



Winona State University
Four-Year Program Map

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Program: Social Work (BSW)
Emphasis (optional):

Fall Semester				Spring Semester			
	Course	Requirement Met	SH	Course	Requirement Met	SH	
Year 1	ENG111 College Rdg/Wrtg or CMST191/2 Speaking	GE Goal 1/Major	3-4	CMST191/2 Speaking or ENG111 College Rdg/Wrtg	GE Goal 1	3-4	
	BIOL117 Human Bio or STAT110 Statistics/MATH	GE Goal 3 or 4/Major	3	STAT110 Statistics/MATH or BIOL117 Human Bio	GE Goal 3 or 4/Major	3	
	SOC150 Intro to Soc or PSY210 Gen Psy	GE Goal 5/Major	3	PSY210 Gen Psy or SOC150 Intro to Soc	GE Goal 5/Major	3	
	OR100 Orientation	Elective	1	Phy Ed Credits	PDW	2	
	General Education Courses (choose one)	GE Goal 6,7,8,9,10	3	General Education Course (choose one)	GE Goal 6,7,8,9, 10	3	
	NOTE:			NOTE:			
	First-Year Fall Semester Credit Hour Total		13-14	First-Year Spring Semester Credit Hour Total		14-15	
Year 2	SOCW340 Intro to SOCW	Major	3	General Education Credits (choose three)	GE Goal 6,7,8,9, 10	9	
	PSY250 Developmental Psy	GE Goal 5/Major	3	Goal 3 (Lab)	GE Goal 3	4	
	General Education Courses (choose two)	GE Goal 6,7,8,9,10	6	Minor or Elective	Minor/Elective	3	
	Minor or Electives	Minor/Elective	3				
	NOTE:			NOTE: Application required for admission to the Social Work program			
	Second-Year Fall Semester Credit Hour Total		15	Second-Year Spring Semester Credit Hour Total		16	
Year 3	SOCW365 Social Work Practice with Individuals	Major/OI	4	SOCW385 Social Work Practice with Groups	Major	4	
	SOCW370 Human Behavior in the Social Environment	Major	3	SOCW390 Social Work Research	Major/WI	3	
	SOCW372 APA Basics	Major	1	SOCW395 Social Work Practice with Organizations	Major	3	
	SOCW380 US Social Welfare Policy	Major	3	Minor or Electives	Minor/Elective	6	
	Minor or Elective	Minor/Elective	3				
	NOTE: Pending Successful Admission to the SOCW Program			NOTE:			
	Third-Year Fall Semester Credit Hour Total		14	Third-Year Spring Semester Credit Hour Total		16	
Year 4	SOCW400 Professional Preparation	Major	4	SOCW475 Practicum	Major	12	
	SOCW408 Social Work Practice with Families	Major	4	SOCW480 Integrative Seminar	Major/WI	3	
	SOCW415 Social Work Practice with Communities	Major	3				
	Minor or Electives	Minor/Elective	5				
	NOTE:			NOTE: Must be graduation - no other classes are allowed.			
	Fourth-Year Fall Semester Credit Hour Total		16	Fourth-Year Spring Semester Credit Hour Total		15	

Total Credit Hours (SH): 120

Guide to 4 Year Major Maps

- 4 Year Major Maps are intended to show a recommended four-year pathway to a degree. Students must be full-time, college ready, and ready to declare a major to follow the map exactly as shown. Maps are only a sample; there may be other pathways that lead to completion of the degree in four years.
- Major Maps are NOT intended to take the place of meetings with advisors.
- Major Maps are NOT intended to take the place of the Degree Audit (DARs/uAchieve).

All courses listed on a major map will be labelled as one or more of the following:

GE Goal	General Education Goal Area	Indicates that the course meets one of the 10 General Education Goals
Gen Elec	General Elective	Indicates that the course does not meet a General Education, Major or Minor requirement but does count toward the degree
Major	Major Requirement	Indicates that the course meets a Major requirement
Major Elec	Major Elective	Indicates that the course counts toward the major as an elective, must be chosen from list of approved courses
Minor	Minor Requirement	Indicates that the course meets a Minor requirement
CAI	Critical Analysis Intensive	Indicates that the course counts as a Critical Analysis Intensive
OI	Oral Intensive	Indicates that the course counts as an Oral Intensive
WI	Written Intensive	Indicates that the course counts as a Written Intensive
PDW	Personal Development and Wellness	Indicates that the course counts as a Personal Development and Wellness Requirement

General Education Goal Areas:

		Minimum credits required
Goal 1	Communication	7 credits
Goal 2	Critical Thinking (Met with completion of all other goal areas)	--
Goal 3	Natural Science	7 credits
Goal 4	Mathematics	3-4 credits
Goal 5	History, Social/Behavioral Sciences	9 credits
Goal 6	Humanities and Fine Arts	9 credits
Goal 7	Human Diversity	3 credits
Goal 8	Global Perspective	3 credits
Goal 9	Ethic and Civic Responsibility	3 credits
Goal 10	People and the Environment	3 credits

Graduation Requirements:

- Minimum of 120 total credits (semester hours) required for Bachelors' Degree
- Minimum of 40 General Education credits required
- Minimum of 40 Upper Division credits required
- Minimum of 30 Residence credits required in Junior/Senior years
- Minimum WSU cumulative grade point average of 2.00; some programs require higher grade point averages

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