

## Bachelor of Social Work

### MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Social Work major admission is based on the following criteria: a minimum overall GPA of 2.80; successful completion of all program prerequisites; experience in the human services field; letters of reference; and a personal written statement.

#### Social Work major Prerequisites/Corequisite

Oakland University Requirements	Lansing Community College Options
SW 2301 (must be completed with a B minimum grade)	HUSE 100 <i>or</i> SOWK 101
SOC 1000	SOCL 120
BIO 1002 <b>or</b> BIO 1200	BIOL 145 <b>or</b> BIOL 127
PSY 1000	PSYC 200
PS 1100	POLS 120
AN 1111	ANTH 120 <i>or</i> 270
SOC/AN 3610 (other options available at OU)	SOCL 260

#### Choose ONE elective from the following options *(additional course options available at OU)*

CRJ 1100	CJUS 101
SOC/CRJ 3223	CJUS 106
SOC 3400	SOCL 254
Approved courses for which there is no OU equivalent:	GERO 100; HUSE 110

Students may transfer an unlimited amount of credit from Lansing CC, and must complete a minimum of 45 credit hours from OU to meet degree requirements. As programs may limit the transfer credits that can be used toward requirements, **it is highly recommended that students work with both an OU (school/college) academic adviser and their Lansing CC counselor to maximize the applicability of coursework to specific requirements.**

### **TRANSFERRING WITH THE MICHIGAN TRANSFER AGREEMENT (MTA):**

When choosing to complete MTA to satisfy General Education, please confirm the best courses to take to fulfill the agreement with your academic adviser at Lansing CC or at the [Lansing CC MTA](#) website. Completing MTA when following this major guide will satisfy OU's transferrable General Education requirements.

#### **Additional course requirements for MTA when following this major guide (minimum 30 credit hours required for MTA):**

ENGL 121 (MTA Approved Composition Course)  
ENGL 122 or 132 (MTA Approved Composition Course; this is a prerequisite for coursework at OU)  
Two MTA Approved Humanities/Fine Arts Courses  
One MTA Approved Natural Science Course  
One MTA Approved Mathematics Course

### **TRANSFERRING WITHOUT MTA:**

If you intend to transfer without MTA, you can choose to complete additional coursework to fulfill OU's individual General Education categories instead. When following this major guide, please reference the [Lansing CC General Education Transfer Guide](#) for the Lansing CC courses that satisfy these specific OU General Education categories:

- Writing Foundations
- Arts
- Literature
- Formal Reasoning
- Language and Culture
- Western Civilization

### **EXPLORATORY REQUIREMENT:**

Students with majors in the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) must satisfy an exploratory requirement. This can be done by completing a double major or a CAS minor or concentration; or by completing a minimum of 12 credits in a single CAS rubric, outside of their major rubric. For additional options visit [oakland.edu/exploratory](http://oakland.edu/exploratory). Please confirm transfer course choices with an OU CAS adviser. ***Students using MTA or MACRAO must complete the exploratory requirement at Oakland University or another four-year institution.***

**NOTES:**

Oakland University will always honor the **MACRAO transfer agreement** and apply it to the General Education requirement the same as MTA.

The College of Arts and Sciences requires that a minimum of 16 credits in the major be completed at Oakland University.

Please contact [College of Arts and Sciences Advising](#) at (248) 370-4567 for more information regarding your degree requirements.

For more details about acceptance into the Social Work major, please go to [OU's Social Work Program](#) website.