

Sociology MS

The Department of Sociology and Criminal Justice offers a Master of Science degree program in Sociology with core courses in sociological theory, research methodology, data analysis, and research report writing. The master's program is conducted through a selection of appropriate courses within the framework of a non-thesis program. For additional information, students are advised to read the most recent departmental Graduate Handbook, available free from the department or departmental website (<https://www.tamuc.edu/programs/sociology-ms/>).

Master of Science in Sociology - Option II Non-Thesis (Online)

30 semester hours program

Core Courses (18 semester hours)

SOC 500	Orientation	0
SOC 535	Readings in Sociology	3
SOC 574	Sociological Theory	3
SOC 575	Advanced Research Methods	3
SOC 576	Data Analysis in Social Research	3
SOC 577	Qualitative Methodology	3
SOC 595	Research Literature and Techniques (3 semester hours required)	3

Sociology Graduate Electives (12 semester hours)

12 semester hours (4 graduate electives).	
SOC 504	Stu Contemporary Sociolog
SOC 512	Soc Perspcts Marr/Family
SOC 514	Family Violence
SOC 515	Medical Sociology
SOC 516	Sociology of Education
SOC 517	Teaching Sociology and Criminal Justice
SOC 553	Race and Ethnic Diversity
SOC 597	Special Topics
Total Hours	30

Note: Successful completion of the Comprehensive Exam is required of all students.