

Associate of Arts to Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)

Courses taken at JJC

Year One, First Semester

ENG 101 Rhetoric
 PSYC 101 General Psychology
 ANTH 275 Cultural Anthropology
 GEN ED Fine Arts Course**
 GEN ED Humanities Course**

Year One, Second Semester

ENG 102 Rhetoric II
 BIO 149 Principles of Biology

 MATH 128 Elementary Statistics or College Level MATH Course**

 COMM 101 Principles of Speech Communication
 Elective Elective Course**

Year Two, Third Semester

GEN ED Physical Science Course**
 SOC 101 Intro to Sociology
 GEN ED Humanities or Fine Arts Course**
 Elective Elective Course**
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Year Two, Fourth Semester

Elective Elective Course**
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Total JJC Credits: 61-63*as written (See Note)

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Courses taken at NEIU

Year Three, Fifth Semester

SWK 200 Intro to Social Work
 SWK 207 Social Welfare Policy
 Elective Elective Course**
 Elective Elective Course**

Year Three, Sixth Semester

SWK 303 WIP: Human Behavior and the Social Environment I
 SWK 304 Social Work Practice

 SWK 309 Research and Quantitative Applications in Social Work
 Elective Elective Course**

Year Four, Seventh Semester

SWK 305 Social Work Practice II
 SWK 306 Human Behavior in the Social Environment II
 SWK 357 Social Welfare Policy II
 Elective 300 level Social Work Elective Course**

Year Four, Eighth Semester

SWK 310 Research Seminar I
 SWK 353 Field Seminar I
 SWK 355 Field Practicum I
 Elective 300 level Social Work Elective Course**

Year Five, Ninth Semester

SWK 311 Research Seminar II
 SWK 354 Field Seminar II
 SWK 356 Field Practicum II

Total NEIU Credits: 56*

Total Degree Credits: 120*

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*This transfer guide is a sample curriculum. Additional courses may be required based on placement test scores. Please work with your faculty advisor or success coach prior to course registration.

**Courses are to be chosen in consultation with an academic advisor.

Note: All students who earn an Associate of Arts Degree from the Joliet Junior College enter Northeastern with 64 hours of transfer credit, even if they earned less than 64 credit hours. See the NEIU Transfer Policy for further information. ANTH 275, PSYC 101, SOC 101, and BIO 149 (or their equivalents at Northeastern) must be completed by the end of the Semester 5 as part of the Liberal Arts requirement in the Social Work major. MATH 128 should be completed if the student wishes to pursue a Master's Degree in Social Work, as most Social Work Master's Degree programs require a statistics course. Students pursuing a Master's Degree in Social Work need to maintain a 3.0 GPA and must get a "B" or higher in all of their major courses.

About Northeastern Illinois University:

Social work, as a helping profession, involves working with people in a variety of situations. Social workers assist individuals, families, groups, organizations and communities in the areas of child and family welfare, corrections, health, mental health and a variety of other social service settings.

The undergraduate social work curriculum at Northeastern is designed to prepare you for entry-level professional social work and for graduate study. You will build knowledge of human behavior, and develop the skills needed for helping individuals, families, small groups, organizations or communities in a diverse society.

Northeastern Illinois University's Social Work program is fully accredited by the Council of Social Work Education, assuring the program's excellence in preparing students for future employment in the field.

Because of the program's national accreditation, students are eligible for membership in the National Association of Social Workers.

Students at Northeastern benefit from small classes and a low student-faculty ratio.

Northeastern hosts the only public undergraduate social work program in the Chicago area. Because of our commitment to the highest-quality social work, education graduates from our program go on to graduate school and excel.

About JJC's Program:

Whether you've always known what you wanted to study in college or you're undecided, JJC offers more than 180 degree and certificate programs to choose from. It doesn't matter if you're planning to transfer or complete your degree here - JJC can help guide you as you journey toward your future career. If you are unsure of which associate degree is right for you, check with the Student Advising Center or contact the university you intend to transfer to for their requirements and guidelines. Associate in Arts degrees are for those intending to transfer to a four year university after JJC and major in the social sciences, humanities, fine arts, and other majors falling under the arts. See the Associate in Arts page for curriculum requirements.

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