2025-2026 Social Work BA/BS Degree Plan

Student name: _____ UMID: _____ Date: _____

Advisor name: _____ Concentration: **None**

UNIVERSITY *of* MONTEVALLO

The Purpose of General Education is to Gain:
- Knowledge of Human Cultures and the Physical and Natural World
- Intellectual and Practical Skills
- Personal and Social Responsibility
- Integrative and Applied Learning

Key Courses For General Education (53 hours)

First Year Experience (3)
Choose: UM 101 or HNRS 101   3____

1. **Written Composition (6)**
Choose: ENG 101 or 103.   3____
Choose: ENG 102 or 104.   3____

2. **Humanities & Fine Arts (18)**
Choose one: ENG 231, 233, 232 or 234.*   3____
*Social Work majors must complete the six-hour sequence in History. Students may also complete the Literature sequence.
Choose: COMS 101 or 102.   3____
Choose one Fine Arts: ART 100, 120, 220; MC 100, 325; MUS 121 or 122, 125, 211, 240, 255, 342; THEA 120 or 122, 123.   3____
Choose one Humanities: AAS 200; ENG 231 or 233, 232 or 234; FRN 101, 102, 150, 201, 202, 250; SPN 101 or 103, 102 or 104, 150, 201, 202, 250; GER 101, 102, 201, 202; PHIL 110 or 111, 180, 220 or 221, 230, 280, 290; REL 110.   3____
Choose two of the following (not used above): AAS 200; ART 100, 120, 220; ENG 231 or 233, 232 or 234; FRN 101, 102, 150, 201, 202, 250; SPN 101 or 103; 102 or 104, 150, 201, 202, 250; GER 101, 102, 201, 202; MC 100, 325; MUS 121 or 122, 125, 211, 240, 255, 342; PHIL 110 or 111, 180, 220 or 221, 230, 280, 290; REL 110; THEA 120 or 122, 123.   3____   3____

3. **Natural Sciences & Mathematics (11)**
Choose: BIO 105 or 107.   4____
Choose one non-Biology lab science: CHEM 100-102, 121, 122; ESCI 100; GEOL 110, 115; PHYS 100 or higher.   4____
Choose: MATH 144 or 147.   3____

4. **History, Social & Behavioral Sciences (12)**
Social Work majors must complete the six-hour sequence in History. Students may also complete the Literature sequence.
Choose: HIST 101 or 103.   3____
Choose: HIST 102 or 104.   3____
Choose: PSYC 201 or 202.   3____
Choose: SOC 101 or 102.   3____

5. **Personal Development (3)**
Choose one of the following: 3____
ART 250, 255; CS 161; ED 447; ES 200; FCS 281; EXNS 120; MATH 261; MIS 161; MUS 228.

Additional Requirements for Degree (7-12 hours)
Choose and complete only one requirement below:
Bachelor of Science Requirements (7)
Choose additional 7 hours in mathematics and/or science not used toward requirement #3 above.
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Bachelor of Arts Requirements (up to 12 hours)
Students must complete either:
- the second-year course sequence in ASL, FRN, GER, or SPN.
- OR the first-year course sequence in two different languages.
Other options to complete the BA requirements are found in the Bulletin.
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Major Course Requirements (42 hours)
"C" or better in all major courses; overall major GPA of 3.0 or better.
SWK 203 (Intro to Social Welfare and SWK)   3____
SWK 322 (Human Behavior/Social Environment)   3____
SWK 350 (Generalist Social Work Practice)   3____
SWK 355 (Research in Social Welfare)   3____
SWK 373 (Social Policy)   3____
SWK 390 (SWK Practice with Groups)   3____
SWK 400 (SWK Practice Skills & Pre-Practicum)   3____
SWK 410 (Social Work Prac./Indiv. & Family)   3____
SWK 420 (SWK Practice with Comm. & Org)   3____
SWK Elective   3____
SWK 455 (Social Work Practicum)   10____
SWK 456 (Social Work Integrative Sem.)   2____

Academic Support Area (15 hours)
EC 231 **or** EC 232   3____
POS 200   3____
PSYC 300 **or** MATH 157   3____
PSYC 306 **or** FCS 291   3____
PSYC 310 **or** SWK 380   3____

General Electives (0-3 hours)
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Minor Course Requirements (Optional)
Title:_____ Hrs. Req. ____
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GENERAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
1. 50% of crs in major area at UM
2. 30 hrs 300/400 at UM
3. 30 of last 40 hours at UM
4. 64 hr limit from 2-year school
5. 45 hr limit of non-traditional credit
6. 6-hr sequence in history or literature
7. Capstone experience within major
8. 2.3 or higher UM GPA, a 3.0 or higher major GPA, and a 2.0 in all minor areas

Total Hours Required: 120-122
Total Hours Completed to Date: _____
Hours Remaining for Completion: _____
Hours Currently Registered: _____
Hours Remaining: _____

For planning only. Refer to Degree Works for official degree evaluation.