# Bachelor of Arts in Sociology, 2025-2026

## Piedmont Technical College to USC Upstate Transfer Pathways

### If you complete your associate's degree

| Associate's Degree | *Completion of the Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree satisfies all general education courses.*<br><br>*Associate of Applied of Science completion requires a minimum 30 hours of general education credit be completed.* | □ AA<br>□ AS<br>□ AAS | *Completion of Associate's Degree satisfies comprehensive transfer of credit.* |
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| **Sociology Transfer Notes** | 1. A <u>maximum</u> of 90 hours from a technical college program may be counted towards degree credit at USC Upstate. All courses transferred for degree credit must have a minimum grade of "C"<br>2. Professional program related pre-requisite courses may not be included in the Associate's of Art or Sciences completion pathway.<br>3. Courses excluded from general transfer must be completed prior to upper-level courses. | | |

### If you transfer before completing associate degree

#### Recommended courses: Minimum 30 hours needed to transfer

| USC Upstate Courses | | Hours | Piedmont Technical College |
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| **I. Communication** | | **9 Hours** | |
| **English** | ENGL U101, U102 | □<br>□ | **ENG 101**<br>**ENG 102** |
| **Speech** | SPCH U201 | □ | **SPC 205** |
| **II. Mathematics, Logic, & Natural Sciences** | | **13 Hours** | |
| **Mathematics** | MATH U120, U121, U122, U126, U127, U141, U142, U174, U231 | □ | **MAT 103, 109, 110, 111, 130, 140, 141, 211** |
| **Natural Science (w/lab)** | ASTR U111/L; BIOL U101/L, U102/L, U110/L, U220/L, U244/L; CHEM U106/L, U109/L, U111/L, U112/L; GEOL U101/L, U102/L, U103/L, 121/123/L; PHYS U101/L, U201/L, U202/L | □ | **AST 101; BIO 101, 102, 105; CHM 105, 110, 111; PHS 101, 201, 202 or any department-approved lab science course** |
| **Logic** | LOGC U205 or U207 | □ | **PHI 105** |
| **Natural Science** | One of the following: BIOL U143/L, U206, U240, U270; GEOL U104, U120, U121, U131 | □ | **BIO 112** |
| **III. Information Technology** | | **3 Hours** | |
| **Info Tech** | CSCI U138; DGST U101; INFO U101, U102 | □ | **CPT 170** |
| **IV. Fine Arts, Humanities & History** | | **6 Hours** | |
| **Fine Arts** | AFAM U204; ARTH U101, U105, U106; ENGL U208; MUSC U110, U140; SOST U201; THEA U161, U170 | □ | **ART 101, 107, 108; MUS 105; THE 101, 105** |
| **History** | HIST U101, U102 | □ | **HIS 104, 105** |
| **V. Foreign Language and Culture** *The minimum acceptable level of competency of the 101 level of a language. Students who plae in the 102 or higher level of a language satisfy the language requirement but will have additional hours in general education electives, if hours are required by their degree program.* | | **6 Hours** | |
| **Foreign Language** | ASLG U101, U102; FREN U101, U102; GERM U101, U102; SPAN U101, U102; U201 | □<br>□ | **ASL 101, 102; FRE 101, 102; GER 101, 102; SPA 101, 102, 201** |

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| **VI. Social and Behavioral Sciences** | | **6 Hours** | |
| Social & Behavioral Science | POLI U101; and<br>One course from the following: AFAM U201; ANTH U102; CRJU U101; ECON U221, U222; GEOG U103; PSYC U101; WGST U101 | ☐<br>☐ | **PSC 201; and**<br>**One of the following: ANT 101, CRJ 101; ECO 210, 211; GEO 101, or PSY 201** |
| **VII. General Ed. Electives**<br>*Choose from the options below if hours are required in the major.* | | **Not Required** | |
| General Ed. Electives | Any approved general education course or courses | 0 | |
| **Supporting Courses** | | | |
| Fine Arts, Humanities and/or History | Choose two courses from Fine Arts, Humanities, History: African-American Studies, Art History, History, Music, Theatre, American Studies, English, Film, Philosophy, Religion | 6 | |
| Social & Behavioral Science | Choose two courses from Social and Behavioral Sciences: Anthropology, Economics, Geography, Political Science, Psychology, Women's and Gender Studies | 6 | |
| **Major Requirements** | | **15 Hours** | |
| Core Sociology Courses | SOCY U101<br>SOCY U201, U301, U302, U499 | ☐ | **SOC 101, 102, 205**<br>**Remainder to be completed at Upstate** |
| **Additional Upper-Level Courses**<br>*Choose Option A or B* | | **21** | |
| Option A | Any 7 upper-level SOCY courses | **21** | |
| Option B | Community Development Studies<br>Required: SOCY U311, U322, U323<br>One course from each:<br>Institutions: SOCY U341, U345, U347, U361<br>Inequality: SOCY U330, U333, U337<br>Civic Engagement: SOCY U325, U343<br>1 Course in Applied Community Experience: SOCY UU395, U399, U321<br>Any course designated as service-learning or community engagement (requires advisor approval) | **21** | |

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| **Cognate or Minor** | **12-21** |
| **Certificate** | **12** |
| **Electives** | **4-20** |
| *Total* USC Upstate hours required for graduation | **120** |