

**College of Social Work General Education Recommendations
For 13 Community Colleges in Tennessee**

Communicating through Writing – 3 courses

ENGL 101-102 (2 courses). Note that the WC (1 course) requirement is satisfied by taking an upper division course in the student's major.

Communicating Orally – 1 course

CMST 210 or 240

Arts & Humanities – 2 courses

Any two courses from UTK's approved general education list

Social Sciences – 2 courses

The College of Social Work requires three courses from the social science list, including ANTH 130, ECON 201, and CFS 220.

Cultures & Civilizations: Non-US History Sequence – 2 courses

Any non-US history sequence courses from UTK's approved general education list. The College of Social Work does not allow US History for cultures & civilizations except for international students needing to meet Tennessee state law requirements.

Natural Science – 2 courses

BIOL 101 and 102

Quantitative Reasoning – 2 courses

MATH 113 (Mathematical Reasoning) and MATH 115 (Statistical Reasoning)

Intermediate Foreign Language Sequence (or Equivalent Intensive Course)

Any intermediate sequence or intermediate intensive course from UTK's approved general education list. The College of Social Work also permits students to complete Educational Interpreting 223 (American Sign Language I) and Educational Interpreting 226 (American Sign Language II). It should be noted that these courses meet the College of Social Work's foreign language requirement but do not satisfy the General Education requirement. The general education requirement is satisfied by completion of the non-US history sequence.

Transfer students, including internal University of Tennessee, Knoxville, transfers, must meet the College of Social Work BSSW program's progression requirements prior to enrolling in upper division social work courses. These include completion of SOWK 200 and SOWK 250 with a grade of C or better and a cumulative grade point average above 2.0. Students are strongly encouraged to complete most general education requirements prior to enrolling in upper division social work courses.