Cleveland State University College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

Bachelor of Arts in Sociology

3+3 SOC/LAW

First Year									
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed		
ENG 101 College Writing I	3		W/C	ENG 102 College Writing II	3		W/C		
MTH 116 Quantitative Literacy	3		M/QL	SOC 201 Race, Class, and Gender	3	Х	DIV-US		
ASC 101 Introduction to University Life	1		Intro	Natural Science Elective	3		NS		
Foreign Language Requirement (If Needed)	4		CLASS	Foreign Language Requirement (If Needed)	4		CLASS		
SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology	3	Χ	SS	Arts and Humanities Elective (ALAAME)	3		A&H		
SOC Elective	3	х							
Semester Total	17			Semester Total	16				

Second Year									
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed		
SOC 353 Methods of Social Research	3	Χ		SOC 354 Quantitative Sociological Research	3	Χ	M/QL		
SOC Elective 300/400 level (WAC)	3	Х	WAC	SOC Elective 300/400 level	3	Χ			
Social Diversity Elective (AA) 300/400 level	3		DIV-AA	General Elective 300/400 level (WAC)	3		WAC		
Arts and Humanities Elective	3		A&H	Natural Science Elective	3		NS		
Social Science Elective (not SOC; non-US)	3		SS	Natural Science Elective Lab	1		NS Lab		
See faculty advisor about Law School application procedures.				General Elective	3				
Semester Total	15			Semester Total	16				

Third Year									
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed		
SOC 352 Sociological Theory	3	Χ		SOC 401 Capstone Course in Sociology	3	Χ	CAP		
SOC Elective 300/400 level or Internship 400 level	3	Х		SOC Elective 300/400 level	3	Χ			
General Elective 300/400 level (WAC)	3		WAC	General Elective 300/400 level	3				
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General Elective 300/400 level	3			General Elective	3				
Semester Total	15			Semester Total	15				

Fourth Year										
Fall Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed	Spring Semester	Credits	Major	Gen Ed			
LAW - Contracts	4			LAW - Criminal Law	3					
LAW - Torts	4			LAW - Civil Procedure	4					
LAW - Legislation/Regulation	4			LAW - Property	4					
LAW - Legal Writing	3			LAW - Legal Writing	3					
Semester Total	15			Semester Total	14					
Credit Total: 123 (minimum 120 required for degree)										

Assumptions: college-level readiness in MTH & ENG; no Foreign Language Deficiency

College/ Program Notes:

The plan above is a suggested guide to ensure that all General Education, College, University, and Major requirements are met within 3 years of study. Students may deviate from the suggested placement of Gen Ed courses, although the M/QL and W/C requirements should be completed during the first year of study.

*General Electives ensure that a student accumulates the minimum credit hour totals needed for graduation. Students must have a minimum of 120 total credit hours, of which a minimum of 42 credit hours must be upper division (300 or 400-level courses). Depending upon other elective choices made, students may not need as many general electives as indicated above, or may need additional electives. In order to enter the Cleveland-Marshall College of Law in the 4th year and graduate with a B.A. in Sociology after successfully completing the first year of law school, a student must have earned 91 credit hours at the undergraduate level, and have finished their University General Education requirements, College requirements, and Major requirements.

University Notes:

Gen Ed Key:

INTRO = Introduction to University Life Requirement (one course)

W/C = Writing/Composition Requirement (two courses; C or better required)

M/QL = Mathematics/Quantitative Literacy Requirement (two courses)

SS = Social Sciences Requirement (2 courses, one of which must be focused outside the US**)

A&H = Arts & Humanities Requirement (2 courses, one must be focused outside the US**)

DIV = Social Diversity Requirement (2 courses; one US Diversity and one African American Exp.)

WAC/SPAC = Writing/Speaking Across the Curriculum Requirement (3 courses, one in the major)

CAP = Capstone Requirement

NS = Natural Sciences (two courses, one of which must have a lab)

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** of the SS and A&H courses focused outside the US, one must be focused on Africa, Latin America, Asia or the Middle East (ALAAME)

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