

Sociology Syllabus 2023-2024

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Course Description: An introduction to Sociology. Sociology is the systematic study of human behavior and society. The focus of this class will be geared toward the analysis of human behavior, social interaction, social organization, social institutions, and social change.

Course Goals: The goal is to develop a “sociological perspective”, which is the ability to use sociological tools in an attempt to understand human behavior and society.

Required Texts, Materials, or Equipment: **Textbook** - Sociology A Down to Earth Approach

Daily Work/Homework: Opening activities/class openers, Google Slideshow review, independent practice activities

Assignments: Classwork Homework Class Participation Projects Tests Presentations

Subject Matter: The Foundation of Sociology Culture Socialization Social Structure

Social Networks Formal Organizations Social Control Stratification

Social Class Family Education Social Movements

Course Grading: point system 90-100% A, 80-89% B, 70-79% C, 60-69% D, 59% & below F

Course-Specific Support or Supplementary Instruction: Crash Course Sociology tutorials, individual help appointments, and study guides

Course Policies: Late assignments - 10% penalty for each day the assignment is late (except daily assignments, late daily assignments are not accepted)

Absent work - The student will have as many days as they were absent to submit the work

Assignments due on the day of an absence must be turned in the day the student returns

Absent for a test - Test must be completed on the day the student returns

Resources for Students: Khan Academy: Society and Culture, Crash Course Sociology, asanet.org: Resources for Students