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The Program

Champlain College Saint-Lambert's Social Science program is considered the best Social Science program in the Cegep network for several reasons:

Our Teachers are Dedicated

The Social Science teachers regularly work together and with students to find new ways to keep the Social Science program truly alive and to ensure that you are well prepared for university.

The Learning is Dynamic

In addition to traditional class lectures, teachers use a wide variety of teaching methods to keep classes interesting and dynamic. Multimedia, computer simulations, sources from current events and the news, and debating are all part of teaching and learning at Champlain College Saint-Lambert.

It is Well Structured and Organized

Teaching in our Social Science program is structured to ensure that courses complement each other. This coherence assures that what you are learning is both practical and purposeful while preparing you for university studies.

Social Science is the study of human behaviour and social phenomena through the use of a wide variety of both qualitative and quantitative methods. Social Science involves many bodies of knowledge including administration, anthropology, economics, geography, history, political science, psychology and sociology. Through a variety of courses, students will have the opportunity to study human interactions with other individuals, groups, institutions, cultures and societies using the tools and methods of a social scientist.

In this program, you will learn to:

- communicate ideas clearly in written and oral formats
- work effectively as a member of a group
- use strategies that allow you to reach your short and long-term goals
- use appropriate information-processing technologies
- further develop good physical, emotional and intellectual health

At Champlain College Saint-Lambert, Mathematics is available to students who want to meet certain university program entrance requirements.

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Semester Breakdown

Semester 1

- English
- French
- Physical Education
- Western Civilization
- Introduction to Psychology
- Introduction to Anthropology
- Introduction to Sociology

Semester 2

- English
- Humanities
- Complementary
(a computer course is recommended)
- Child & Adolescent Psychology
- Macroeconomics
- Sociology of Education
- Quantitative Methods

Semester 3

- English
- Humanities
- French
- Complementary
- Physical Education
- Introduction to Methodology
- Myth of Race & Reality of Racism
- Level I Concentration Course

Semester 4

- English
- Humanities
- Physical Education
- Integration Seminar in the Social Sciences
- Level II Concentration Course
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You can choose your Level I and Level II Concentration Courses from:

- Anthropology
- Economics
- Geography
- History
- Human Biology (to meet university entrance requirements)
- Mathematics (to meet university entrance requirements)
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Sociology

Education option at Champlain

The Education Option is designed for anyone considering a career in teaching or other fields related to education. The aim of this option is to give you a firm grounding in several social science disciplines relevant to education, specifically Anthropology, Psychology and Sociology.

The Education Option will offer you many different ways of looking at education. It will give you a behind the scenes look at schools, teaching and related current concerns. You will examine education broadly to see how it fits with the rest of society and its connection with the labour force. You will look at schools from the perspective of the classroom and student teacher interaction. You will gain an understanding of students' psychological development. You will study various social problems such as racism and sexism to see how they have an impact on students, schools and the society and what solutions are feasible.

The Education Option will give you a greater awareness of a place and process that you have been engaged in for, at this point, most of your life. This social science foundation will also give you a formidable background from which to pursue your teaching training courses at university. You'll get a preview of what learning to become a teacher may entail which may also help you solidify or modify your goals.

While the Education Option focuses on schooling it also provides an excellent preparation for any Arts program at university. The social science perspectives and analytical and writing skills you acquire will be profitable whatever path you choose.

Une petite explication de l'option « Education »

L'option « Education » du programme pré-universitaire de Sciences humaines est conçue pour les étudiants qui souhaitent poursuivre leurs études dans le domaine de l'éducation. Les cours obligatoires de psychologie, sociologie et anthropologie offrent une excellente base de connaissances pour atteindre ce but. L'étudiant choisi quatre autres cours de concentration à l'intérieur de diverses disciplines en sciences humaines (géographie, science politique, administration, biologie humaine, mathématiques). Quoique l'option prépare pour la possibilité de continuer des études dans le domaine de l'éducation, les diplômés quittent notre

cégep avec les compétences nécessaires pour poursuivre leurs études dans tout programme de sciences humaines. À partir du premier trimestre, nos conseillers pédagogiques sont disponibles pour discuter des préalables universitaires et de la cote de rendement (cote R).

Where social science at Champlain can take you

You should apply for the Social Science program if you want to pursue a career in one of the following areas:

- Administration
- Anthropology
- Civil Service
- Commerce
- Communications
- Computer Science (certain areas)
- Decisional Sciences
- Economics
- Education (including Physical Education)
- English
- Finance
- Geography
- Foreign Affairs
- History
- Industrial Resources
- Journalism
- Law
- Library Studies
- Management Information Systems
- Marketing
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Public Affairs
- Religion
- Social Work
- Sociology
- Specialized Writing (Economics, History, Politics)

Minimum Admission Requirements

In order to be admitted to a program leading to a Diploma of College Studies (DEC), candidates must possess a Secondary School Diploma or have completed a level of education that is deemed equivalent by the College. For detailed admissions requirements please refer to the Admissions Handbook.

Students who have not completed Math 514 will be scheduled for supplementary tutorials in mathematics during their first year at the College. They may also be required to register in sections of 360-101-LA Quantitative Methods reserved for them. These requirements do not apply to students who have successfully completed Math 514, Math 426 or Math 436.

Admission Priorities

Even if candidates to programs meet the requirements of the Règlement sur le régime des études collégiales, they may be refused admission because of the lack of places.

Application Deadline

- March 1st for the Fall Semester.

Information and Applications

Web Site: www.ChamplainOnLine.com

or

Contact your high school guidance counselor or our Admissions Office.

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