

## Course Syllabus

### SOC 1301

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**Course Details:**

Term: Fall 2018		
Course Number: SOCI 1301	Course Section: OL07	Credit Hours: 3
Class Location: Online	Class Day(s):	Class Time:

**Course Description:**

The course will introduce the students to the principles of social organization. Topics include the study of personality, social groups, culture, social class and caste systems, population, rural and urban communities, social change, as well as social institutions such as the family, recreation and religion.

**Student Learning Outcomes:**

Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

1. Demonstrate understanding of basic theoretical perspectives of sociology.
2. Demonstrate understanding of various methodological approaches to the collection and analysis of data in sociology.
3. Demonstrate understanding of key concepts in sociology.
4. Demonstrate understanding of empirical findings of various subfields of sociology.
5. Demonstrate understanding of the complex links between individual experiences and broader institutional forces.

**Prerequisites/Co-requisites:**

ENRD 402 or equivalent

**In our efforts to prepare students for a changing world, students may be expected to utilize computer technology while enrolled in classes, certificate, and/or degree programs within Lee College. Click on any of the [links](#) for more information:**

Computer and online proficiencies helpful in this program include the ability to navigate in the Internet, login to Lee College's website and online Learning Management System (LMS), and use basic features of Microsoft Office (Create a Word Document). Due to the cost of MS Office the college has [Office 365](#) available to students at no charge (click on link for access). This can be installed on up to five different devices (home computer, tablet, etc.) Students will have access to college computer labs and the Lee College Library during normal hours as well as being able to remotely login from outside locations using personal devices.

Grades will be continuously made available to students with the LMS through Blackboard. This is accessed using the student's login and password provided when the student first registered for classes.

**Supplies Requirement:**

**OpenStax Sociology:** <https://openstax.org/details/introduction-sociology-2e>

**[Link to the Americans with Disabilities Act \(ADA\) Website:](#)** Lee College is committed to providing all students equal access to learning opportunities as required by the Vocational Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title V, Section 504 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA). Disability Services (DS) is the campus unit that works with students who have disabilities to provide and/or arrange reasonable accommodations. Students registered with DS, who have a letter requesting accommodations, are encouraged to contact the professor early in the semester. Students who have, or think they may have, a disability, are invited to contact DS for a confidential discussion at (832)-556-4069 or at [kvillanueva@lee.edu](mailto:kvillanueva@lee.edu). DS is located in Rundell Hall room 106. Additional information is available at the DS website [Access Center for Students with Disabilities Website](#).

**[Attendance Policy Link:](#)** Please notify me by phone or via email when you are not able to attend class. Students who have been absent from class for three hours or three sessions without notifying the instructor may be dropped for non-attendance. In addition to an attendance policy for face-to-face courses, Lee College has established, in compliance with the U.S. Department of Education, an online attendance policy found in the online catalog under [The Community and Lee College heading – Online Learning](#).

**[Absences Due to Religious Holy Days Link to Catalog:](#)** Students may be absent from classes for the observance of a religious holy day and will be allowed to take an examination or complete an assignment scheduled for that day within a reasonable time as established by the instructor.

**[Academic Honesty Policy/Cheating Link to Catalog:](#)** Academic honesty is essential to the maintenance of an environment where teaching and learning take place. It is also the foundation upon which students build personal integrity and establish standards of personal behavior. Lee College expects and encourages all students to contribute to such an environment by observing the principles of academic honesty outlined in the College's Academic Honesty Code, which is detailed in Chapter Three of the Lee College Catalog under Academic Honesty. It is the student's responsibility to understand and comply with this code.

**[Title IX](#)** : Lee College is committed to providing all with a learning and work environment that is free from sexual harassment and assault. If you or someone you know has been harassed or assaulted, you can find the appropriate resources, both on and off campus at [kNow More](#). Confidential support can be found through The Bridge Over Troubled Waters. The Bridge can be contacted at 281-420-5600 (Baytown Office) or through their 24 hour hotline at 713-473-2801 and other resources can be found on the [Lee College Available Resources Page](#). All Lee College faculty are "responsible employees", which means, as a faculty member I am required to report incidents of sexual misconduct and thus cannot guarantee confidentiality. I must provide the Title IX Coordinator with relevant details such as the names of those involved in the incident. If you want to make a formal report, you can contact Dr. Coffman directly at [rcoffman@lee.edu](mailto:rcoffman@lee.edu) or 281-425-6387 or email [TitleIXSupport@lee.edu](mailto:TitleIXSupport@lee.edu) .

**[Withdrawal / Drop Policy Link to Catalog:](#)** Withdrawal from the course after the official day of record and prior to the final day for Student Drops will result in a final grade of "W" on your transcript; no credit will be awarded for a course earning a "W." If you stop attending class, you must withdraw at the Admissions office prior to the final day for Student Drops to avoid receiving a grade of "F" for that class. The last day for Student Drops for this semester is: **November 16, 2018.**

## Student Support and Services

Lee College provides academic, financial and various other supports and services to students. Information on the three commonly used academic services are listed below. For all other supports and services please check the student catalog for information.

1. [Library](#), ATC building 1st Floor, Phone: 281.425.6379
2. [The Writing Center](#), Bonner Hall, 281.425.6534
3. [Technology Help Desk](#), email: helpdesk@lee.edu, Phone: 281.425.myLC (6952)

## Assignment and Test

Please see discussions, assignments, and quizzes schedule for due dates. Late discussions, assignment, quizzes will not be accepted. There are no make-up quizzes or tests.

**Assignment and Test Schedule:** *(Instructor reserves the right to modify this schedule as needed during the course.)*

Week		Reading Assignments and Activities	Tests / Assignment due dates	% of grade
1	Aug 27 - Sep 2	Chapter 1: Introduction to Sociology	Scavenger Hunt Introduction Discussion Question	5% 5% 1%
2	Sep 3 - 9	Chapter 2: Sociological Research	Discussion Question	1%
3	Sep 10 - 16	Chapter 3: Culture	Discussion Question Assignment 1	1% 10%
4	Sep 17 - 23	Chapter 4: Society and Social Interaction Chapter 5: Socialization	Discussion Question Quiz 1	1% 10%
5	Sep 24 - 30	Chapter 6: Groups and Organization	Discussion Question	1%
6	Oct 1 - 7	Chapter 7: Deviance, Crime, and Social Control Chapter 8: Media and Technology	Discussion Question Assignment 2	1% 10%
7	Oct 8 - 14	Chapter 9: Social Stratification in the U.S. Chapter 10: Global Inequality	Discussion Question	1%
8	Oct 15 - 21	Chapter 11: Race and Ethnicity	Discussion Question Midterm	1% 10%
9	Oct 22 - 28	Chapter 12: Gender, Sex, and Sexuality Chapter 13: Aging and the Elderly	Discussion Question	1%
10	Oct 29 - Nov 4	Chapter 14: Marriage and Family	Discussion Question Assignment 3	1% 10%

Week		Reading Assignments and Activities	Tests / Assignment due dates	% of grade
11	Nov 5 - 11	Chapter 15: Religion	Discussion Question	2%
12	Nov 12 - 18	Chapter 16: Education	Discussion Question Quiz 2	2% 10%
13	Nov 19 - 25	Chapter 17: Government and Politics Chapter 18: Work and the Economy Thanksgiving 21 – 25	Discussion Question	2%
14	Nov 26 - Dec 2	Chapter 19: Health and Medicine Chapter 20: Population, Urbanization, and the Environment	Discussion Question	2%
15	Dec 3 - 9	Chapter 21: Social Movement and Social Change	Discussion Question	2%
16	Dec 10 - 14	Final Exam Week	Due Thursday, 12/13/18	10%
All semester				

**Grade Determination:**

Final Average in Percent	Letter Grade
90 – 100	A
80 – 89	B
70 – 79	C
60 – 69	D
< 59	F
Incomplete - no credit	I

*A grade of “I” indicates incomplete work resulting from illness or other unavoidable circumstances. Coursework must be completed per written contract with Instructor during the following semester to earn replacement grade, otherwise it will revert to an “F”. To be eligible to receive an “I” students must have completed at least 75 percent of the work required for the course in question during the original term of enrollment. Policy on this can be found in the [Lee College Catalog/Incomplete](#)*