

2025 - 2026 Associate in Arts: Social Work Pathway

Arts and Sciences / University Transfer



Associate in Arts: Social Work Pathway

All Pathways are design to transfer to a four-year institution for eventual completion of a BA/BS or BFA degree.

The social work pathway prepares graduates to enter a bachelor degree program in social work, and the field of social work spans multiple career options. Many people choose a social work career based on the types of people they want to help as well as the work environment they prefer.

Many social workers provide clinical and case management services directly to individuals, couples, families, and groups. Social workers serve clients dealing with a range of challenges including poverty, physical and mental health issues, addiction, and family problems. They may provide clinical services, such as therapy or counseling, and connect people to resources in the community to help them overcome challenges.

The Social Work Pathway is fully online.

For More Information:

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Total Cost Estimate

Tuition per Semester (NC Resident)	\$1,216.00 (16+ credit hours) \$76.00/credit hour (1-15 hours)
Computer Use and Technology Fee	\$48/semester
Activity Fee	Fall and Spring semesters only, Main campus and Online, \$35.00

CAPS Fee (Campus Access, Parking and \$20/semester

Security)

Matriculation Fee\$10/semesterStudent Insurance\$2/Semester

Consumable Supply Fees \$20 Some ART, BIO,CHM, HEA, PED, and

PHY courses

Books cost may vary

	Course Prefi		fix Course Name	Credit Hours
	ACA	122	College Transfer Success	1
Semester	COM	120	Intro to Interpersonal Com	3
	ENG	111	Writing and Inquiry	3
	MAT	152	Statistical Methods I	4
1st	PSY	150	General Psychology	3
١.	ART	114	Art History Survey I	3
2nd Semester	BIO	110	Principles of Biology	4
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d Se	FRE	111	Elementary French I (or SPA 111)	3
2n	SOC	210	Introduction to Sociology	3
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_	ANT	220	Cultural Anthropology	3
este	BIO	163	Basic Anat & Physiology	5
3rd Semester	FRE	112	Elementary French II (or SPA 112)	3
	HSE	110	Intro to Human Services	3
	POL PSY	120	American Government	3
	P51	241	Developmental Psych	3
4th Semester	HIS	132	American History II	3
	HUM	220	Human Values and Meaning	3
	PHI	215	Philosophical Issues	3
	PSY	281	Abnormal Psychology	3
4	SOC	213	Sociology of the Family	3

AA and AS degrees require completion of a minimum of 60 semester hours of credit, but pathways may include extra hours to meet university baccalaureate degree plans. Completion of hours beyond 60 may not be required to meet AA or AS graduation requirements but is recommended based on programs offered by intended transfer institutions.