Social Work Pathway

Associate in Arts, Human Service (AAHUST)

Washtenaw Community College (WCC) has collaborated with several colleges and universities to provide a transfer pathway for WCC students seeking a bachelor’s degree in Social Work. The transfer destinations listed on page 2 have agreed to accept the courses outlined if students:
1. Earn a C or better in every course
2. Are admitted to the institution and the program

Earning an Associate Degree

WCC students must complete all of the following course and degree requirements to earn an Associate in Arts. **Regular meetings with an advisor are strongly recommended to stay on track for graduation.** Please contact our advising center at 734-677-5102 if you need assistance or visit: wcnet.edu/advising. Students that are not transferring to EMU should contact Kristy Norris (klnorris@wcnet.edu) to discuss course selection.

Degree Requirements

To complete the Associate in Arts Degree and the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) General Education Requirements, these credits should be met according to the following outline:

- **English Composition:** ENG 111: Composition I (4 credits).
- **Second Course in English Composition or One course in Communication:** COM 101: Fundamentals of Speaking or COM 102: Interpersonal Communication (3 credits)
- **Mathematics:** One course from MTA approved list; Check with your transfer destination for the preferred course.
- **Natural Sciences:** Two courses from MTA approved list (from two different disciplines); BIO 102: Human Biology with Lab (4 credits) is recommended
- **Social Sciences:** Two courses from MTA approved list (from two different disciplines); PSY 100: Introduction to Psychology and SOC 100: Introduction to Sociology are recommended
- **Humanities and Fine Arts:** Two courses from MTA approved list (from two different disciplines)

The MTA approved list is located in the WCC Catalog or visit: wcnet.edu/mta.

Major Courses (13 Credits)

These courses will transfer to the transfer destinations listed on page 2:

- PSY 100: Introduction to Psychology (3 credits) (MTA)
- SOC 100: Introduction to Sociology (3 credits) (MTA)
- HSW 100: Introduction to Human Services (3 credits)
- BIO 102: Human Biology with Lab (4 credits) (MTA)

Remaining Associate Degree Requirements

- HSW 200: Interviewing & Assessment (3 credits)
- SOC 205: Race and Ethnic Relations (3 credits)
- SOC 220: Group Dynamics (3 credits)
- HSW 229: Human Service Success Skills (1 credit)
- SOC 225: Family Social Work (3 credits)

- HSW 230: Field Internship & Seminar (3 credits)
- PSY 206: Lifespan Development (4 credits)
- PSY 210: Behavior Modification (3 credits)
- PSY 257: Abnormal Psychology (3 credits)
- Additional Electives as needed to earn the 60 credits required for an Associate in Arts Degree

Transfer Your Courses

Visit the [Michigan Transfer Network website](https://www.microndot.org/) to see how WCC courses transfer to universities in Michigan.
What will my courses look like when they transfer?

Students are advised to check with their transfer destination for other program requirements and to assure that there have been no changes.

Andrews University
PSYC 101: Intro to Psychology (3)
SOCI 119: Principles of Sociology (3)
SOWK 100: Intro to Social Work (3)
BIOL 100: Human Biology (3)

Cornerstone University
PSY 111: General Psychology (3)
SOC 111 Introduction to Sociology (3)
SWK 111: Introduction to Social Work (3)
BIO 161: Human Biology (4)

Ferris State University
PSYC 150 Introduction to Psychology (3)
SOCY 121: Introduction to Sociology (3)
SCWK 110: Intro-Social Work Profession (2)
BIOL 101: Genetics – Human Aspects (4)

Michigan State University
PSY 101: Introduction to Psychology (4)
SOC 100: Introduction to Sociology (4)
SW 200: Introduction to Social Work (3)
ISB 204: Applied Biomedical Sciences (3)

Oakland University
PSY 1000: Introduction to Psychology (4)
SOC 1000: Introduction to Sociology (4)
SW 2301: Introduction to Social Work (4)
BIO 1002: Human Biology (4)

Spring Arbor University
PSY 100: Intro to Psychology (3)
SOC 101: Intro to Sociology (3)
SWK 281: Intro to Social Work (3)
***BIO 101: Principles of Human Biology (3)

Wayne State University
PSY 1020: Elements of Psychology (3)
SOC 1010 or SOC 1020: Under. Human Society (3)
SW 1010: Intro to Social Work & Social Welfare (3)
BIO 1030: Biology Today (3)

Central Michigan University
PSY 100: Introduction to Psychology (3)
SOC 100: Introduction to Sociology (3)
SWK 100: Introduction to Social Work (3)
BIO 151: Human Biology (3)

*Eastern Michigan University
PSY 101: General Psychology Lecture (3)
SOCL 105 Introduction to Sociology (3)
SWMK 120: Intro to Social Work Serv. & Prof. Roles

Grand Valley State University
PSY 101: Introduction to Psychology (3)
SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology (3)
SW 150: Human Needs in Complex Society (3)
BIO 104: Biology for the 21st Century (4)

Northern Michigan University
PY 100/PSY 100 or PSY 101: Introduction to Psychology (3)
SW 100: Exploring Social Work (3)
SO 101: Introduction to Sociology (3)
BI 104: Anatomy & Physiology (4)

Saginaw Valley State University
PSYC 100: General Psychology (3)
SOC 111: Introduction to Sociology (3)
SW 215: Intro to Social Welfare and Social Work (3)
**BIOL 104B or BIOL 111A

University of Michigan - Flint
PSY 100: Principles of Psychology (3)
SOC 100: Introduction to Sociology (3)
SWR 100: Introduction to Social Welfare (3)
BIO 104: Introduction to Human Biology (4)

The full Social Work Pathway agreement can be found on the Michigan Transfer Network website.

*There is an articulation agreement (transfer agreement) with this transfer destination and WCC which provides WCC students with a transfer pathway that allows 73 credits to transfer towards your bachelor's degree.

**WCC’s BIO 109 will transfer to SVSU as BIO 104B; WCC’s BIO 162 will transfer to SVSU as BIO 111A

***WCC’s BIO 109 will transfer to Spring Arbor University as BIO 101