

## Liverpool John Moores University

Title: Sociology Work Placement 2  
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Owning School/Faculty: Humanities and Social Science  
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**Academic Level:** FHEQ6      **Credit Value:** 20      **Total Delivered Hours:** 44  
**Total Learning Hours:** 200      **Private Study:** 156

### Delivery Options

Course typically offered: Semester 2

Component	Contact Hours
Placement	36
Tutorial	4
Workshop	4

**Grading Basis:** 40 %

### Assessment Details

Category	Short Description	Description	Weighting (%)	Exam Duration
Presentation	AS1	In Class Placement Presentation	30	
Portfolio	AS2	3500 word Portfolio	70	

### Aims

*This module aims to enable students to develop, apply and analyse the knowledge, skills and attitudes necessary to effectively and successfully undertake a Sociology related work placement.*

## Learning Outcomes

After completing the module the student should be able to:

- 1 Apply relevant skills and abilities to the work placement and critically evaluate the achievement of agreed workplace objectives.
- 2 Critically evaluate skills and abilities as these relate to the world of work.
- 3 Critically situate their work placement experience within a broader sociological context.

## Learning Outcomes of Assessments

The assessment item list is assessed via the learning outcomes listed:

In Class Placement	1	
Presentatin		
3500 Words Portfolio	2	3

## Outline Syllabus

*Students will be expected to undertake a Sociology related work placement with a local employer/organization and effectively progress the work placement objectives agreed in association with the workplace provider and their academic supervisor. The module is supported by workshops and individual supervision to enable the student to develop and enhance their work based knowledge, skills and abilities and to contextualize their work placement relative to the world of work and the broader context of Sociology.*

## Learning Activities

Students will be expected to independently manage their work placements and to progress their attainment of agreed workplace objectives with support from their academic supervisor and a link worker in their placement provider. This will include undertaking regular hours at their work placement, ongoing communication and negotiation with their work placement provider; workshops and supervision.

## Notes

This module provides students about to embark on their working lives with the opportunity to undertake a self-directed work placement relevant to the study of Sociology. The aim is that students will be able to identify, assess and reflect upon how their skills and abilities transfer from their academic studies to the world of work and how these skills and abilities have been enhanced via their work placement. The module also offers students opportunities to reflect on the links between their work placement experience and their programme of study.