

Tidewater Community College & West Virginia University

Associate of Science Degree in Social Science with a Major in Social Work A.S. leading to

Bachelor of Social Work B.S.W.

Suggested Plan of Study



Tidewater Community College	Hours	WVU Equivalents	Hours
Year One, 1st Semester			
HMS 100	3	SOWK 151 (EDG 3; Required)	3
SDV 100	1	WVUE 191	1
PSY 200	3	PSYC 101	3
ENG 111	3	ENGL 101 (Required)	3
SOC 200	3	SOC 101	3
CST 110	3	COMM 270 & COMM 270S	3
TOTAL	16		16
Year One, 2nd Semester			
MTH 154	3	MATH 121	3
BIO 101	4	BIOL 115 & BIOL 115L	4
ENG 112	3	ENGL 102 (Required)	3
PHI 220	3	PHIL 120	3
History Elective	3	Elective	3
TOTAL	16		16
WVU Online		SOWK 147 (Required)	3
Year Two, 1st Semester			
SOC 266	3	SOC 235 (Minority Content Course)	3
SOC 211	3	ANTH 254 (SOC/ANTH/CRIM 200-Level Course)	3
BIO 102	4	BIOL 117 & BIOL 117L	4
Humanities Elective	3	Elective	3
TOTAL	13		13
Year Two, 2nd Semester			
PSY 215	3	PSYC 281 (Additional class in POLS, PSYC, SOC, CRIM, ANTH, COMM or ECON 200 level or above)	3
PSY 230	3	PSYC 241 (PSYC 200-Level Course)	3
CSC 110	3	CS 101	3
ECO 150	3	ECON 200	3
PLS 135	3	POLS 102 (Government Course; Required)	3
TOTAL	15		15

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Year Three, 1 st Semester		Year Three, 2 nd Semester	
SOWK 300	3	SOWK 310	3
SOWK 320 (EDG 2)	3	SOWK 322	3
SOWK 330	3	SOWK 360	3
EDG 1: Data and Society	3	SOWK Practice Elective ⁽¹⁾	3
EDG 4: Global and Regional Perspectives	3	Family Course	3
TOTAL	15	TOTAL	15
Year Four, 1 st Semester		Year Four, 2 nd Semester	
SOWK 324	3	SOWK 491 (Professional Field Experience; EDG 6)	6
SOWK 345	3	SOWK 481 (Capstone)	3
SOWK 491 (Professional Field Experience)	6	ARSC 380 (EDG 5)	3
SOWK Practice Elective ^(300/400-Level)	3	General Elective	3
TOTAL	15	TOTAL	15

For this agreement:

- ** Student will need to plan to take SOWK 147 online at WVU-Online to complete the course work.
- If the student wishes to matriculate into the online program, they can complete [this application](#) and then enroll in the online course with a 900-level section. Students should plan to complete this course during the summer between their first and second year.

Students will fulfill their EDG 3 requirements by completing HMS 100 (SOWK 151).

Transfer students, including 2+2 students, who wish to enter the social work major must contact the BSW Program prior to starting classes to schedule a program orientation session by emailing bsw@mail.wvu.edu.

Upper-division social work courses taken at other institutions do not automatically transfer to WVU and meet the program's requirements. To gain approval for these courses students must have earned a B- or higher in the course(s), have taken the course from a CSWE-accredited program, and must submit course syllabi and other appropriate course materials to the BSW Program Director at bsw@mail.wvu.edu. Courses that are not approved will count as electives. The lower-division social work courses taught on 2+2 campuses have received approval via the formal agreement with the program.

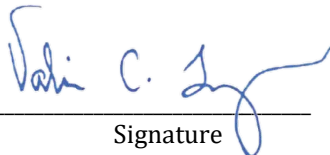
Students transferring to West Virginia University with an Associate of Arts, Associate of Science, or Associate of Applied Science degree will have satisfied the General Education Foundation requirements at WVU.

The above transfer articulation of credit between West Virginia University and Tidewater Community College, is approved by the Dean, or the Dean's designee, and effective the date of the signature.

Valérie Lastinger

Print Name

Valerie Lastinger Ph.D. Associate Dean for WVU's Eberly College of Arts & Sciences



Signature

03/20/2026

Date