

Sociology

What can I do with qualifications in Sociology?

People who study sociology go into a wide variety of jobs. You will gain a range of very valuable skills such as how to find information, extract what is important from it and turn it into an argument. You will learn how to conduct research both with others and on your own, helping you to develop key skills needed in the work place such as communication, leadership, problem solving and the ability to work under pressure.

Take these skills together with your insights into the workings of society and it is not surprising that a very wide range of employers see a sociology degree as highly relevant. It's particularly relevant if you are interested law, journalism, criminology, teaching, social work and business management.

Programme of Study

We follow the AQA 2015 specification. Click on the links below for more information.

- [A level](#)
- [GCSE](#)

How is it examined?

AS level	A2 level
Assessed	Assessed
2 x 1 hour 30 minutes written exams	3 x 2 hour written exams
Made up of short answer and extended writing, 20 marks and 40 marks.	Made up of extended writing, 30, 40, & 80 marks.
Both worth 50% of AS level	All worth 33.3% of A-level