

Faculty	Arts and Humanities		
Home Department	Sociology		
Module Topic	Introduction to Sociology		
Generic Module Name	Sociology 151		
Alpha-numeric Code	SOC151		
NQF Level	5		
NQF Credit Value	15		
Duration	Semester		
Proposed semester to be offered	First Semester		
Programmes in which the module will be offered	BA (2101), BA 4-year (2612), BTh (2013), BLIS (2101), B. Social Work (5yrs) (8560), B. Social Work (8411), B. Comm Dev (8415)		
Year level	2		
Main Outcomes	<p>On completion of this module, students should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Distinguish between sociology and 'common sense'. • Differentiate between the various social sciences. • Identify the various branches and uses of sociology. • Demonstrate basic knowledge and the understanding of the relationship between individual experiences and the wider world. 		
Main Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to the discipline of sociology. • The nature of sociology and its relationship to social science. • Key concepts and debates in the study of sociology. • Different sociological approaches to contemporary social issues. 		
Pre-requisite modules	None		
Co-requisite modules	None		
Prohibited module Combination	None		
Breakdown of Learning Time	Hours	Timetable Requirement per week	Other teaching modes that does not require time-table
<i>Contact with lecturer / tutor:</i>	42	<i>Lectures p.w.</i>	2
<i>Assignments & tasks:</i>	46	<i>Practicals p.w.</i>	0
<i>Practicals:</i>	0	<i>Tutorials p.w.</i>	1
<i>Assessments:</i>	2		
<i>Selfstudy:</i>	60		
<i>Other:</i>	0		
Total Learning Time	150		
Methods of Student Assessment	Continuous Assessment (CA): 60% Final Assessment (FA): 40%		
Assessment Module type	Continuous and Final Assessment (CFA)		