TRANSFER PATHWAY GUIDE
2023-2024

Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts To Bachelor of Science in Sociology

Overview
Completion of the following curriculum will satisfy the requirements for the Associate of Arts (AA) in Liberal Arts degree at Ivy Tech Community College (ITCC) and leads to the Bachelor of Science (BS) in Sociology degree at Northern Kentucky University (NKU).

Applying to the IvyTech2NKU Program
Students can apply to participate in the pathway program by completing the online application on the NKU transfer webpage. Students must be enrolled in at least six credit hours at Ivy Tech, enrolled in an associate degree program, plan to transfer to NKU, and maintain a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA at Ivy Tech.

Degree Requirements for Ivy Tech
To earn a degree at Ivy Tech a student must successfully complete the required number of credits for the degree, attain a minimum GPA of 2.0 in the required technical and general education courses, and complete at least 15 degree credits in the curriculum as a regular student of Ivy Tech.

Admission Requirements for NKU
Students completing an associate degree with a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher will be accepted into NKU.

This major can be completed face-to-face or online. If completed fully online, courses are offered in seven-week formats. Tuition for online accelerated programs differs from face-to-face tuition. Scholarship pricing is available to Ivy Tech students who choose to enroll in the fully online program. Visit our website for more information about the Sociology Accelerated Online program.

Degree Requirements for NKU

To earn a bachelor's degree at NKU, students must complete a minimum of 120 credit hours with at least 45 credit hours numbered 300 and above. In addition, at least 25% of the credit hours required for the degree and the last 30 credit hours must be completed at NKU. Students must have a minimum GPA of 2.0 for courses that count towards the major as well as an overall GPA of 2.0. Students must complete a focus or minor as indicated on the pathway.

Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana

Students must complete the following courses for an AA in Liberal Arts.

Category 1: ITCC Indiana College Core Competencies

ITCC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	Completed
ENGL 111	English Composition	3	ENG 101	
COMM XXX	Speaking and Listening Elective	3	TBD XXX	
MAT 123 or TBS XXX	Quantitative Reasoning or higher	3	MAT 115 or TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Scientific Ways of Knowing	3-5	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Humanistic Ways of Knowing	3	TBD XXX	
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SOCI 111	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 100	
SOCI 252	Social Problems	3	SOC 205	
TBS XXX	Indiana College Core Elective	3	TBD XXX	
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	Subtotal General Education Core	**33-35**		

TBS XXX means to be selected by Ivy Tech student
TBD XXX means to be determined by NKU based on the course selected at Ivy Tech

Category 2: ITCC Degree Requirements for AA in Liberal Arts

ITCC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	Completed
IVYT 111	Student Success in University Transfer	1	UNV 100T	
ENGL 215	Rhetoric and Argument	3	ENG 102	
LIBA 279	Liberal Arts Capstone Course	1	NCS 200T	
TBS XXX	Foreign Language Elective	3-4	TBD XXX	
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SOCI 253	Introduction to Social Psychology	3	SOC 303	
SOCI 261	Sociology of Relationships and the Family	3	SOC 315	
TBS XXX	Transfer Cluster Elective	3	TBD XXX	
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	Total Associate Degree Credit Hours	**60**		

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Category 3: NKU Major Requirements for the BS in Sociology

NKU Course	Course	Credits	ITCC Course	Taken at ITCC
SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOCI 111	x
SOC 281	Careers in Sociology	1		
SOC 319	Managing and Analyzing Databases	3		
SOC 320	Social Research	3		
SOC 330	Classical Sociological Theory	3		
SOC 493	Sociology Senior Seminar	2		
SOC XXX	Select any seven sociology courses not fulfilling requirements above, at least six of which must be at the 300 or 400 level.	21	SOCI 252 = SOC 205 SOCI 253 = SOC 303 SOCI 261 = SOC 315	Need 4 more courses
	Subtotal Major Credit Hours Taken at NKU	**24**		
	Subtotal Major Credit Hours Taken at ITCC	**12**		
	Total Credit Hours Required for the Major	**36**		

Category 4: Additional Requirements at NKU

NKU Course	Course	Credits	ITCC Course	Taken at ITCC
	Subtotal Minor or Focus	**12-24**		
	Subtotal Elective (some 300/400 level) Hours	**12-24**		
	Total Baccalaureate Degree Credit Hours	**120**		

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