

Social Work, BSW at Aurora University

Kishwaukee College Associate in Arts (A.A.)

First Year – Semester I (15-16 S.H.)	
Kishwaukee College	Aurora University
ENG 103 Composition I (3)	ENG1000 Introduction to Academic Writing
COM 100 Oral Communication (3)	COM1560 Public Speaking
MAT 101 Topics in Mathematics (3) OR MAT 208 Introductory Statistics (4)	MTH 1030 Dealing with Data OR MTH 2100 General Statistics
IAI Humanities (3)	Elective
PSY 102 Introduction to Psychology (3)	PSY 1100 General Psychology

First Year – Semester II (14-15 S.H.)	
Kishwaukee College	Aurora University
CSD 100 The College Experience OR CSD 101 Career Planning OR ENG 111 College Study Skills (2)	Elective
IAI Physical Science (3-4)	Elective
IAI Fine Arts (3)	Elective
SOC 170 Introduction to Sociology (3)	SOC 1100 Introduction to Society
ENG 104 Composition II (3)	English Elective

Second Year – Semester I (15 S.H.)	
Kishwaukee College	Aurora University
IAI Elective (3)	Elective
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PLS 140 Introduction to American Government and Politics (3)	PSC 1300 Introduction to U.S. Government
HLT 210 Drug Use and Abuse (3)	SWK 2050 Drugs and Human Behavior: Substance Abuse Evaluation and Treatment
IAI Elective (3)	Elective

Second Year – Semester II (15-16 S.H.)	
Kishwaukee College	Aurora University
IAI Life Science (3-4)	Science Elective
IAI Elective (3)	Elective
IAI Humanities or Fine Arts (3)	Elective
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Total Semester Hours Completed after Year 2	60-62 Semester Hours

Please note you may also need to complete other requirements

Students who transfer with an A.A or A.S. will also need to have completed at least 60 semester hours.

Our majors are intentionally designed to allow you to minor and still complete your degree quickly.

Social Work

Bachelor of Social Work

Year 3 courses

AU Course Number	AU Course Title	Semester Hours
IDS 3500/3550	Junior Mentoring	1
SWK 2500	Survey of Contemporary Social Work	4
SWK 3140	Social Work with Groups	4
SWK 3150	Social Welfare: Institutions and Policy	4
SWK 3160	HBSE I: Building Social Work Competence	4
SWK 3170	HBSE II: Life Course Development	4
	Track Course/Elective	4
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	Elective	4
	Total Year 3 Semester Hours	33

Year 4 courses

SWK 4010	Social Work with Communities and Organizations	4
SWK 4110	Social Work Practice with Individuals	4
SWK 4140	Social Work Practice with Families	4
SWK 4200	Research Methods in Social Work	4
	Track Course/Elective	4
SWK 4210	Field Instruction I	4
SWK 4220	Field Instruction II	4
	Total Year 4 Semester Hours	28
	Total Semester Hours Completed at AU	61
	Total Semester Hours Completed at Kishwaukee College	60-62
	Total Semester Hours for Bachelor of Social Work	122-125

The Bachelor of Social Work is offered on the Aurora campus, through AU Online, and at the University Center at McHenry County College. Please note, you may also need to complete other requirements.

Students must have a 2.5 or higher GPA and submit the required program application materials, along with a background check, to be admissible to Aurora University's George Williams School of Social Work. Students are expected to maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.8 in all social work courses and a 2.5 or higher GPA overall. Full requirements can be found in the BSW Handbook.

You will be eligible to apply for the Illinois Licensed Social Work credential after completing two years of supervised post-BSW work experience. BSW graduates are also eligible to apply for advanced standing in AU's Master of Social Work program, allowing for completion of an advanced degree in as little as one additional year.