

# Social Science

Today's workplace requires skills in decision-making, problem-solving and flexibility. Participation in classes in the social sciences promotes development of these skills through encouragement of intellectual curiosity and appreciation of human diversity. Most careers in the social sciences require a bachelor's degree. Students may complete the first two years of their education at Northeast and then transfer to a four-year college to complete a bachelor's degree. A degree with an emphasis in social science prepares students for a career in teaching, economics, politics, geography, history, non-profit organizations, urban planning, and a wide variety of other professional careers.

## Suggested Program of Study for Associate of Arts Degree (2 years)

<b><i>Freshman Year</i></b>
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<b>FIRST SEMESTER</b>	
<b>Course</b>	<b>Credits</b>
BIOS 1010 General Biology or other natural science* .....	4-5
ENGL 1010 English Composition I.....	3
HIST 2010 American History I.....	3
HPER Basic Sports Series* .....	1
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Communication or SPCH 1110 Public Speaking .....	3
	14-15

<b>SECOND SEMESTER</b>	
<b>Course</b>	<b>Credits</b>
ENGL 1020 English Composition II or Literature* .....	3
GEOG 1020 World Regional Geography .....	3
HIST 2020 American History II.....	3
MUSC 1550 Music in Western Culture .....	3
Mathematics* .....	3-5
	15-17

<b><i>Sophomore Year</i></b>
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<b>FIRST SEMESTER</b>	
<b>Course</b>	<b>Credits</b>
ARTS 2000 Art History-Ancient to Gothic or ARTS 2010 Art History-Renaissance to Present.....	3
ECON 2110 Principles of Macroeconomics .....	3
HIST 1050 World History I.....	3
POLS 1000 American Government.....	3
SOCI 1010 Introduction to Sociology .....	3
	15

<b>SECOND SEMESTER</b>	
<b>Course</b>	<b>Credits</b>
ECON 2120 Principles of Microeconomics .....	3
HIST 1060 World History II.....	3
HPER 1500 Lifetime Wellness .....	2
PSYC 1810 Introduction to Psychology.....	3
Foreign Language or other elective** .....	3-4
	14-15

**To earn an associate of arts degree, a student must satisfactorily complete a minimum of 60 semester hours that include the general education requirements.**

\* See general education requirements.

\*\*Recommended electives depend on desired professional goal and/or requirements at institution of transfer.