

School of Social Work

Iowa Valley CC – Ellsworth and
Marshalltown

Criteria to enroll in professional core social work courses which start in fall.

Three pre-requisite courses must be completed with a C grade or better:

UI Requirement	AA – Iowa Valley CC Courses
SSW: 1022 Social Justice and Social Welfare in the U.S.	SOC 160 Intro Social Work
PSY:1001 Elementary Psychology	PSY 111
SOC:1010 Introduction to Sociology	SOC 110

And student meets these requirements:

- 2.0 G.P.A. minimum overall
- Completion of 45 s.h. or more
- Submits a signed Professional Social Work Agreement form (signed after criteria is met)

Social work-required course that may be completed before or after admission to the School of Social Work

UI Requirement	AA – Iowa Valley CC Courses
POLI:1100 Introduction to American Politics	POL 111

Additional UI General Education requirements

UI Requirement	AA – Iowa Valley CC Courses
Rhetoric: min of 4-8 s.h., as determined by the Department of Rhetoric	<i>Follow AA plan</i>
World Languages Pathways	View UI's World Languages Pathways for guidance.
Interpretation of Literature: 3 s.h.	<i>Follow AA plan</i>
Natural Sciences: 7 s.h.; must include one lab	<i>Follow AA plan</i>
Quantitative or Formal Reasoning: 3 s.h.	<i>Follow AA plan</i>
Social Sciences: 3 s.h.	<u>POL 111</u> (required for Social Work) <u>PSY 111</u> (required for Social Work) <u>SOC 110</u> (required for Social Work) <i>Follow AA plan</i>
Diversity and Inclusion: 3 s.h.	Can only be satisfied with course taken at University of Iowa
Historical Perspectives: 3 s.h.	<i>Follow AA plan</i>
Literary, Visual, and Performing Arts: 3 s.h.	<i>Follow AA plan</i>
International and Global Issues: 3 s.h.	<i>Follow AA plan</i>
Values and Culture: 3 s.h.	<i>Follow AA plan</i>
Sustainability: 3 s.h.	<i>Follow AA plan</i>

To be eligible to enroll in professional core social work courses:

- Students must first be admitted to the University of Iowa. <https://admissions.uiowa.edu/apply/transfer-student-application-process>
- View BA in Social Work admission details here: <https://socialwork.uiowa.edu/undergraduate/admissions>
- Questions? Contact: ssw-admissions@uiowa.edu
- This is only a guide. Adherence to the course listings does not guarantee admission to The University of Iowa.