

Transfer Curriculum

Social Work

Individuals who complete the courses listed below earn the Associate of Arts degree at Danville Area Community College, will have met the senior institution's lower division general education requirements, and will be admitted as juniors.

Required Courses	Hours
First Semester	
ENGL 101 Rhetoric & Composition I	3
SPCH 101 Oral Communication – OR – SPCH 102 Public Speaking	3
SOCY 100 Intro to Sociology	3
BIOL 100 Life Science I or BIOL 102 Principles of Biology I	4
Humanities/Fine Arts Elective	3
INST 101 Success in College	1
Total	17
Second Semester	
ENGL 102 Rhetoric & Composition II	3
PSYC 100 Intro to Psychology	3
PHIL 102 Logic – OR – PHIL 103 Ethics	3
Math Elective	3
Physical Science Elective	4
Total	16
Third Semester	
PSYC 101 Child Development – OR – PSYC 210 Psychology of Human Development	3
HLTH 101 Contemporary Health – OR – HLTH 130 Nutrition	3
Fine Arts Elective	3
SOCY 202 Intro to Social Work	3
Elective (See Note 1.)	3
Total	15
Fourth Semester	
SOCY 230 Service Learning – OR – Elective	3
POLI 150 American Government	3
Elective (See Note 1.)	3
Foreign Language or Global Issues Course (See Note 2)	3
Total	13

Transfer Admission Requirements:

1. 2.0 GPA (4.0 scale).
2. Interested students must complete the Social Work Program Application materials and have a personal interview with a member of the faculty.
3. Complete SOCY 202 Intro to Social Work.
4. Complete or be registered in PSYC 100, SOCY 100, POLI 150, and PHIL elective

Admission Criteria for Department of Social Work

(Admission to the University does not guarantee admission into this program.)

In order to be accepted as a major in the Bachelor of Social Work degree program, students must satisfy the following requirements.

1. Cumulative GPS of 2.0 or higher.
2. Must earn a grade of C or better in SOCY 202.
3. Highly recommended to have volunteer service hours or work in a human services setting within the past three years. Such settings include churches, summer programs, senior citizen centers, hospitals, etc. 100 hours is required prior to completion of WIU's SW440.
4. Critical thinking and writing skills as demonstrated in coursework and application essays.
5. Interpersonal skills as demonstrated in the classroom, and group interaction and faculty interview.
6. Successful completion of all components of the major application process by the due dates.

Notes:

1. Recommended electives: PSYC 120, PSYC 230, PSYC 240, PSYC 250, SOCY 225, or an additional Humanities or Fine Arts elective.
Students should also take a foreign language or "Global Issues" course; these include: GEOG 134, ANTH 103, ANTH 107, or POLI 160
2. Complete Foreign Language or Global Issues Course by:
 - a. 3 years single foreign language in high school
 - b. Native foreign speaker must pass appropriate test
 - c. Complete university level global issues course (ANTH 103, ANTH 107, GEOG 134, LITR 111)
3. For further information, please contact:

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PRIOR TO REGISTRATION EACH SEMESTER.**