

## **SOC 1 - PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY**

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COURSE DESCRIPTION: Course will examine basic sociological concepts in human social organization. Course will examine culture, the process of socialization, social class and inequality, racism, sexism, the family structure. We will also look at deviant behavior including white collar and corporate crime. The characteristics of economic and political institutions will be discussed. This course will enable students to recognize how social forces shape their lives as well as the lives of others.

TEXTS AND READINGS: Ferrante, Sociology, a Global Perspective, 3<sup>rd</sup> ed.

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METHOD OF EVALUATION: There will be 3 midterms and one final exam. 3 exams will be worth 100 points each, and one exam will be worth 125 points. Grading is done on a standard percentage basis.

Example: 70 - 79 C  
80 - 89 B  
90 - 100 A

Each exam will have 50 multiple choice questions worth 2 points each, and 1 of the exams will have an essay question worth 20 points.