

# SOCIAL WORK, B.S.

## About the Program:

The social work program prepares students for generalist social work practice. Consistent with accreditation standards, the social work courses cover the following areas: human behavior and the social environment, social welfare policy and services, intervention methods, research, values and ethics, diversity, social and economic justice, populations at risk, and field practicum.

Council on Social Work Education Accredited

## Admission Requirements:

Social Work is an upper-division major that builds on a liberal arts base. Academic evaluation includes GPA, class performance, and ethical and professional conduct. Interested students should contact the department for specific information on these academic standards.

Prior to admission to the Social Work program, students are required to:

1. Complete 45 academic credit hours. Significant progress toward completing the Intellectual Foundations requirements is also required.
2. Attain a minimum GPA of 2.5 (cumulative)
3. Successfully complete:
  - CWP 101/102 with a C or better
  - BIO 101 - Human Biology
  - PSY 101 - Introduction to Psychology (or comparable course)
  - SOC 100 - Introduction to Sociology (or comparable course)

## Program Requirements:

Intellectual Foundations Requirements 33-39 cr

Total Required Credit Hours in Social Work 51 cr (Students must maintain a 2.5 GPA)

SWK 220 Introduction to Social Work  
SWK 301 Poverty and Public Policy  
SWK 307 Human Behavior and the Social Environment I  
SWK 308 Human Behavior and the Social Environment II  
SWK 317 Research Methods in Social Work  
SWK 320 Social Services Organizations  
SWK 419 Social Welfare Policy  
SWK 422 Assessment and Engagement  
SWK 423 Intervention Methods  
SWK 424 Groups  
SWK 429 Policy Practice  
SWK 496 Integrative Seminar I  
SWK 497 Integrative Seminar II  
SWK 493 Field Practicum I (6 crs.)\*  
SWK 494 Field Practicum II (6 crs.)\*

Evening courses are available.

\*Evening and weekend field instruction is not available.

The Social Work program is designed to begin in the fall semester. The program may accept a student in the spring semester. During that semester, the student prepares for the Social Work major fall start by completing college required or social work major prerequisite courses.

All College Electives 30-36 cr

Total Required Credit Hours 120 cr