

## 26103 - General Sociology

### Syllabus Information

**Academic Year:** 2021/22

**Subject:** 26103 - General Sociology

**Faculty / School:** 108 - Facultad de Ciencias Sociales y del Trabajo

**Degree:** 274 - Degree in Social Work

**ECTS:** 6.0

**Year:** 1

**Semester:** First semester

**Subject Type:** Basic Education

**Module:**

### 1. General information

### 2. Learning goals

### 3. Assessment (1st and 2nd call)

### 4. Methodology, learning tasks, syllabus and resources

#### 4.1. Methodological overview

The learning process designed for this subject is based on the following:

Active student participation. Students will be introduced to the criteria of participation, active learning and critical attitude. Students will be given a margin of initiative in the selection of readings and topics for practical work. Periodically, the texts to be read before the face-to-face sessions will be indicated in order to enrich the debates in the classroom.

#### 4.2. Learning tasks

The programme offered to students to help them achieve the expected outcomes comprises the following activities....

Presentation/discussion of theoretical content.

Analysis of concrete situations and cases.

Open debates on various topics of social interest. Both in the classroom and through the virtual forum.

Text comments on articles of sociological interest.

Supervised work on "Analysis of Social Reality". This will consist of reading press articles related to the contents of the subject, chosen by the students. And the production of between six and ten critical comments on each of the articles.

### 4.3. Syllabus

- Object, field and interest of sociology.
- Main paradigms of sociology.
- The methodological foundations and techniques of observation in sociology.
- The social nature of human action: social reality.
- Culture: notion and characteristics.
- The process of socialisation: how does the individual become a social being?
- The person in society: role and status.
- Groups and organisations.
- Social institutions.

### 4.4. Course planning and calendar

Calendar of theoretical/practical sessions and presentation of work.

The activities to be carried out during the course will be indicated periodically through the Digital Teaching Ring, indicating the meeting place, date of completion, recommended and required readings, and deadline for submission of work.

Supervised work on "Analysis of Social Reality":

Each student must meet with the teaching staff at least three times during the tutored sessions, to comment on the part of the work carried out and to incorporate the appropriate corrections in the work. The delivery will take place in the last class of the month of December.

Recovery of activities:

Students who have not participated in any of the sessions in which practical activities have been carried out will have to complete the exercises individually. Alternative exercises and instructions on how to do them will be provided in tutorials or on the website. Students will have two weeks to hand in the assignments.

Global written test:

It will be carried out in the official exam, on the theoretical content of the subject.

The subject's website will periodically indicate the activities that students will have to carry out, the place, the date and the deadline for handing in the assignments.

Students who opt for continuous assessment must have a meeting with the lecturers of the subject to monitor the supervised work, at least three times. The work must be handed in during the last week of December.