## **Chapter 4 Student Worksheet**

SociologicalYOU **Chapter 4** addresses the topic of socialization and the nature versus nurture debate. This chapter consists of the following modules:

| **Module 1: Sociological Perspective —** Understanding Your “Self” Through Sociological Perspective |
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| **Module 2: Social Structures —** The Structural Foundation of Society: Agents of Socialization |
| **Module 3: Social Problems —** When Socialization Goes Wrong |
| **Module 4: Sociological Imagination —** Applying the Sociological Imagination to the Stages of Life |
| **Module 5: Social Change —** The Process of Becoming You |

Before coming to class, complete the **Student Responsibilities** for **Chapter 4**. The objective of this worksheet is to ensure that you are prepared to actively engage and participate in class. Please contact me if you have any questions or issues before the assignment due dates.

### Student Responsibilities

* Read **Chapter 4** and complete the embedded quiz in the chapter to earn the digital **Chapter 4 Completion Certificate**.
* Upload your **Chapter 4 Completion Certificate** to the assignment submission folder.
* Listen to the **Chapter 4 PowerPoint Audio Lecture** located within **SociologicalYOU** Student Resources.
* Complete and upload this **Chapter 4 Student Worksheet** to the assignment submission folder.

### Points to Ponder

Complete the following questions by clicking beneath it and typing your response. Use complete sentences and correct grammar and punctuation.

* Which side of the nature versus nurture debate do I fall on, or am I in the middle?
* How was I, and how am I currently being molded and shaped by society?
* What is meant by the phrase, “We are all actors on the stage of life?”

### Audience Response Questions

Reflect on the chapter reading and consider how you would answer these questions during class discussion. Select the appropriate box to indicate your answer.

**Questions:**

**Socialization**

1. Consider your social development. Overall, which one of the following had the most influence on you?
   * Religion
   * Family
   * Peers
   * Media
2. Overall, which one of the following has the most influence on American society?
   * Religion
   * Family
   * Peers
   * Media

**Media Consumption**

1. In your opinion, how much media consumption is appropriate for a child under ten?
   * 0 hours a day
   * 1 - 2 hours a day
   * 3 - 4 hours a day
   * 5 + hours a day
2. In your opinion, who is mostresponsible for what a child sees in the media?
   * The parents
   * The government
   * Media outlets
   * Children themselves