

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2019 through summer 2020. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

GENERAL EDUCATION/

FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS (44-47 hours)

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communication & Information Literacy (13 hours)¹				
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____	_____
INQR 101	Inquiry 101	1	_____	_____
_____	Communications Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Information Literacy Elective	3	_____	_____
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Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours)¹

UNIV 101	University Core Competencies	1	_____	_____
MATH _____	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	_____	_____
_____	Technology Competency ²	0-3	_____	_____

Critical Thinking (8 hours)¹

RLGN 105	Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues ³	2	_____	_____
RSCH 201	Research 201	3	_____	_____
_____	Critical Thinking Elective	3	_____	_____

Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours)¹

EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life ³	2	_____	_____
_____	Cultural Studies Elective	3	_____	_____

Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)¹

_____	Natural Science Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Social Science Elective	3	_____	_____

Christianity & Contexts (8 hours)¹

BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2	_____	_____
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2	_____	_____
THEO 201	Theology Survey I ³	2	_____	_____
THEO 202	Theology Survey II ³	2	_____	_____

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
Major Foundational Courses (0-18 hours)				
BIOL 102	Principles of Human Biology ⁴	3	_____	_____
GLST 220	Intercultural Comm. & Engagement ⁴	3	_____	_____
GLST 290	Cultural Anthropology ⁴	3	_____	_____
MATH _____	MATH 115 or higher ⁴	3	_____	_____
PHIL 201	Philosophy & Contemporary Ideas ⁴	3	_____	_____
PSYC 101	General Psychology ⁴	3	_____	_____

MAJOR

Core (63 hours)				
HLTH 216	Personal Health			
or SOWK 250	Health of the Social Worker ⁵	3	_____	_____
PSYC 255	Introduction to Research	3	_____	_____
PSYC 354	Statistics for the Social Sciences	3	_____	_____
SOCI 200	Introduction to Sociology	3	_____	_____
SOWK 101	Introduction to Social Work	3	_____	_____
SOWK 120	Social Work Field Exploration ⁶	2	_____	_____
SOWK 150	Intensive Social Work Observation ⁶	1	_____	_____
SOWK 260	Chemical Dependency	3	_____	_____
SOWK 270	Ethics in Professional Helping	3	_____	_____
SOWK 294	Social Work Program Gate 1 ⁷	0	_____	_____
SOWK 300	Human Behavior & the Social Environ.	3	_____	_____
SOWK 325	Social Welfare & Policy	3	_____	_____
SOWK 350	S.W. Practice with Individuals & Fam.	3	_____	_____
SOWK 355	Social Work Practice with Groups	3	_____	_____
SOWK 365	S.W. Prog. Gate 2 & JR Field Enrollment ⁷	0	_____	_____
SOWK 370	Junior Field Experience and Seminar	4	_____	_____
SOWK 410	Social Work Macro Practice	3	_____	_____
SOWK 450	S.W. Practice with Diverse Populations	3	_____	_____
SOWK 465	S.W. Prog. Gate 3 & SR. Field Enrollment ⁷	0	_____	_____
SOWK 494	Social Work Program Gate 4 ⁷	0	_____	_____
SOWK _____	Senior Field Experience Elective ⁸	11	_____	_____
SOWK _____	_____ ⁹	3	_____	_____
SOWK _____	_____ ¹⁰	3	_____	_____

FREE ELECTIVES (0-13 hours)

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling in foundational skill requirements

²All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to www.liberty.edu/computerassessment for more information

³Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 & EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 and THEO 202 waived

⁴Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened

⁵SOWK 250 is offered online only

⁶SOWK 135 (Offered online only) can substitute for SOWK 120 & 150

⁷These Gate Courses house the application processes for each of the 4 program Gates. All students must apply for and be approved through all 4 program Gates to be eligible to graduate from the program

⁸Resident: SOWK 470; Online: SOWK 470, or SOWK 475 and 477

⁹Choose from: SOWK 425, 431, 432, 435, 439, 495 or 497

¹⁰Choose a 300-400 level course from PSYC or SOWK not already required in the major

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

Graduation Requirements

120 Total Hours

2.5 Overall grade point average

30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)

Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all major and major foundational courses

50% Of major taken through Liberty University

30 Hours must be completed through Liberty University

Grad App Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

CSER All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
ENGL 101	3	Communications Elective ² [GLST 220]	3
INQR 101	1	Critical Thinking Elective ² [PHIL 201]	3
RLGN 105	2	Natural Science Elective [BIOL 102] ²	3
UNIV 101	1	Social Science Elective ² [PSYC 101]	3
Technology Competency ¹	0-3	SOWK 120 ³	2
SOWK 101	3	SOWK 150 ³	1
SOCI 200	3	CSER	<u>0</u>
CSER	<u>0</u>	Total	15
Total	13-16		

SOPHOMORE YEAR

EVAN 101	2	BIBL 105	2
RSCH 201	3	Information Literacy Elective ²	3
Math Elective [MATH 115 or higher] ²	3	PSYC 255	3
HLTH 216 OR SOWK 250 ⁴	3	SOWK 300	3
SOWK 260	3	SOWK 355	3
SOWK 270	3	SOWK 365 ⁵	0
SOWK 294 ⁵	0	Elective	3
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total	17	Total	17

JUNIOR YEAR

Information Literacy Elective ²	3	BIBL 110	2
THEO 201	2	Cultural Studies Elective ² [GLST 290]	3
SOWK 350	3	PSYC 354	3
SOWK 370	4	SOWK 325	3
Elective	3	SOWK 465 ⁵	0
CSER	<u>0</u>	Elective	3
Total	15	CSER	<u>0</u>
		Total	14

SENIOR YEAR

SOWK 410 ⁶	3	THEO 202	2
Senior Field Experience Elec. ⁷ [SOWK 470]	11	SOWK 450	3
CSER	<u>0</u>	SOWK 494 ⁵	0
Total	14	SOWK Elective ⁸	3
		SOWK Elective ⁹	3
		Elective	3
		Elective	1
		CSER	<u>0</u>
		Total	15

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