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PENNSYLVANIA HIGHLANDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Education Pathway to a Bachelor of Arts in Sociology
From an Associate of Arts Degree in Social Work

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

REQUIRED COURSES (RQ 3196)

Foundational Courses		CR	Equivalent
Engcmp 0005	Composition 1	3	ENG 110
Engcmp 0006	Composition 2	3	
CommRc 0052	Public Speaking	3	COM 101
Basic Algebra or Placement Test			
	Waived	3	
Quantitative Reasoning (QR) - 1 Course			
Note - a student cannot test out of their QR requirement.			
STAT 1040	Intro Stats	3	MAT 200

FREE ELECTIVES

Free electives are the balance of credits required for graduation (120) that are not used to satisfy competencies, knowledge areas, major requirements, electives, or any related area required by the department.

		CR	Equivalent
PSY 0501	Lifespan Development	3	PSY 130
PHIL 0303	Ethics in Social Science	3	SWK 225
BUS 0350	Computer Apps for Busines	3	CIT 100

WORLDS OF KNOWLEDGE

Aesthetic and Creative Expression				
Subject	Number	Course Title	CR	Equivalent
ENGLIT 0088		Intro to Literature	3	ENG 200
			3	

Societies & Civics				
Subject	Number	Course Title	CR	Equivalent
HIST 0610		US History to 1877	3	HIS 100
PHIL 0303		Society & Ethics	3	PHI 200

Follow-Up Courses				
Subject	Number	Course Title	CR	Equivalent
BIOL 0110		Biology	3	BIO 104
PSY 0200		Intro to Psychology	3	PSY 100

Global History & Culture				
Subject	Number	Course Title	CR	Equivalent
			3	
			3	

Science & Nature				
Subject	Number	Course Title	CR	Equivalent
MATH 0002		College Alegbra	3	MAT 145

Each student must take 2 courses in each World of Knowledge. The two courses taken within each World must be from different subjects. A student must take two additional "Follow-Up" courses from any World.

>The minimum number of courses taken in the Worlds must be 10.
>The Follow-Up courses may repeat a subject previously taken in a World.
>A student cannot use a major required Subject course in one of the Worlds.
>For example: A Biology student cannot use BIOL 0110 to fulfill a requirement in the Science and Nature World.
>Students cannot use a course to count both in their QR requirement and one of the Worlds.
>Students can choose QR and Worlds of Knowledge courses from published course lists.

REQUIREMENTS

Required Courses (RQ 1098)		CR	Equivalent
Soc 0100	Intro to Sociology	3	SOC 100
Soc 0300	Social Research Methods	3	****
Soc 0400	Classical Soc Theories	3	
Soc 1700	Senior Seminar	3	
Required at UPJ		**6**	

**** Upon Approval this class may be substituted with PSY 202/UPJ Equivalent PSY 1031

Methodology Requirement (RQ 1099)		CR	Equivalent
Stat 1020	Social Statistics	3	
Required at UPJ		**3**	

Social Organization Core (RQL 1100-10)			
Select 3 credits from the following		**CR**	Equivalent
Soc 0320	Wealth & Power	3	
Soc 0340	Political Sociology	3	
Soc 0440	Urban Sociology	3	
Soc 0520	Social Movements	3	
Required at UPJ		**3**	

Society & Self Core (RQL 1100-20)			
Select 3 credits from the following		**CR**	Equivalent
Soc 0221	Social Psychology	3	
Soc 0710	Deviance & Social Control	3	
Soc 1670	Identity & Culture	3	
Required at UPJ		**3**	

Additional Sociology Courses (RQL 1100-30)		
Select any 4 additional Sociology courses	**CR**	Equivalent
SOC 0000 NE	3	SWK 135
SOC 0000 NE	3	SWK 210
SOC 0461	3	SOC 205
SOC 0000 NE	3	SWK 100
Required at UPJ	**0**	

(RQL 3146-10 thru 60)

Social Science Electives - (18 credits)			
Select one course from each of the 6 disciplines		**CR**	Equivalent
	Anthropology		
Anth 0800	Intro to Cultural Anth	3	ANT 100
	Economics		
Econ 0105	Intro to Microeconomic Theory		
Econ 0115	Intro to Macroeconomic Theory		
	Geography		
Geog 0100	Economic Geography		
Geog 0210	Physical Geography		
Geog 0310	Geography of the US		
Geog 0610	Urban Development		
Geog 0810	Earth and People		
	History		
Hist 0120	Western Civilization 1		
Hist 0130	Western Civilization 2		
Hist 0610	US to 1877	3	HIS 100
Hist 0620	US 1877 to Present		
	Justice Administration		
JAC 0200	Corrections		
JAC 0715	Intro to Criminal Justice	3	CRJ 110
JAC 0725	Criminal Court Proccedure		
JAC 0726	Digital Age Crime and Justice		
	Political Science		
PS 0206	American Political Process	3	GOV 100
PS 0302	Comparative Politics		
PS 0501	World Politics		
Required at UPJ		**12**	

Additional Social Science (RQL 3146-80)		
6 credits from any Social Science area (except SocSci 1910, Envstd 1200 or Stats)		
	CR	Satisfied/Term
	3	
	3	HIS 110
Required at UPJ	**6**	

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ial record of academic progress and should not be
rmation can only be obtained through the Division
e Office of the Registrar.