

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY
COURSE SYLLABUS

Course Details						
Code	SOZ 023			Academic Year		Semester
Title	Sociology of Youth			T	A	L
				3	0	6
Language	Turkish					
Level	Undergraduate	X	Graduate		Postgraduate	
Department / Program	Sociology					
Forms of Teaching and Learning	Face to Face					
Course Type	Compulsory		Elective		X	
Objectives	The aim of the course is to introduce students both to the concept of “youth” and to theories and research on youth cultures. Thus, students learn to critically evaluate sociological theories and sociological findings with the help of a familiar subject.					
Content	The course examines the concept of youth, theories and research on youth cultures.					
Prerequisites	-					
Coordinator	-					
Lecturer(s)	-					
Assistant(s)	-					
Work Placement	None					
Recommended or Required Reading						
Books / Lecture Notes	Hebdige, D., <i>Gençlik ve Altkültürleri</i> , çev. Esen Tarım, İletişim, 1988. Lüküslü, Demet, <i>Türkiye’de Gençlik Miti: 1980 Sonrası Türkiye Gençliği</i> , İletişim, 2020.					
Other Sources	J. Wyn, H. Cahill, H. Cuervo, <i>Handbook of Children and Youth Studies</i> , Springer Singapore, 2024					
Additional Course Material						
Documents	-					
Assignments	-					
Exams	-					
Course Composition						
Mathematics und Basic Sciences					%	
Engineering					%	
Engineering Design					%	
Social Sciences					%100	
Educational Sciences					%	
Natural Sciences					%	
Health Sciences					%	

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Expert Knowledge		%
Assessment		
Activity	Count	Percentage (%)
Midterm Exam	1	40
Quiz		
Assignments	2	10
Attendance		
Recitations		
Projects	1	10
Final Exam	1	40
Total	5	100

ECTS Points and Work Load			
Activity	Count	Duration	Work Load (Hours)
Lectures	13	3	39
Self-Study	10	9	90
Assignments	2	9	18
Presentation / Seminar Preparation	1	9	9
Midterm Exam	1	3	3
Recitations			
Laboratory			
Projects			
Final Exam	1	3	3
Total Work Load			162
ECTS Points (Total Work Load / Hours)			6

Learning Outcomes	
01	Students can explain the history of the concept of youth and the perspectives on youth developed by different schools of thought in Sociology.
02	Students can evaluate the studies on youth in Turkey.
03	Students can problematise the phenomenon of youth in thinking in the view of different problems.
04	Students can analyze youth culture with an interdisciplinary approach and by considering the historical context.

Weekly Content	
1	Introduction
2	The concept of "youth"
3	The concept of "generation"
4	Youth in different historical and geographical contexts
5	The birth of youth culture after WWII

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6	'68 Movement
7	Midterm
8	Youth and the new media
9	Sociology of gender and the youth
10	Everyday life sociology and the youth
11	Theories of Individualization and the youth
12	Youth and education in Turkey
13	Sociology of youth in Turkey
14	Review
15	Final

Contribution of Learning Outcomes to Program Objectives (1-5)

	P1	P2	P3	P4	P5	P6	P7	P8	P9	P10	P11	P12
1	5				5	5						
2	5		4		5	5		4		3		
3	5		4		5		4	4		5	3	1
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Contribution Level 1: Low 2: Low-intermediate 3: Intermediate 4: High 5: Very High

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