

The University of South Dakota
Major Credit Hour count: 60-61 (63-64 SOCW w/Child Welfare Specialization)
Major: Social Work, B.S.

[2021-2022 Academic Catalog]

First Year - 1st Semester

SOCW 200 Field of Social Work
 ENGL 101 Composition I
 Mathematics
 PSYC 101 General Psychology
 Fine Arts
 First Year Experience Seminar

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
SGR 1	3
SGR 5	3
M, SGR 3	3
SGR 4	3
	1
Semester Credit Hours:	16

Second Year - 1st Semester

Advanced Composition
 Natural Science plus Lab
 SOCW Elective
 POLS 100 American Government
 Minor

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
SGR 1	3
SGR 6	4
Major	3
Major	3
	3
Semester Credit Hours:	16

Third Year - 1st Semester

SOCW 210 SOCW Interactional Skills
 SOCW 320 SOCW Research Methods
 SOCW 340 Human Behavior
 Minor
 Elective

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
Major	3
Major	3
	3
	3
Semester Credit Hours:	15

Fourth Year - 1st Semester

SOCW 310 Individuals and Families
 SOCW 350 SOCW with Families and Groups
 Elective

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
Major	3
	9
Semester Credit Hours:	15

First Year - 2nd Semester

REL 250, PHIL 220, or ACP 412
 CMST 101 Fundamentals of Speech
 SOC 100/150 Sociology/Social Prob.
 Minor
 Elective

Second Year - 2nd Semester

SOCW Elective
 Natural Science plus Lab
 Minor
 Minor
 Elective (or Humanities, if needed)

Third Year - 2nd Semester

SOCW 321 Statistical Applications
 SOCW 330 Communities and Organizations
 SOCW 400 Social Policy
 Minor
 Elective

Fourth Year - 2nd Semester

SOCW 496 Field Experience

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
SGR 2	3
M, SGR 3	3
	3
	3
Semester Credit Hours:	15

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
SGR 6+M	4
	3
	3
SGR4	3
Semester Credit Hours:	16

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
Major	3
Major	3
	3
	3
Semester Credit Hours:	15

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	12
Semester Credit Hours:	12

Total Major Requirements 120

This plan of study is intended for students who do not complete the Specialization in Child Welfare. Social Work requires formal application, and the completion of a minor. For students pursuing graduate study a human content Natural Science plus Lab course is recommended.

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