

Advising Guides for Freshman & Sophomores

Bachelor of Science in Anthropology & Sociology

This is based on the 2023-2024 Academic Year and is based on successful completion of 12 hours a semester with summers. Students must choose the Social Science Focus Area. Refer to the document “General Education Requirements for General Studies Students – First Year Students” for details on the required general education courses for each cohort. For all general education courses, you must earn a “C” or better. Students with Advanced Placement or other approved transfer and early college coursework need to contact their advisor right away so that you don’t duplicate credits.

Level	Fall	Spring	Summer
Freshman	ENGL-1000 (3) FYS-1001 (3) SOC-1100 (3) MATH-2100 (3) + MATH-2101 (0-1) COUN-1008 (1) Total –13-14	ENGL-1010 (3) ANTH-1100 (3) PHIL-1100 (3) Life Sciences (3) Total – 12	Elective (3) Fine Arts Course (3) Total - 6
Sophomore	COMM-1000 (3) Humanities Course (3) Physical Science (4) Elective (3) Total – 13	ANSO-3600 (3) 2000 Level Concentration (3) Electives (6) Total – 12	Electives (6) Total - 6
Junior	ANSO-3099 (3) Junior Seminar Concentration Course (3) Elective (6) Total – 12	ANSO-4400 (3) ANSO-3610 (3) Concentration Courses (6) Total – 12	Elective (6) Total - 6
Senior	ANSO-4610 (3) Concentration Course (6) Elective (3) Total – 12	ANSO-4900 (3) (Senior Capstone) Concentration (3) Elective (6) Total – 12	Elective (3-4)

Minimum Total 120

Students must earn a “C” or better in all general education courses.

If you are interested in the 3+3 Programs with NIU or SIU-C Law Schools, please contact your advisor about adding the Pre-Law Minor and different plan for coursework.