

2026 Academic Planning Form: SOCIAL WORK B.A.

As of 5/20/2022

1st course(s) recommended for Social Work - SWK 101

	Fall Semester	# of Credits	Spring Semester	# of Credits	Total Year Credits
1st Year	DWC 101 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credit hrs)	4	DWC 102 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credits hrs)	4	
	SWK 101 Human Needs & Social Responses (Social Science Core)	3	SWK 253 Human Behavior Lifespan (Social Science Core)	3	
	Core/Elective	3	BIO 122 Human Biology (Natural Science Core)	3	
	Core/Elective	3	Theology I	3	
			Core/Elective	3	
		13		16	
2nd Year	DWC 201 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credit hrs)	4	DWC 202 (4 credit hrs; Honors 5 credits hrs)	4	
	SWK 220 Diversity & Culture in Social Wk. (Diversity Proficiency)	3	SWK 254 Behavior in Social Systems (Social Science Core)	3	
	Theology II	3	Core/Elective	3	
	Fine Arts	3	Core/Elective	3	
	Core/Elective	3	Core/Elective	3	
		16		16	
3rd Year	SWK 360 Social Policy	3	SWK 366 Comm. & Political Practice (Civic Engagement Proficiency)	3	
	SWK 365 Prac. With Indivs. Fam & Groups	3	SWK 370 Soc. Work Practicum & Seminar I	4	
	Ethics/Philosophy Core	3	SWK 368 Research (Quantitative Reasoning Core)	3	
	Core/Elective	3	Core/Elective	3	
	Core/Elective	3	Core/Elective	3	
		15		16	
4th Year	SWK 488 Theory/Prac. Capstone	3	SWK 489 Theory/Prac. Capstone II (The combination of SWK 488 & 489 fulfills Intensive Writing II & Oral Communication Proficiency)	3	
	SWK 450 Soc. Work. Practicum & Seminar II	6	SWK 451 Soc. Work Practicum & Seminar III	6	
	SWK 468 Research Design & Stat. Analysis (Elective)	3	Core/Elective	3	
	Core/Elective	3	Core/Elective	3	
		15		15	
Graduation Requirement includes a minimum of 120 credit hours			Total Program of Study Credits		122

****Currently, SWK Majors fulfill the Natural Science (unless the student needs a physics-based course), Social Science, and Quantitative Reasoning Cores; and the Intensive Writing II, Oral Communication, Diversity and Civic Engagement Proficiencies.**

Core requirements include a foundational component and satisfaction of all proficiencies.

Foundational Component:	Proficiencies:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DWC - 4 semester sequence, 16-20 cr. Theology (200 & 300 level) - 6 cr. Philosophy (1 Ethics) - 6 cr. Natural Science - 3 cr. (BIO 122) Social Science - 3 cr. (SWK 101, 253, 254) Quantitative Reasoning - 3 cr. (SWK 368) Fine Arts - 3 cr. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intensive Writing - I Intensive Writing - II (SWK 488 & 489) Diversity (SWK 220) Civic Engagement (SWK 366) Oral Proficiency (SWK 488 & 489)

Major Requirements (SWK Courses):

- SWK 101, 220, 253, 254, 360, 365, 366, 368, 370, 450, 451, 488, 489
- BIO 122
- Note: SWK 101, 220, 253, and 254 should be fulfilled before Junior year.