



Social Work Program Agreement

Western Michigan University
Bachelor of Science, Social Work, (B.S.)

Kalamazoo Valley Community College
Social Work Associate of Arts (A.A.)

Catalog Year 2023 - 2024

I. KALAMAZOO VALLEY COURSES for GENERAL EDUCATION/Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) (30 credits minimum)		
See attached Kalamazoo Valley MTA guide for specific courses from Kalamazoo Valley that will fulfill the MTA requirements		
Kalamazoo Valley Course	WMU WES Equivalent	Transfer Credit Hours
English Composition – ENG 110 or 160	ENGL 1050	3
English Composition or Communications: ENG 111, ENG 112, ENG 127, ENG 227, ENG 260, COM 113, or COM 210	ENGL 1100, BCM 1420, ENGL Credit, ENGL Credit, COM 1700, or COM Credit	3
Humanities and Fine Arts - (2) COM 101 and 1 other course	COM 1040 & varies	6
Mathematics - MATH 220	STAT 3660	4
Science – (2) +lab BIO 100 and 1 courses from a different subject area	BIOS 1100/1120 & varies	8
Social Sciences – (2) SOC 102 PSY 150	SOC 2000 & PSY 1000	6
TOTAL KALAMAZOO VALLEY MTA CREDIT HOURS		30 CREDIT HOURS

II. Kalamazoo Valley Social Work AA COURSES – (32 credits)		
Kalamazoo Valley Course	WMU Equivalent	Transfer Credit Hours
ECO 202	ECON 2010	3
EDU 104	FYE 2100	3
MATH 120	MATH 1160	3
PSI 101	PSCI 2000	3
SOC 103	SOC 2100	3
SOC 110	SWRK 2100	3
SOC 200 or 205	SOC 3900 or SOC 3140	3
Wellness/Physical Education	Transfer credit (varies)	2
Kalamazoo Valley Open Elective Courses to Reach 62		
Electives	varies	9
TOTAL KALAMAZOO VALLEY CREDIT HOURS		62 CREDIT HOURS

III. WMU COURSES REQUIRED FOR PROGRAM DEGREE (60 credits)		
WMU Course	WMU Course Title	WMU Credit Hours
HSV 2650 or Proficiency Exam	Information Literacy in the Health Sciences	3
HSV 4780 (Local & National Perspectives)	US Policy in Health and Human Services	3
WMU Essential Studies- Global Perspectives	See Academic Advisor	3
SWRK 3000	SWRK Welfare as as Social Institution	3
SWRK 3200	SWRK Interviewing & Assessment	3
SWRK 3330	Intro to Culture, Ethnicity and Institutionalized Inequality in SWRK practice	3

SWRK 3500	Human Behavior and the Social Environment	3
SWRK 3510*	SWRK Concepts in Group, Community and Organizational Behavior	3
SWRK 3650*	Social Work Research Methods	3
SWRK 4000*	SWRK Practice with Individuals and Families	3
SWRK 4010*	The Problem Solving Process with Task Groups and Organizations	3
SWRK 4020*	Social Work Policy	3
SWRK 4100*	BSW Field Education I	4
SWRK 4110*	BSW Field Education II	4
SWRK 4600*	Social Work with Communities	3
Electives/minor	See Academic Advisor	13-16
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		60 CREDIT HOURS AT WMU

TOTAL CREDITS (I –III)		
62 Kalamazoo Valley Credits		
60 WMU Credits		
122 Total Credits		

Minimum credits required for Kalamazoo Valley associate degree: 62 Minimum credits required at WMU: 60 Total credits required: 122

* Professional level courses that require acceptance into the WMU BSW program

Advising Notes

Kalamazoo Valley	Student Development Services	269-488-4040	development@kvcc.edu
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Program Agreement

This agreement shall commence as of November 6th, 2023. This program agreement shall abide by all language of the Institutional Agreement between Kalamazoo Valley Community College and Western Michigan University.

Signatures

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