

Learning Goals and Scales
2015-2016

Rigorous Learning Goal/Scale

Course:	Sociology Accelerated and Honors UNIT: <i>Introduction to Sociology</i>
Score 4 Additional Success with the complex content and concepts—inferences, novel applications	In addition to score 3.0 performance, the student demonstrates in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond what was taught. <i>Students will make an inference beyond what was explicitly taught. Students apply learned content</i> Student makes no major errors or omissions regarding the score 4 content
Score 3 Mastery of complex content and concepts of learning goal	TARGET LEARNING GOAL: The student will be able to explain what sociology is and differentiate the discipline from the other social sciences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analyze the key concepts within sociology that make it unique from the other social sciences • Evaluate the effectiveness of using sociology to examine various issues within society • Compare and contrast sociology to other social sciences Student makes no major errors or omissions regarding the score 3 content
Score 2 Success with simpler content—vocabulary, foundational skills	The student will recognize or recall specific vocabulary or basic content, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Define key terms (social sciences, sociology, social phenomena, sociological imagination, sociological perspective, global perspective, marginality, social crisis etc...) • Identify the social sciences (anthropology, political science, psychology, economics, history, criminology, etc...) The student will perform basic skills or process, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recall main ideas and concepts • Summarize what sociology is, as well as the other social sciences • Express basic skills through writing, discussion, debate, etc... Student makes no major errors or omissions regarding the score 2 content
Score 1 Partial success with help	With help, student achieves partial success at score 2 content and/or score 3 content
Score 0 No success even with help	Even with help, no success