

**Social Work**  
**4-Year Suggested Course Sequence (rev. FALL 2025)**  
**(FOREIGN LANGUAGE IN FIRST YEAR)**  
**FOR STUDENTS MATRICULATING FALL 2025 OR LATER**

*Please note that this is only a suggested course sequence. Circumstances may cause you to complete the program in a different sequence. However, you must adhere to requirements regarding prerequisites for admission into certain courses and the timing of when particular courses must be taken during your completion of the major. Also, please note that all courses are not offered every semester. Please read the University catalog for an explanation of major requirements and when specific courses are offered.*

Freshman - Fall			Freshman - Spring		
Course		Credits	Course		Credits
COM 119	Interpersonal Communication and Leadership Skills	3	COM 120	Public Speaking	3
SPA 131	Functional Elementary Spanish I	4	SPA 132	Functional Elementary Spanish II	4
SSC 100*	Introduction to the Social Sciences: A Caribbean Focus	3	SCI 100*	The Natural World: The Caribbean	3
FDS 100*	Freshman Development Seminar	1	MAT 235	Introductory Statistics with Applications	4
MAT 140	College Algebra with Applications	4			
PE**	Physical Education and Health	0.5	PLS 200**	Self-Management: Wellness and Risk	2
TOTAL		15-15.5	TOTAL		14-16
Sophomore - Fall			Sophomore - Spring		
Course		Credits	Course		Credits
PSY 120	General Psychology	3	PSY 240	Biopsychology	4
HIS 181	World Civilizations	3	HIS 182	World Civilizations	3
SWK 224	Introduction to Social Welfare	3	PHI 200	Critical Thinking	3
ENG 120	English Composition	3	ENG 201	Research and Applied Writing	3
SPA 231	Intermediate Spanish	4	SOC 121	Introduction to Sociology	3
PE**	Physical Education and Health	0.5	PE**	Physical Education and Health	0.5
TOTAL		16- 16.5	TOTAL		16-16.5
Junior - Fall			Junior - Spring		

Course		Credits	Course		Credits
SSC 327***	Quantitative Research Methods in the Social Sciences	4	SSC 328***	Quantitative Research Methods in the Social Sciences	4
SWK 325	Social Welfare as a Social Institution	3	SWK 331	Social Work Methods I	3
SWK334A	Human Behavior and the Social Environment	3	SWK334B	Human Behavior and the Social Environment	3
ECO 221	Introduction to Macro-Economics	3	SSC 3XX***	Methodology in Interdisciplinary Studies	3
ENG 261	World Literature I	3	ENG 262	World Literature II	3
PE**	Physical Education and Health	0.5			
TOTAL		16-16.5		TOTAL	16
Senior - Fall			Senior - Spring		
Course		Credits	Course		Credits
SSC 497***	Social Sciences Senior Seminar I	1	SSC 498***	Social Sciences Senior Seminar II	1
SWK 425****	Social Work Methods III	3	SWK 426****	Social Work Methods IV	3
SWK 427****	Field Instruction I and Field Seminar	6	SWK 428****	Field Instruction II and Field Seminar	6
XXX*****	Social Work Major Elective	3	SWK 430	Social Welfare: Policies, Programs, Issues	3
SCI XXX	Science with Laboratory	3 or 4	HUM 115	Introduction to Humanities	3
TOTAL		16-17		TOTAL	16

**NOTES:**

\* Requirements of the Freshman Year Program for all students matriculating into the university with less than 24 credits.

\*\*Students may take either PLS (2 credits) OR four semesters of PE. PE/PLS credits do not count towards the 120 credits needed to graduate. **PLEASE NOTE THAT PLS 200 MUST BE TAKEN IN SEMESTER SPECIFIED TO KEEP TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS BELOW 17.**

\*\*\*Must be taken in semester specified

\*\*\*\*SWK 425 and 427 must be taken concurrently. SWK 426 and SWK 428 must be taken concurrently.

\*\*\*\*\*Please see catalog for courses that satisfy elective course requirement for SWK Major.

IN RED: REQUIRED SWK COURSES AND ELECTIVE COURSES FOR SOCIAL WORK MAJOR

IN BLUE: OTHER SOCIAL SCIENCE COURSES REQUIRED FOR THE SOCIAL WORK MAJOR

IN GREEN: GEN ED REQUIREMENTS FOR SOCIAL WORK MAJORS

IN PURPLE: REQUIRED SCIENCE CLASS FOR SWK MAJORS; ALSO COUNTS TOWARDS GEN ED SCI REQUIREMENT.