



Fall 1	Credits	Success Marker
ENGL 103	3	* Must earn a C or better in SOCI 170
SOCI 170	3	
COMS 100	3	
Foreign Language (B.A. Requirement)	3	
Gen Ed: Humanities (LAS)	3	
UNIV 101 (optional)	1	
Total hours	15-16	
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 1	Credits	Success Marker
ENGL 104	3	* Must earn a C or better in ENGL 104
Gen Ed: Humanities (VPA)	3	
Foreign Language (B.A. Requirement)	3	* Meet with your major advisor
Gen Ed: Science and Math	3-4	
MATH Core Competency	3	
Total hours	15-16	
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 2	Credits	Success Marker
Gen Ed: Interdisciplinary Studies	3	* Must earn a 'C' or better in STAT 208. * Must earn a 'C' or better in SOCI 300
Gen Ed: Social Sciences	3	
Foreign Language (B.A. Requirement)	3	
STAT 208 (B.A. Requirement)	3	
SOCI 300	3	
Total hours	15-17	
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 2	Credits	Success Marker
Elective: Sociology	3	* Meet with advisor to declare your sociology major
Gen Ed: Social Sciences	3	
Foreign Language (B.A. Requirement)	3	* Maintain a 2.0 GPA in sociology coursework
Gen Ed: Science and Math	3-4	
Gen Ed: Humanities (LAS or VPA)	3	
Total hours	15-16	
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 3	Credits	Success Marker
Gen Ed: Elective	3	* Maintain a 2.0 GPA in sociology coursework
SOCI 301	3	
SOCI 377A	4	* Meet with your major advisor
Elective: Sociology	3	
Elective: 300/400 level	3	
Total hours	16	
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 3	Credits	Success Marker
Gen Ed: Elective	3	* Maintain a 2.0 GPA in sociology coursework
SOCI 302	3	
SOCI 377B	4	* Meet with your major advisor
Elective: 300-400 level	3	
Elective: Sociology	3	
Total hours	16	
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 4	Credits	Success Marker
Elective: Sociology	3	* Apply for graduation (2/1 for May, 6/15 for August, or 9/1 for December)
Elective: Sociology (400 level)	3	
Elective: Minor/Other (300/400 level)	3	* Maintain a 2.0 GPA in sociology coursework
Elective: Minor/Other (300/400 level)	3	
Elective: Minor/Other	3	* Meet with your major advisor for final graduation check
Total hours	15	
Notes/Comments:		

Spring 4	Credits	Success Marker
Elective: Sociology (400 level)	3	* Maintain a 2.0 GPA in sociology coursework
Elective: Minor/Other (300/400 level)	3	
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Elective: Minor/Other	3	
Total hours	15	
Notes/Comments: 1. At least 40 hours of upper-division level coursework is required to graduate		

Notes/Comments: This plan is an example of what a four year plan could look like for a typical student. Placement exam scores in math as well as the completion of coursework may change the plan. It should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor each semester to discuss course scheduling. All requirements are subject to change by NIU.