

SOCIAL WORK

JCJC CURRICULUM SHEET

Concerned with the interaction between people and their environment, Social Workers deal directly with people in efforts to prevent or resolve problems which inhibit growth and development. Social Workers may interact with individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities.

The Bachelor's Degree in Social Work is designed to prepare the graduate to work as a generalist social work practitioner in a variety of settings. These include, but are not limited to the following: child welfare agencies, family counseling, hospitals, mental health clinics, public health clinics, home health agencies, nursing homes, industries, juvenile and family court, shelters for battered women and children, and neighborhood and community services.

FRESHMAN YEAR

ENGLISH COMPOSITION (6 HRS)

ENG 1113 English Comp. I 3
ENG 1123 English Comp. II 3

HISTORY (Select 6 HRS)

HIS 1113 Western Civ. I 3
HIS 1123 Western Civ. II or 3
HIS 2213 American History I 3
HIS 2223 American History II 3

SOCIAL SCIENCE (6 HRS)

PSY 1513 General Psychology 3
SOC 2113 Sociology 3

FINE ARTS (Select 3 HRS)

ART 1113 Art Appreciation or
MUS 1113 Music Appreciation 3

COMPUTER SCIENCE (3 HRS)

CSC 1113 Computer Concepts 3

MATH (3-6 HRS)

MAT 1313 College Algebra 3
MAT ELECTIVE (UM) 3

HEALTH (3 HRS) USM

HPR 1213 Health+ 3
See note over

BIOLOGICAL LAB SCI. (8 HRS)

BIO 1134 General Biology I 4
BIO 1144 General Biology II 4

FOREIGN LANGUAGE (6 HRS)

Foreign Lang. (Spanish) USM, UM, MSU 3
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See note over.

SOPHOMORE YEAR

LITERATURE (Select 6 HRS)

ENG 2413 World Literature 3
ENG 2323 Traditional Grammar + or 3
ENG 2323 English Lit. I 3
+ Include for USM.

HUMANITIES (3 HRS)

PHI 2113 Intro. to Philosophy 3

SOCIAL SCIENCE ELECTIVES (3-6 HRS)

PSC 1113 Am. Nat. Government 3
ECO 2113 Economics I 3

PHYSICAL LAB SCIENCE (4-7 HRS)

PHY 2244 Physical Science I 4
Or, select a math elective + 3
+ A total of 12 hrs. is usually required with
one sequence of 8 hrs. plus 4 hrs. from another
lab science.

BIOLOGICAL LAB SCIENCE (4 HRS)

BIO 2514 Anatomy & Physiology (USM) 4
Prerequisite: one lab course from Biology or
Chemistry.

SPEECH (3 HRS)

SPT 1113 Speech 3

FOREIGN LANGUAGE (6 HRS)

Foreign Lang. (Spanish) (MSU) 3
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See note over.

SOCIOLOGY COURSES (6 HRS)

SOC 2133 Social Problems 3
SOC 2143 Marriage & Family 3

SOCIAL WORK -- NOTES:

The sample program of study illustrated prepares the student to enter further studies at universities where the student completes requirements for professional social work practice.

Four semesters of a single foreign language (Spanish is recommended) are usually required for those taking degrees under Liberal Arts or Arts and Sciences in senior institutions. The student is encouraged to consult the catalog of the senior institution and plan the language and other courses to coincide with prospective senior institution's CORE REQUIREMENTS. Usually the student will begin with French (MFL 1113 and MFL 1123) or Spanish (MFL 1213 and MFL 1223) and proceed through the intermediate level in the language to satisfy the requirement. The student should complete all foreign language requirements on one campus. **USM and UM require 6 semester hours in foreign language for a degree in Social Work. MSU requires 12 semester hours in a single foreign language for a degree in Social Work.**

Students without an adequate high school math background, which includes a minimum of Algebra II, should enroll in a preparatory math course, such as Basic Math, Beginning Algebra or Intermediate Algebra, prior to College Algebra. Preparatory math courses will not transfer to other institutions.

Additionally, students should plan to complete no more than half of the hours required for a bachelor's degree prior to transferring to the senior institution. The student should consult the catalog of the senior institution for specific admissions procedures and other details concerning the program of study.

This CHECK SHEET should be used to keep a careful record of grades for each of the courses and should be presented to the student's advisor for planning the schedule of courses each semester at JCJC.