

**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
<b>Communication &amp; Information Literacy (13 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____
INQR 101	Inquiry 101	1	_____
_____	Communications Elective	3	_____
_____	Information Literacy Elective	3	_____
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<b>Technological Solutions &amp; Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1	_____
MATH _____	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	_____
_____	Technology Competency <sup>2</sup>	0-3	_____
<b>Critical Thinking (8 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
RLGN 105	Intr Bwww/Contemp Moral Issues <sup>3</sup>	2	_____
RSCH 201	Research 201	3	_____
_____	Critical Thinking Elective	3	_____
<b>Civic &amp; Global Engagement (5 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life <sup>3</sup>	2	_____
_____	Cultural Studies Elective	3	_____
<b>Social &amp; Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
_____	Natural Science Elective	3	_____
_____	Social Science Elective	3	_____
<b>Christianity &amp; Contexts (8 hours)<sup>1</sup></b>			
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2	_____
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2	_____
THEO 201	Theology Survey I <sup>3</sup>	2	_____
THEO 202	Theology Survey II <sup>3</sup>	2	_____

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
<b>Major Foundational Courses (0-21 hours)</b>			
BIOL 102	Principles of Human Biology <sup>4</sup>	3	_____
ENGL 102	Composition & Literature <sup>4</sup>	3	_____
GLST 220	Intercultural Comm. & Engagement <sup>4</sup>	3	_____
GLST 290	Cultural Anthropology <sup>4</sup>	3	_____
MATH _____	MATH 115 or higher <sup>4</sup>	3	_____
PHIL 201	Philosophy & Contemporary Ideas <sup>4</sup>	3	_____
PSYC 101	General Psychology <sup>4</sup>	3	_____

### MAJOR

Course	Hrs	Sem	Grade
<b>Core (63 hours)</b>			
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 <sup>5</sup>	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 <sup>5</sup>	0	_____
SOWK 370	Junior Field Experience and Seminar <sup>6</sup>	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 <sup>5</sup>	0	_____
SOWK 470	Senior Field Experience & Seminar <sup>7</sup>	11	_____
SOWK 494	Social Work Program Gate 4 <sup>5</sup>	0	_____
SOWK _____	_____ <sup>8</sup>	3	_____
_____	_____ <sup>9</sup>	3	_____

### FREE ELECTIVES (0-13 hours)

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

### Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

<sup>1</sup>Refer to the list of approved general education electives at [www.liberty.edu/gened](http://www.liberty.edu/gened) before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

<sup>2</sup>All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to [www.liberty.edu/computerassessment](http://www.liberty.edu/computerassessment) for more information

<sup>3</sup>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

<sup>4</sup>Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at [www.liberty.edu/gened](http://www.liberty.edu/gened)

<sup>5</sup>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

<sup>6</sup>This course includes 100+ hours of field experience, course work, and synchronous seminar.

<sup>7</sup>This course includes 400+ hours of field experience, course work, and synchronous seminar.

<sup>8</sup>Choose from: SOWK 425, 432, 435, 439, 495, or 497.

<sup>9</sup>Choose a 300-400 level course from HSER, PSYC, or SOWK not already required by 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	
25%	Of major taken through Liberty University
30	Hours must be completed through Liberty University
<b>Grad App</b> Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date	
<b>CSER</b> 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 <sup>1</sup> [GLST 220]	3
INQR 101	1	Critical Thinking Elective <sup>1</sup> [PHIL 201]	3
RLGN 105	2	Information Literacy Elective <sup>1</sup> [ENGL 102]	3
UNIV 101	1	SOWK 135	3
Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup> [PSYC 101]	3	SOWK 250	3
Technology Competency <sup>2</sup>	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 <sup>1</sup> [MATH 115 or higher]	3
Natural Science Elective <sup>1</sup> [BIOL 102]	3	PSYC 255	3
SOWK 260	3	SOWK 350	3
SOWK 270	3	SOWK 355	3
SOWK 294 <sup>3</sup>	0	SOWK 365 <sup>3</sup>	0
SOWK 300	3	Elective	3
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total	17	Total	17

### JUNIOR YEAR

Cultural Studies Elective <sup>1</sup> [GLST 290]	3	BIBL 110	2
Information Literacy Elective <sup>1</sup>	3	PSYC 354	3
THEO 201	2	SOWK 431	3
SOWK 325	3	Elective	3
SOWK 370 <sup>4</sup>	4	Elective	3
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total	15	Total	14

### SENIOR YEAR

THEO 202	2	Social Work Elective <sup>7</sup>	3
SOWK 410 <sup>5</sup>	3	SOWK 470 <sup>8</sup>	11
SOWK 450	3	SOWK 494 <sup>3</sup>	0
SOWK 465 <sup>3</sup>	0	CSER	<u>0</u>
SOWK Elective <sup>6</sup>	3	Total	14
Elective	3		
Elective	1		
CSER	<u>0</u>		
Total	15		

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<sup>5</sup>CSWE states this must be taken before or concurrently with Senior Field Experience

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