

<p style="text-align: center;">Indiana Tech Early Start Schedule SS 2800 Introduction to Sociology Spring 2017</p>

Recommended Weekly Student Schedule:

The following is the weekly student schedule I recommend to help you stay on track and get everything done, without having to use your weekend. If you have a particularly demanding schedule and have weekends available, you can get a jump start on the week by starting this schedule on Saturday or Sunday.

Monday: Review weekly overview, read assigned chapters

Tuesday: Take notes over chapters, watch video lectures, post discussion board post

Wednesday: Review notes, work on assignments, submit original discussion post and any other items with a Wednesday deadline

Thursday: Review PowerPoint and notes, finish assignments, complete quizzes or exams, respond to classmates' discussion posts

Friday: Review notes, finish and submit any items still in progress

Tentative Course Schedule	<p>Schedule is tentative and due dates are subject to change. Students will be informed of changes via Blackboard announcements. This schedule follows Indiana Tech's academic calendar. High school delays, cancellations, holidays, and breaks are not observed in this class (unless Indiana Tech is closed).</p> <p>Please see weekly folders on Blackboard. Each week officially begins on Monday and ends on Friday at 5:00 p.m., unless otherwise noted.</p> <p>Weekly folders are available one week in advance so students can begin weekly items the weekend prior to the weekly due dates if weekend study time is preferable.</p>
Wednesday, January 18th-Friday January 20th WEEK 1	<p>Assignments: Review syllabus and course policies Familiarize yourself with the course Self-introduction discussion board (due Friday 1/20 by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Quiz: Syllabus quiz (due Friday 1/20 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
January 23rd-27th WEEK 2	<p>Reading: Chapter 1: The Sociological Perspective</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Week 2 discussion board (due Wednesday 1/25 by 11:59 p.m.) Week 2 discussion board responses (respond to at least 2 classmates, due Friday 1/27 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>

January 30th-February 3rd WEEK 3	<p>Reading: Chapter 3: Culture Chapter 4: Society</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Week 3 discussion board (due Wednesday 2/1 by 11:59 p.m.) Week 3 discussion board responses (respond to at least 2 classmates, due Friday 2/3 by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Quiz: Chapters 1, 3, & 4 (due Friday 2/3 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
February 6th-10th WEEK 4	<p>Reading: Chapter 5: Socialization</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Week 4 discussion board (due Wednesday 2/8 by 11:59 p.m.) Week 4 discussion board responses (respond to at least 2 classmates, due Friday 2/10 by 5:00 p.m.) Issue Analysis Assignment (due Friday 2/10 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
February 13th-17th WEEK 5	<p>Reading: Chapter 6: Social Interaction in Everyday Life Chapter 7: Groups and Organizations</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Week 5 discussion board (due Wednesday 2/15 by 11:59 p.m.) Week 5 discussion board responses (respond to at least 2 classmates, due Friday 2/17 by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Quiz: Chapters 5, 6, and 7 (due Friday 2/17 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
February 20th-24th WEEK 6	<p>Unit 1 Exam Chapters 1, 3-7 (due Friday 2/24 by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Assignments: Response Piece 1 (due Friday 2/24 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
February 27th-March 3rd WEEK 7	<p>Reading: Chapter 9: Deviance</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Week 7 discussion board (due Wednesday 3/1 by 11:59 p.m.) Week 7 discussion board responses (respond to at least 2 classmates, due Friday 3/3 by 5:00 p.m.) Social Interaction Assignment (due Friday 3/3 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>

March 6th-10th WEEK 8	<p>Reading: Chapter 10: Social Stratification Chapter 11: Social Class in the United States</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Week 8 discussion board (due Wednesday 3/8 by 11:59 p.m.) Week 8 discussion board responses (respond to at least 2 classmates, due Friday 3/10 by 5:00 p.m.) Response Piece 2 (due Friday 3/10 by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Quiz: Chapters 9, 10, and 11 (due Friday 3/10 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
March 13th-17th	Spring Break Saturday, March 11th-Sunday, March 19th!
March 20th-24th WEEK 9	<p>Reading: Chapter 8: Sexuality and Society Chapter 13: Gender Stratification</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Week 9 discussion board (due Wednesday 3/22 by 11:59 p.m.) Week 9 discussion board responses (respond to at least 2 classmates, due Friday 3/24 by 5:00 p.m.) Norm Deviation Assignment (due Friday 3/24 by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Quiz: Chapters 8, 13 (due Friday 3/24 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
March 27th-31st WEEK 10	<p>Reading: Chapter 14: Race & Ethnicity Chapter 15: Aging and the Elderly</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Week 10 discussion board (due Wednesday 3/29 by 11:59 p.m.) Week 10 discussion board responses (respond to at least 2 classmates, due Friday 3/31 by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Quiz: Chapters 14, 15 (due Friday, 3/31 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
April 3rd-7th WEEK 11	<p>Unit 2 Exam: Chapters 8-11, 13-15 (due Friday 4/7 by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Response Piece 3 (due Friday 4/7 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>

<p>April 10th-14th</p> <p>WEEK 12</p>	<p>Reading: Chapter 16: The Economy and Work</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Week 12 discussion board (due Wednesday 4/12 by 11:59 p.m.) Week 12 discussion board responses (respond to at least 2 classmates, due Friday 4/14 by 5:00 p.m.) Media Analysis Assignment (due Friday 4/14 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
<p>April 17th-21st</p> <p>WEEK 13</p>	<p>Reading: Chapter 17: Politics and Government</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Week 13 discussion board (due Wednesday 4/19 by 11:59 p.m.) Week 13 discussion board responses (respond to at least 2 classmates, due Friday 4/21 by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Quiz: Chapters 16, 17 (due Friday 4/21 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
<p>April 24th-28th</p> <p>WEEK 14</p>	<p>Reading: Chapter 18: Families Chapter 20: Education</p> <p>Participation and Assignments: Week 14 discussion board (due Wednesday 4/26 by 11:59 p.m.) Week 14 discussion board responses (respond to at least 2 classmates, due Friday 4/28 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
<p>May 1st-5th</p> <p>WEEK 15</p>	<p>Participation and Assignments: Course Evaluation (due Friday 5/5 by 5:00 p.m.) Social Institutions Assignment (due Friday 5/5 by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Quiz: Chapters 18, 20 (due Friday 5/5 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>
<p>May 8th-11th</p> <p>Note Thursday due dates this week !</p> <p>WEEK 16</p>	<p>Response Piece 4 (due THURSDAY 5/11 by 5:00 p.m.)</p> <p>Unit 3 Exam: Chapters 16-18 and 20 (due THURSDAY 5/11 by 5:00 p.m.)</p>