

Social Work, B.S.W.

The UVU Behavioral Science Department offers classes that fulfill the social science distribution requirements for graduation, the Behavioral Science pre-major for the associate degree, the Behavioral Science major for the bachelor degree (with an emphasis in Anthropology, Family Studies, Psychology, or Sociology, a Bachelor of Social Work, and a Certificate of Proficiency in Substance Use Disorder Counseling (SUDC).

Matriculation Requirements

Admission to the BSW program includes the following requirements:

1. Completion of all general education courses.
2. Completion of SW 1010 Introduction to Social Work with a B- grade or higher.
3. Completion of ENGL 1010 Introduction to Academic Writing CC or ENGH 1005 Literacies and Composition Across Contexts CC and ENGL 2010 Intermediate Academic Writing CC with a C+ grade or higher.
4. Overall GPA of 2.5 or higher.
5. Approval of the Social Work Admissions Committee.

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Total Credit Hours		120
General Education Requirements		35 Credits
ENGL 1010 or ENGH 1005	Introduction to Academic Writing CC Literacies and Composition Across Contexts CC	3
ENGL 2010	Intermediate Academic Writing CC	3
Complete One of the Following		3
MAT 1030	Quantitative Reasoning QL (3)	
MAT 1035	Quantitative Reasoning with Integrated Algebra QL (6)	
STAT 1040	Introduction to Statistics QL (undefined)	
STAT 1045	Introduction to Statistics with Algebra QL (5)	
MATH 1050	College Algebra QL (4)	
MATH 1055	College Algebra with Preliminaries QL (5)	
MATH 1090	College Algebra for Business QL (3)	
Complete one of the following:		3
POLS 1000	American Heritage AS (3)	
POLS 1100	American National Government AS (3)	
HIST 1700	American Civilization AS (3)	
HIST 1740	US Economic History AS (3)	
HIST 2700 & HIST 2710	US History to 1877 AS and US History since 1877 AS (6)	
PHIL 2050	Ethics and Values IH	3
HLTH 1100 or EXSC 1097	Personal Health and Wellness TE Fitness for Life TE	2
Distribution Courses:		
Biology		3
Physical Science		3
Additional Biology or Physical Science		3
Humanities		3
Fine Arts		3
PSY 1010	General Psychology SS (Social/Behavioral Sciences)	3
Discipline Core Requirements		64 Credits
Social Work Core - Complete the following courses:		
PSY 3110	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	4

SW 3860	Interviewing Skills	3
SW 1010	Introduction to Social Work	3
SW 2100	Human Behavior and the Social Environment I ¹	3
SW 3000	Social Work Practice I ¹	3
SW 3100	Social Work Practice II ¹	3
SW 3200	Social Work Practice III ¹	3
SW 3400	Human Behavior and the Social Environment II ¹	3
SW 3500	Social Welfare Policies and Services ¹	3
SW 3600	Ethics and Values in Social Work Practice ¹	3
SW 371G	Diversity Issues in Social Work Practice GI ¹	3
SW 4800	Integrated Seminar I ¹	1
SW 481R	Field Placement ¹	5
SW 481R	Field Placement ¹	5
SW 4850	Integrated Seminar II ¹	1
Complete One of the Following		3
FAMS 3020	Research Methods for Family Science WE (3)	
PSY 3030	Research Methods for Psychology WE (4)	
SOC 3030	Social Research Methods WE (3)	
Social Work Electives - Complete 15 credits of approved social work electives. Choose from the following courses:		15
PSY 2300	Abnormal Psychology (undefined)	
SOC 4020	Survey Research Design (3)	
SW 3510	Global Social Work (3)	
SW 3750	Child Abuse Neglect and Domestic Violence (3)	
SW 4500	Crisis Intervention (3)	
SW 4700	Case Management in Social Work Practice (3)	
SW 475R	Current Topics in Social Work (3)	
SW 489R	Advanced Research in Social Work (1-3)	
SW 490R	Independent Studies (1)	
Elective Requirements		21
Complete 21 additional credits of any courses 1000 to 4000 level.		21

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Students must be formally admitted into the BSW program before they can register for this course.

Graduation Requirements

1. Completion of a minimum of 120 semester credits, 40 of which must be upper division.
2. Overall grade point average of 2.5 or above.
3. Residency hours -- minimum of 30 credit hours through course attendance at UVU, with at least 10 credit hours earned in the last 45 credit hours.
4. Complete PSY 3110 and BESC 3020 with a grade of C- or higher. All other BSW Social Work Core requirements must be completed with a grade of B- or higher.
5. All 15 credits of Social Work electives must be completed with a C- grade or higher.
6. Successful completion of at least one Global/Intercultural course.
7. Successful completion of at least two Writing Enriched courses.

Note: Please see department advisor to make an academic plan and for an explanation of all admission and program requirements.

Graduation Plan

This graduation plan is a sample plan and is intended to be a guide. Your specific plan may differ based on your Math and English placement and/or transfer credits applied. You are encouraged to meet with an advisor and set up an individualized graduation plan in Wolverine Track (<http://www.uvu.edu/wolverinetrack/>).

First Year

Semester 1		Credit Hours
ENGL 1010 or ENGH 1005	Introduction to Academic Writing CC or Literacies and Composition Across Contexts CC	3
PSY 1010	General Psychology SS	3
Quantitative Literacy		3
American Institutions		3
Elective		3
Credit Hours		15

Semester 2		
ENGL 2010	Intermediate Academic Writing CC	3
SW 1010	Introduction to Social Work	3
Humanities		3
Biological Science		3
Elective		3
Credit Hours		15

Second Year

Semester 3		
PHIL 2050	Ethics and Values IH	3
Physical Science		3
Fine Arts		3
Elective		3
Elective		3
Credit Hours		15

Semester 4		
Third Science		3
HLTH 1100 or EXSC 1097	Personal Health and Wellness TE or Fitness for Life TE	2
Elective		3
Elective		3
Elective		3
Credit Hours		14

Third Year

Semester 5		
PSY 3110	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	4
SW 3860	Interviewing Skills	3
SW 2100	Human Behavior and the Social Environment I	3
SW 3600	Ethics and Values in Social Work Practice	3
SW Elective		3
Credit Hours		16

Semester 6		
Complete one of the following:		3
FAMS 3020	Research Methods for Family Science WE	
PSY 3030	Research Methods for Psychology WE	
SOC 3030	Social Research Methods WE	
SW 3000	Social Work Practice I	3
SW 3400	Human Behavior and the Social Environment II	3
SW 371G	Diversity Issues in Social Work Practice GI	3
SW 3500	Social Welfare Policies and Services	3
Credit Hours		15

Fourth Year

Semester 7		
SW 3100	Social Work Practice II	3
SW 4800	Integrated Seminar I	1
SW 481R	Field Placement	5
SW Elective		3
SW Elective		3
Credit Hours		15

Semester 8		
SW 3200	Social Work Practice III	3
SW 4850	Integrated Seminar II	1
SW 481R	Field Placement	5

SW Elective	3
SW Elective	3
Credit Hours	15
Total Credit Hours	120

Program Learning Outcomes

1. Demonstrate ethical and professional behavior.
2. Engage diversity and difference in practice to advance human rights and social, economic, and environmental justice.
3. Engage in practice-informed research and research-informed practice.
4. Engage in policy practice engage with individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities.
5. Assess individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities.
6. Intervene with individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities.
7. Evaluate practice with individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities.