

# 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.
  - Note: Double-counting with U.S. Diversity applies to students matriculated prior to Fall 2023. Students matriculated after Fall 2023 may only double-count Global Knowledge.

## 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, , I, USD

ANT 251	Introduction to Biological Anthropology	3	
ANT 252	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	3	GK
ANT 253	Introduction to Archaeology	3	GK
ANT 254	Introduction to Linguistic Anthropology	3	USD, I, SS, USD
ANT 261	Technology in Society and Culture	3	GK, IP
ANT 310	Native Peoples and Cultures of North America	3	USD, , I, USD
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	
BAE 210	Leadership and Ethics in Science, Technology, and Agriculture	3	IP

COM 112	Interpersonal Communication	3	
COM 289	Science Communication and Public Engagement	3	HUM, IP
COM 292	Language, Communication, and Culture	3	USD, , I, USD
COM 392	International and Crosscultural Communication	3	GK, USD, , I, USD
EC 201	Principles of Microeconomics	3	
EC 202	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	
EC 205	Fundamentals of Economics	3	
EDP 304	Educational Psychology	3	
EDP 370	Applied Child Development	3	
ENG 210	Introduction to Language and Linguistics	3	
GEO 200	Principles of Geography	3	
GEO 220	Cultural Geography	3	GK
HON 295	Honors Special Topics-Social Science	3	
HON 352	Self, Schooling, and the Social Order: A Critical Examination	3	USD
HON 353	Code Breakers: Unlocking the Mysteries of One Human Language	3	GK
HON 354	The Winners and Losers of U.S. Agricultural Policy	3	
IS 471	Understanding Latino Migration	3	GK, IP
IS 571	Understanding Latino Migration	3	GK, IP
LPS 315	Public Leadership	3	
MIE 209	Survey of Entrepreneurship	3	
MS 302	Applied Leadership in Small Unit Operations	3	
NR 219	Natural Resource Markets	3	
NR 460	Renewable Natural Resource Management and Policy	3	
NR 560	Renewable Natural Resource Management and Policy	3	
NS 210	Leadership and Management	3	
PA 203	Introduction to Nonprofits	3	
PA 312	Introduction to Public Administration	3	
PRT 152	Introduction to Parks, Recreation, Tourism, and Event Management	3	
PRT 200	Health, Wellness and the Pursuit of Happiness	3	
PS 201	American Politics and Government	3	FOAD
PS 202	State and Local Government	3	
PS 203	Introduction to Nonprofits	3	
PS 208	Gateway to Philosophy, Politics, and Economics (PPE)	3	FOAD, HUM
PS 231	Introduction to International Relations	3	GK
PS 236	Issues in Global Politics	3	GK
PS 301	The Presidency and Congress	3	
PS 302	Campaigns and Elections in the US Political System	3	
PS 303	Race in U.S. Politics	3	USD, USD, , I
PS 305	The Justice System in the American Political Process	3	
PS 306	Gender and Politics in the United States	3	USD, , I, USD

PS 309	Equality and Justice in United States Law	3	USD, USD, I, SS
PS 310	Public Policy	3	
PS 312	Introduction to Public Administration	3	
PS 314	Science, Technology and Public Policy	3	
PS 320	U.S. Environmental Law and Politics	3	
PS 325	Introduction to Political Psychology	3	
PS 331	U.S. Foreign Policy	3	
PS 332	Causes of War and Peace	3	
PS 335	International Law	3	GK
PS 336	Global Environmental Politics	3	GK
PS 341	European Politics	3	GK
PS 342	Politics of China and Japan	3	GK
PS 345	Governments and Politics in the Middle East	3	GK
PS 353	Issues in Latin American and Caribbean Politics	3	
PSY 200	Introduction to Psychology	3	
PSY 208	Psychobiology of Success	3	IP
PSY 311	Social Psychology	3	
PSY 325	Introduction to Political Psychology	3	
PSY 376	Developmental Psychology	3	
PSY 406	Psychology of Gender	3	USD, USD, , I
PSY 412	Social Relationships	3	USD, , I
PSY 432	Human Sexuality and Intimate Relationships	3	IP
PSY 441	Environmental Psychology	3	IP
PSY 442	Psychology and Law	3	IP

PSY 471	Psychology and Media	3	
PSY 477	Psychology of Aging	3	USD, , I
REL 309	Religion and Society	3	HUM
SOC 202	Principles of Sociology	3	USD, , I, USD
SOC 203	Current Social Problems	3	USD, I, SS, USD
SOC 203A	Current Social Problems	3	USD, I, SS, USD
SOC 204	Sociology of Family	3	USD, , I, USD
SOC 205	Jobs and Work	3	USD, , I
SOC 206	Social Deviance	3	
SOC 207	Language and Society	3	USD, I, SS, IP, USD
SOC 211	Community and Health	3	USD, , I, USD
SOC 212	Race in America	3	USD, , I
SOC 220	Cultural Geography	3	GK
SOC 241	Sociology of Agriculture and Rural Society	3	
SOC 241A	Sociology of Agriculture and Rural Society	3	
SOC 261	Technology in Society and Culture	3	GK, IP
SOC 300	Social Research Methods	4	
SOC 301	Human Behavior	3	
SOC 304	Gender and Society	3	USD, , I, USD
SOC 305	Racial and Ethnic Relations	3	USD, , I, USD
SOC 306	Criminology	3	
SOC 307	Sociology of Immigration	3	USD
SOC 309	Religion and Society	3	HUM
SOC 311	Community Relationships	3	
SOC 320	Survey Design	3	
SOC 342	International Development	3	GK
SOC 350	Food and Society	3	
SOC 351	Population and Planning	3	GK
SW 300	Research Methods in Social Work	3	

SW 307	Social Welfare Policy: Analysis and Advocacy	3	USD, , I, USD
SW 310	Human Behavior Theory for Social Work Practice	3	USD
WGS 204	Sociology of Family	3	USD, , I, USD
WGS 304	Gender and Society	3	USD, , I, USD
WGS 306	Gender and Politics in the United States	3	USD, , I, USD
WGS 406	Psychology of Gender	3	USD, USD, , I
WL 451	Migration and Diaspora	3	GK