

Social Science Department Attendance Policy

Attendance is an important component of academic success. Regular attendance in classes allows students to actively engage with course material, participate in discussions, and stay up to date with assignments and exams. Social Science Department instructors will keep thorough attendance records and submit them to the department at the end of each term. The use of attendance in the grading system is based on the pedagogical needs and design of each course. On their class syllabi, instructors will: 1) include the department's attendance policy and 2) clearly describe their attendance and participation requirements and how they figure into the grading system for the class.