

SOCIAL WORK, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (BS)

Recommended Four-Year Plan

Course	Title	Hours
First Year		
Fall		
SOWK 105	Human Diversity	3
INDP 201 or PSYC 105	Principles of Sociology or Introduction to Psychology	3
ENGL 102	Critical Writing	3
SUBJ 139	Foundations of Academic Discovery ¹	3
ESAP 101	FIRST Seminar *	1
Creative & Aesthetic Inquiry (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-program/)		3
Hours		16
Spring		
SOWK 251	Introduction to Social Work	3
ENGL 104	Critical Reading	3
MATH 117	Quantitative Reasoning	3
Select one of the following:		3
COMM 200	Civil Discourse: Theory & Practice	
PHIL 110	Ethics and Civil Discourse	
POLS 235	Civil Discourse and Democracy	
Humanities Inquiry (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-program/)		3
Hours		15
Second Year		
Fall		
SOWK 328	Human Behavior and the Social Environment	3
SOWK 318	Research Methods	3
SOWK 355	Social Work Practice with Individuals	3
SCI 101	Science of Life	3
Social Science Inquiry (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-program/)		3
Declare a Thematic Thread ²		
Hours		15
Spring		
SOWK 319	Statistical Methods	3
SOWK 356	Social work Practice with Groups & Families	3
SCI 102	Understanding the Physical World	3
Elective		3
Thematic Thread Requirement (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-program/)		3
Hours		15
Third Year		
Fall		
SOWK 340	Social Welfare Institutions	3
SOWK 357	Social Work Practice with Organizations and Communities	3

Thematic Thread OR Social Work Elective (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-program/)		3
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Rock Studies 2 Thread course OR Social Work Elective (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-program/)		3
Hours		15
Spring		
SOWK 407	Social Policy Issues	3
Social Work Elective		3
Thematic Thread Requirement (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-program/)		3
Elective		3
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Hours		15
Fourth Year		
Fall		
Thematic Thread OR Social Work Elective (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-program/)		3
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Elective		3
Elective		3
Hours		15
Spring		
SOWK 450	SOWK Internship (S or summer)	12
SOWK 460	Social Work Integrative Seminar (S or summer)	3
Hours		15
Total Hours**		121

¹ Course offered in multiple subjects; cannot take course in first major subject.

² Work with your Academic Adviser to declare a Thematic Thread by the end of your fall semester in your second year.

* Students are encouraged to take ESAP 101 as a Free Elective.

** This document is meant to serve as a guide. Some planners may show more than 120 credits because faculty have created flexibility in choosing courses. However, only 120 credits are required to obtain a degree. Please consult with your academic adviser and refer to your curriculum guide prior to registering for courses. This plan should be reviewed, and verified, by you and your academic adviser at least once each academic year.

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