

The following table outlines how transfer credits will be applied to the Bachelor of Science in Social Work degree at Miami University for students who completed an Associate of Arts degree via the Ohio Guaranteed Social Work Transfer Pathway. The OGTP designation guarantees the transfer and applicability of credits, but does not guarantee admission to a program. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive, and students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

COURSE EQUIVALENCIES FROM THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE	Course Number	Credit Hours
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS/OHIO TRANSFER 36		
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved First Writing (TME001) course	ENG 111	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved mathematics [Highly recommended: Introductory Statistics (TMM010)]	STA 261	4
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Arts related)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
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Introduction to Psychology (OSS015)	PSY 111	3
Introduction to Sociology (OSS021)	SOC 151 or SOC 153	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Natural Sciences course ¹	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Ohio Transfer 36 approved Biological Science course with lab (Recommended: Human Biology) ¹	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3-4
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Second Writing (TME002) course	ENG 112	3
Up to 9 hours of additional Ohio Transfer 36 approved courses ²	Ohio Transfer 36 Electives*	9
PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR		
Introduction to Social Work (OSS029)	FSW 201	3
Introduction to Social Welfare (OSS030)	FSW 206	3
OTHER REQUIREMENTS		
Choose three of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Culture and Diversity course: Such as Race and Ethnicity (OSS050), Social Problems (OSS025), or a course in cultural competence, diverse populations, international or global cultures and diversity • American Politics/Government (OSS011) • Marriage and Family (OSS023) • CDCA-certified Addictions course 	SOC 348 (OSS050), SOC 201 (OSS025), POL 241 (OSS011), SOC 363 (OSS023), and/or Elective*	9
Electives	Varies*	6-9
Volunteer Experience	Varies*	0-3
TOTAL HOURS FROM ASSOCIATE DEGREE:		60-65
Advising Notes: (*) Indicates that coursework will be evaluated for applicable equivalency upon transfer at the university. If a Transfer Assurance Guide (TAG) course is taken, the approved course equivalency will be awarded. ¹ Students intending to transfer to Miami University should take a biological science course with lab related to human biology and one course in physical sciences. ² Miami University requires an Economics course, such as Microeconomics (OSS004) or Macroeconomics (OSS005). Please work with your academic advisor and your receiving institution to determine an appropriate program of study.		

The following additional coursework will be required to complete the Bachelor of Science in Social Work degree at Miami University after a student has completed their Associate of Arts Ohio Guaranteed Social Work Transfer Pathway degree. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive and admission into the program is not guaranteed. Students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

REMAINING COURSEWORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE		Course Number	Credit Hours
Related Hours:	Economics (if not taken during associate degree program)	ECO 131, 201, or 202	0-3
Major Core Course:	Diverse Family Systems Across the Life Cycle	FSW 261	3
Major Core Course:	Research and Evaluation Methods	FSW 295	3
Major Core Course:	Social Work Practice I ¹	FSW 306	4
Major Core Course:	Social Welfare Policy II	FSW 309	3
Major Core Course:	Human Behavior in the Social Environment	FSW 312	3
Major Core Course:	Social Work Practice II ¹	FSW 406	4
Major Core Course:	Senior Field Experience I ¹	FSW 411	6
Major Core Course:	Senior Seminar in Social Work I ¹	FSW 412	2
Major Core Course:	Senior Seminar in Social Work II ¹	FSW 413	2
Major Core Course:	Senior Field Experience II ¹	FSW 414	6
Related Hours:	Select four courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children and Families: Ages Conception - 12 or Developmental Psychology • Interpersonal Perspectives on Adulthood and Aging or Adulthood and Aging • Family Theories • Adolescent Development in Diverse Families: Ages 13-25 • Social Psychology • Personality • Abnormal Psychology • Advanced Social Psychology • Psychology of Gender • Childhood Psychopathology and Developmental Disabilities 	(FSW 245 or PSY 231) (FSW 466 or PSY 334) FSW 475 FSW 481 PSY 221 PSY 241 PSY 242 PSY 324 PSY 326 PSY 345	12
General Education:	Thematic Sequence Course #1	Varies	3
General Education:	Thematic Sequence Course #2	Varies	3
General Education:	Thematic Sequence Course #3	Varies	3
General Education:	Advanced Writing Course	Varies	3
General Education:	Global Perspectives (two courses)	Varies	6
General Education:	Senior Capstone	Varies	3
REMAINING COURSEWORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:²			69-72
Advising Notes: ¹ The Social Work Methods courses, FSW 306 (Fall) and FSW 406 (Spring) must be completed in the junior year prior to beginning field experience. The social work field experience is taken in the senior year over two terms for a total of 450 clock hours in an agency setting (225 hours/term). Students are required to register for FSW 411 concurrently with FSW 412 and FSW 413 concurrently with FSW 414. ² Miami University requires a total of 124 credit hours for degree completion. The total number of hours to complete the bachelor's degree represents a range of hours that may be needed depending on the individual course selections made during the associate degree program.			

COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE	Total Credit Hours
BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:	124

SPECIAL NOTES

There is a formal application/admission process for the BSW program at Miami University. For more information, see <http://miamioh.edu/ehs/academics/departments/fsw/admission/index.html>

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SAMPLE DEGREE MAP

THIRD YEAR

SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
FSW 306 Social Work Practice I	4	FSW 406 Social Work Practice II	4
FSW 261 Diverse Family Systems Across the Life Cycle	3	Advanced Writing Course	3
FSW 295 Research and Evaluation Methods	3	Thematic Sequence	3
FSW 309 Social Welfare Policy II	3	Related Hours Course	3
FSW 312 Human Behavior in the Social Environment	3	Global Perspectives Course	3
Thematic Sequence	3	Economics course (if needed)	3
Total Semester 5 Credit Hours	19	Total Semester 6 Credit Hours	16-19

THIRD YEAR

SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
FSW 411 Senior Field Experience I	6	FSW 414 Senior Field Experience II	6
FSW 412 Senior Seminar in Social Work I	2	FSW 413 Senior Seminar in Social Work I	2
Senior Capstone	3	Related Hours Course	3
Related Hours Course	3	Related Hours Course	3
Thematic Sequence	3	Global Perspectives Course	3
Total Semester 7 Credit Hours	17	Total Semester 8 Credit Hours	17