

Full-time MSW Program

The full-time MSW program is located at Chapel Hill. Full-time students complete the 62 credit hours required for the MSW over the course of two years. The first year of study includes 32 hours of required Foundation courses, and the second year of study includes 30 credit hours to be taken in the student’s chosen concentration (see the charts below).

Foundation Schedule for Full-time Study

Fall Semester		
Number	Course Title	Credit
SoWo 500	Human Development in Context: Infancy to Adolescence (HBSE)	3
SoWo 530	Foundations of Social Welfare Policy (Policy)	3
SoWo 540	Social Work Practice with Individuals, Families, & Groups (Practice)	3
SoWo 570	Social Work Practice with Organizations & Communities (Practice)	3
SoWo 520	Social Work Practicum I (Field)	3
SoWo 523	Foundation Field Seminar I (Field)	1
Total Credit Hours		16
Spring Semester		
Number	Course Title	Credit
SoWo 501	Confronting Oppression and Institutional Discrimination (HBSE)*	3
SoWo 505	Human Development in Context: Adulthood and Older Adulthood (HBSE)	3
SoWo 510	Foundations for Evidence-Based Practice and Program Evaluation (Research)	3
SoWo 517	Integrated Practice (Practice)	3
SoWo 521	Social Work Practicum II (Field)	3
SoWo 524	Foundation Field Seminar II (Field)	1
Total Credit Hours		16

* On-line history of oppression course must be completed prior to registration for this class.

Advanced Curriculum Distributional Requirements

Curriculum Area	Credits
Advanced Human Behavior in the Social Environment/Practice	3
Advanced Policy	1.5
Advanced Research	1.5
Electives	12
Advanced Field	12
Total	30