

B.A. in Social Work

Program Admissions Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Completion of a minimum of 55 credit hours with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.50 at the time of application.		
Completion of or current enrollment in the following courses:		
Choose one of the following:		3-4
ANTH 2230 & 2230L	Biological Anthropology and Biological Anthropology Lab (Partially Fulfills Objective 5)	
OR		
BIOL 1100	Concepts of Biology (Partially Fulfills Objective 5)	
OR		
BIOL 1101 & 1101L	Biology I and Biology I Lab (Partially Fulfills Objective 5)	
ENGL 1102	Writing and Rhetoric II (Partially Fulfills Objective 1)	3
or HONS 1101	Honors Humanities I	
PSYC 1101	Introduction to Psychology (Partially Fulfills Objective 6)	3
SOC 1101	Introduction to Sociology (Partially Fulfills Objective 6)	3
SOC 2248	Critical Analysis of Social Diversity (Fulfills Objective 7)	3
SOWK 1101	Introduction to Social Work and Social Welfare (Partially Fulfills Objective 6)	3
Each of the required courses for admission to the B.A. in Social Work program must be passed with a minimum grade of "C-". Admission to the program while any of the above courses are in progress is conditional on satisfying this requirement. Applications for admission to the program are accepted during Spring semesters. Please see the B.A. in Social Work Student Handbook for application deadlines and details on how to submit the required application materials.		
Total Credits		18-19

General Education

The listing below includes program requirements that also fulfill General Education requirements.

Code	Title	Credits
Objective 1 - ENGL 1102 or HONS 1101		6
Objective 2		3
Objective 3		3
Objective 4		6
Objective 5 - ANTH 2230/ANTH 2230L recommended OR BIOL 1100 OR BIOL 1101/BIOL 1101L		7
Objective 6 - SOC 1101, PSYC 1101, SOWK 1101		6
Students must fulfill Objective 7 or Objective 8		3
Objective 7 - SOC 2248		
Objective 8		

Objective 9	3
Total Credits	37

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
SOWK 3374	Human Behavior and the Social Environment	3
SOC 2201	Introduction to Gender and Sexuality Studies (Fulfills Objective 9)	3
or SOC 4462	Power, Class, and Prestige	
ENGL 3307	Professional and Technical Writing	3
or ENGL 3308	Business Communications	
PSYC 3301	Psychopathology	3
SOC/SOWK 3308	Sociological Methods and Social Work Research	3-4
or PSYC 3303	Psychology Research Methods	
SOC 3309	Social Statistics	3
or PSYC 2227	Basic Statistics	
SOWK 3372	Practice Interventions with Individuals and Families	3
SOWK 3373	Practice Interventions with Groups	3
SOWK 3375	Application of Contemporary Social Work Theory	3
SOWK 3379	Social Work in a Diverse World	3
SOWK 4471	Social Justice, Advocacy, and Policy Practice	3
SOWK 4473	Social Work Practicum	9
SOWK 4474	Social Work Seminar	3
SOWK 4494	Practice Interventions with Organizations and Communities	3
SOWK 4498	Social Work Capstone	3
Choose 3 credits of upper division SOC, SOWK, or PSYC.		3
Each required and elective major course must be passed with a minimum grade of "C-."		
Total Credits		54-55

Degree Totals

Code	Title	Credits
Program Admission Requirements (w/o General Education)		3
General Education		37
Major Requirements (w/o General Education)		51-52
Upper Division Free Electives		0
Free Electives		28-29
Total Credits		120

Recommended Certificate

The B.A. in Social Work Program recommends that students also complete the Certificate in Forensic Sciences, the coursework for which overlaps substantially with the above major requirements.

ISU Degree Requirements (<http://coursecat.isu.edu/undergraduate/degerequirements/>)

ISU General Education (<http://coursecat.isu.edu/undergraduate/academicinformation/generaleducation/>)

Major Academic Plan (MAP) (<https://www.isu.edu/advising/maps/>)