Renewable Natural Resource Management and Policy	3	
COM 292	Language, Communication, and Culture	3	USD	NR 560	Renewable Natural Resource Management and Policy	3	
COM 392	International and Crosscultural Communication	3	GK, USD	NS 210	Leadership and Management	3	
EC 201	Principles of Microeconomics	3		PA 203	Introduction to Nonprofits	3	
EC 202	Principles of Macroeconomics	3		PA 312	Introduction to Public Administration	3	
EC 205	Fundamentals of Economics	3		PRT 152	Introduction to Parks, Recreation, Tourism, and Event Management	3	
EDP 304	Educational Psychology	3		PRT 200	Health, Wellness and the Pursuit of Happiness	3	
EDP 370	Applied Child Development	3		PS 201	American Politics and Government	3	
ENG 210	Introduction to Language and Linguistics	3		PS 202	State and Local Government	3	
GEO 200	Principles of Geography	3		PS 203	Introduction to Nonprofits	3	
GEO 220	Cultural Geography	3	GK	PS 231	Introduction to International Relations	3	GK
HON 295	Honors Special Topics-Social Science	3		PS 236	Issues in Global Politics	3	GK
HON 352	Self, Schooling, and the Social Order: A Critical Examination	3	USD	PS 241	Introduction to Comparative Politics	3	GK
HON 353	Code Breakers: Unlocking the Mysteries of One Human Language	3	GK	PS 301	The Presidency and Congress	3	
HON 354	The Winners and Losers of U.S. Agricultural Policy	3		PS 302	Campaigns and Elections in the US Political System	3	
HSS 392	International and Crosscultural Communication	3	GK, USD	PS 303	Race in U.S. Politics	3	USD
IS 471	Understanding Latino Migration	3	GK, IP	PS 305	The Justice System in the American Political Process	3	
LPS 315	Public Leadership	3		PS 306	Gender and Politics in the United States	3	USD
MS 302	Applied Leadership in Small Unit Operations	3		PS 309	Equality and Justice in United States Law	3	USD
NR 219	Natural Resource Markets	3		PS 310	Public Policy	3	

PS 312	Introduction to Public Administration	3		SOC 241	Sociology of Agriculture and Rural Society	3	
PS 314	Science, Technology and Public Policy	3		SOC 241A	Sociology of Agriculture and Rural Society	3	
PS 320	U.S. Environmental Law and Politics	3		SOC 261	Technology in Society and Culture	3	GK, IP
PS 331	U.S. Foreign Policy	3		SOC 300	Social Research Methods	4	
PS 335	International Law	3	GK	SOC 301	Human Behavior	3	
PS 336	Global Environmental Politics	3	GK	SOC 304	Gender and Society	3	USD
PS 341	European Politics	3	GK	SOC 305	Racial and Ethnic Relations	3	USD
PS 342	Politics of China and Japan	3	GK	SOC 306	Criminology	3	
PS 345	Governments and Politics in the Middle East	3	GK	SOC 307	Sociology of Immigration	3	USD
PS 353	Issues in Latin American and Caribbean Politics	3		SOC 309	Religion and Society	3	HUM
PSY 200	Introduction to Psychology	3		SOC 311	Community Relationships	3	
PSY 208	Psychobiology of Success	3	IP	SOC 320	Survey Design	3	
PSY 311	Social Psychology	3		SOC 342	International Development	3	GK
PSY 376	Developmental Psychology	3		SOC 350	Food and Society	3	
PSY 406	Psychology of Gender	3	USD	SOC 351	Population and Planning	3	GK
PSY 432	Human Sexuality and Intimate Relationships	3	IP	SSGE 295	Social Sciences Special Topics	3	
REL 309	Religion and Society	3	HUM	SSGK 295	Social Sciences and Global Knowledge Special Topics	3	GK
SOC 202	Principles of Sociology	3	USD	SSUS 295	Social Sciences and U.S. Diversity Special Topics	3	USD
SOC 203	Current Social Problems	3	USD	SW 300	Research Methods in Social Work	3	
SOC 203A	Current Social Problems	3	USD	SW 307	Social Welfare Policy: Analysis and Advocacy	3	USD
SOC 204	Sociology of Family	3	USD	SW 310	Human Behavior Theory for Social Work Practice	3	USD
SOC 205	Jobs and Work	3		WGS 204	Sociology of Family	3	USD
SOC 206	Social Deviance	3		WGS 304	Gender and Society	3	USD
SOC 207	Language and Society	3	IP, USD	WGS 306	Gender and Politics in the United States	3	USD
SOC 211	Community and Health	3	USD				
SOC 212	Race in America	3	USD				
SOC 220	Cultural Geography	3	GK				

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WGS 406	Psychology of Gender	3	USD
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