

Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences

Bachelor of Social Sciences

Major Subjects for the BSocSc:

ANTH	Anthropology	IR & HRM	POLS	Public Policy
ECON	Economics	LBST	SOCP	Social Policy
PCSS	Education Studies	LING	SOCY	Sociology
ENVP	Environmental Planning Ethics	MPDV	TIKA	Tikanga Māori
GEOG	Geography	PHIL	TOST	Tourism Studies
HIST	History	POLS	WGST	Women's & Gender Studies
HDCO	Human Development	POPS		
		PSYC		

Specialisations:

IRSS	International Relations and Security Studies
PSYC	Psychology & Management

The following subjects can only be taken as a Supporting Subject:

ESLA	English as a Second Language Pacific Studies
SSRP	Social Science Research

Guidelines:

- The BSocSc degree consists of 360 points of which at least 240 points must be above 100 level and 80 points above 200 level.
- The Social Sciences major subject consists of at least 120 points above 100 level and at least 60 points above 200 level. The 120 points for the major must include any compulsory papers for that major.
- The supporting subject consists of a minimum of 70 points in that subject including at least 40 points above 100 level. A second major fulfils the requirement of a supporting subject.
- Students may take up to 80 points from outside the BSocSc subjects listed above. In a double major, if the second major is in a subject not listed, up to 120 points may be taken to fulfil the major requirement. All 'elective papers' must be in Social Sciences subjects.
- The BSocSc must include at least 35 points from the methodology papers listed below:

ECON204	Quantitative Methods for Economics and Finance
ENVP207	Spatial Analysis
GEOG228	Information Technology and Cartography
GEOG301	Research in Geography, Tourism and Environmental Planning
HIST206	History in Practice: Historical Methods and Research
LBST202	Labour Market Structures and Policies
LING231	General Linguistics
PHIL103	Critical Reasoning
PHIL208	Understanding Science: How and Why It Works
POLS100	Playing Politics: Conflict, Cooperation and Choice
PSYC208	Psychological Research: Analysis, Design and Measurement
PSYC307	Research Methods
SOCP303	Analysis of Social Policy Issues (10 points)
SSRP202	The Practice of Social Science Research
SSRP301	Social Science Research in Practice: Sharing the Experience
SSRP304	Qualitative Methods in Social Science Research
SSRP307	Techniques for Social Science Research: Quantitative Analysis (10 points)