

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2023 through summer 2024. 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	Foundational Skills	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	_____
Major Foundational Courses (0-21 hours)			
BIOL 102	Principles of Human Biology ⁴	3	_____
CSTU 220	The African American Experience ⁴		
or GLST 290	Cultural Anthropology ⁴	3	_____
ENGL 102	Composition & Literature ⁴	3	_____
GLST 220	Intercultural Comm. & Engagement ⁴	3	_____
MATH _____	MATH 115 or higher ⁴	3	_____
PHIL 201	Philosophy & Contemporary Ideas ⁴	3	_____
PSYC 101	General Psychology ⁴	3	_____

Course

MAJOR

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
Core (63 hours)			
PSYC 255	Introduction to Research	3	_____
PSYC 354	Statistics for the Social Sciences	3	_____
SOWK 101	Introduction to Social Work	3	_____
SOWK 135	Social Work Professional Exploration	3	_____
SOWK 250	Health of the Social Worker	3	_____
SOWK 260	Chemical Dependency	3	_____
SOWK 270	Ethics in Professional Helping	3	_____
SOWK 294	Social Work Program Gate 1 ⁵	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 ⁵	0	_____
SOWK 370	Junior Field Experience and Seminar ⁶	4	_____
SOWK 410	Social Work Macro Practice	3	_____
SOWK 431	Social Work in Mental Health	3	_____
SOWK 450	S.W. Practice with Diverse Populations	3	_____
SOWK 465	S.W. Prog. Gate 3 & SR Field Enrollment ⁵	0	_____
SOWK 470	Senior Field Experience & Seminar ⁷	11	_____
SOWK 494	Social Work Program Gate 4 ⁵	0	_____
SOWK _____	_____ ⁸	3	_____
_____	_____ ⁹	3	_____
Cognate (13 hours)			
BUSI 302	Legal & Ethical Issues in Healthcare	3	_____
NURS 105	Medical Terminology	1	_____
SOWK 432	Social Work with Aging Adults	3	_____
SOWK 452	Religion, Health, & Healthcare	3	_____
SOWK 454	Medical Social Work Practice	3	_____

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
25%	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

Notes
All applicable prerequisites must be met
¹ Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling in foundational skills requirements
² All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to www.liberty.edu/computerassessment for more information
³ Students 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
⁴ Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened
⁵ These 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
⁶ This course includes 100+ hours of field experience, course work, and synchronous seminar.
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⁸ Choose from: SOWK 425, 432, 435, 439, 495, or 497.
⁹ Choose a 300-400 level course from HSER, PSYC, or SOWK not already required by in the major.
<i>Suggested Course Sequence on second page</i>

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
ENGL 101	3	Communications Elective ¹ [GLST 220]	3
INQR 101	1	Critical Thinking Elective ¹ [PHIL 201]	3
RLGN 105	2	Information Literacy Elective ¹ [ENGL 102]	3
UNIV 101	1	SOWK 135	3
Social Science Elective ¹ [PSYC 101]	3	SOWK 250	3
Technology Competency ²	0-3	CSER	<u>0</u>
SOWK 101	3	Total	15
CSER	<u>0</u>		
Total	13-16		

SOPHOMORE YEAR

EVAN 101	2	BIBL 105	2
RSCH 201	3	Math Elective ¹ [MATH 115 or higher]	3
Natural Science Elective ¹ [BIOL 102]	3	PSYC 255	3
SOWK 260	3	SOWK 325	3
SOWK 270	3	SOWK 350	3
SOWK 294 ³	0	SOWK 355	3
SOWK 300	3	SOWK 365 ³	0
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total	17	Total	17

JUNIOR YEAR

THEO 201	2	THEO 202	2
Cultural Studies Elective ¹ [CSTU 220 or GLST 290]	3	BIBL 110	2
Information Literacy Elective ¹	3	BUSI 302	3
NURS 105	1	PSYC 354	3
SOWK 370 ⁴	4	SOWK 431	3
CSER	<u>0</u>	SOWK 450	3
Total	13	CSER	<u>0</u>
		Total	16

SENIOR YEAR

SOWK 410	3	SOWK 470 ⁷	11
SOWK 432	3	SOWK 454	3
SOWK 452	3	SOWK 494 ³	0
SOWK 465 ³	0	CSER	<u>0</u>
SOWK Elective ⁵	3	Total	14
Social Work Elective ⁶	3		
CSER	<u>0</u>		
Total	15		

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