

# ASSOCIATE IN ARTS

❖ **019-SOCIAL SCIENCES (ASOC)**

❖ **019P-OPTION: PSYCHOLOGY (ASOP)**

❖ **019S-OPTION: SOCIOLOGY (ASOS)**

❖ *This degree is offered online at [www.rsuonline.edu](http://www.rsuonline.edu)*

The two-year Social Sciences degree is designed for students interested in entry-level jobs in social services. The degree provides a broad introduction to the social science disciplines as a core, and then allows the student to select an additional nine hours in one of the following disciplines: Psychology or Sociology.

**REQUIRED HOURS ..... 65**

**Communications ..... 9**

- ENGL 1113 Composition I
- ENGL 1213 Composition II
- SPCH 1113 Speech Communication

**Social and Behavioral Sciences ..... 9**

- HIST 2483 American History to 1877
- POLS 1113 American Federal Government
- PSY 1113 Introduction to Psychology

**Science and Mathematics ..... 11**

Physical Science ..... 4

*Select from the following:*

- CHEM 1315 General Chemistry I
- GEOL 1014 Earth Science
- GEOL 1114 Physical Geology
- GEOL 1124 Physical Geography
- GEOL 1224 Historical Geology
- GEOL 2124 Astronomy
- PHYS 1014 General Physical Science
- PHYS 1114 General Physics I

Biological Science ..... 4

*Select from the following:*

- BIOL 1114 General Biology
- BIOL 1134 General Environmental Biology
- BIOL 1144 General Cellular Biology

Mathematics ..... 3

*Select from the following:*

- MATH 1413 Introduction to Statistics
- MATH 1503 Mathematics for Critical Thinking
- MATH 1513 College Algebra
- MATH 1613 Trigonometry
- MATH 1715 Pre-Calculus
- MATH 2264 Analytical Geometry & Calculus I

**Humanities ..... 6**

*Select from the following:*

- ART (HUM) 1113 Art Appreciation
- COMM (HUM) 2413 Theatre Appreciation
- ENGL 2613 Introduction to Literature
- HUM 2113 Humanities I
- HUM 2223 Humanities II

- HUM 2893 Cinema
- MUSC (HUM) 2573 Music Appreciation
- PHIL 1113 Introduction to Philosophy

**Global Studies ..... 3**

*Select from the following:*

- BIOL 3103 Plants and Civilization
- ECON 3003 International Economic Issues and Policies
- GEOG 2243 Human Geography
- GERM 1113 Beginning German I
- HIST 2013 World Civilization I
- HIST 2023 World Civilization II
- HUM 3633 Comparative Religion
- LANG 1113 Foundations of World Languages
- MGMT 3033 Conflict Resolution: I'm Always Right!
- NAMS 1143 Native Americans of North America
- NAMS 2503 Cherokee I
- PHIL 1313 Values and Ethics
- POLS 3053 International Relations
- SOC 3213 Minority Groups
- SPAN 1113 Beginning Spanish I

**Elective ..... 3**

*Select three additional hours from the courses listed above and not previously selected.*

**Program Requirements ..... 9**

- HIST 2493 American History since 1877
- PSY/SOC 3423 Social Psychology
- SOC 1113 Introduction to Sociology

**Social Science Elective ..... 3**

*Select from the following:*

- ECON 2113 Principles of Macroeconomics
- GEOG 2243 Human Geography

**Support and Related ..... 9**

*Select from the following options:*

**Option: Psychology**

*Select nine (9) credit hours of electives from Psychology (PSY).*

**Option: Sociology**

*Select nine (9) credit hours of electives from Sociology (SOC).*

**Electives ..... 3**

\*CS 1113-Microcomputer Applications is recommended

**Total Credit Hours ..... 65**