

**BSW ARTICULATION AGREEMENT GUIDE**

Monroe County Community College – **Associate in Science (AS)**  
 Eastern Michigan University – **BSW Social Work**

**Monroe County Community College Courses:****Eastern Michigan University Courses:****Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (30 credits)**

Students with the MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one Perspectives on a Diverse World course, one Learning beyond the Classroom experience, and a writing intensive course in the major. Courses listed below for the MTA also satisfy program requirements at EMU and/or MCCC. For MCCC approved MTA courses go to Monroe's website. Students without an MTA or MACRAO endorsement must complete EMU's general education program.

**1. A course in English Composition**

ENGL 151	English Composition I (C3) .....	3	WRTG 120	General Transfer Credit .....	3
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**2. A course in English Composition or Communication**

ENGL 152	English Composition II .....	3	WRTG 121	Composition II .....	3
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**3. A course in Mathematics**

Choose one from the approved MTA list (C2) .....	4	General Transfer Credit .....	4
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**4. Two courses in Natural Sciences from different disciplines (one lab required)**

Choose two from the approved MTA list (C1) .....	7-8	General Transfer Credit .....	7-8
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**5. Two courses in Humanities and Fine Arts from different disciplines**

Choose two from the approved MTA list (C5) .....	6	General Transfer Credit .....	6
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**6. Two courses in Social Sciences from different disciplines**

* POLSC 151	Introduction to Political Science (C6) .....	3	PLSC 112	American Government .....	3
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* PSYCH 151	General Psychology .....	3	PSY 101	General Psychology .....	3
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**If needed, complete additional credits in any of the above categories to meet the 30 credit minimum for the MTA.**

**MCCC AS Requirements (30 credits)**

* ANTHR 152	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology .....	3	ANTH 135	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology .....	3
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* PSYCH 152	Psychology of Personality & Adjustment .....	3	PSY 207	Psychology of Adjustment (sub for PSY 360) .....	3
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* PSYCH 254	Life Span Psychology .....	3	EDPS 325	Lifespan Human Growth & Dev (4)-1 .....	3
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* SOC 151	Principles of Sociology .....	3	SOCL 105	Introductory Sociology .....	3
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* SWK 106	Child Welfare .....	3	SWRK 000	Social Work Elective .....	3
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* SWK 151	Introduction to Social Services .....	3	SWRK 120	Intro to Social Work Serv & Prof Roles .....	3
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* Complete two courses: .....	6	SWRK Restricted Cross-Cultural Electives .....	6
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BIOL 156; BMGT 220; ENGL 240, 255, 266; HUMAN 257;

GEOG 152; GWST 151; HIST 159, 173; IAS 105;

POLSC 211, 252; SOC 253

Computer Literacy Requirement (C4) .....	3	General Transfer Credit .....	3
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Open Electives .....	3	General Transfer Credits .....	3
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**EMU Requirements and Electives that May be Taken at MCCC or EMU (13 credits)**

Open Electives .....	13	General Transfer Credit .....	13
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<b>Credits at MCCC: .....</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>Credits that transfer to EMU .....</b>	<b>73</b>
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\*Required for EMU's BSW Social Work program. If not transferred, must be completed at EMU.

**Sign up with us:** If you let us know you are using this articulation agreement we can stay in touch with you and provide information and advising to you while you are still at your community college.

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**Completion of the BSW at EMU**

**Program Admission Process:**

1. Overall GPA of 2.3 or higher at time of admission to BSW program
2. Submission of an application which will be distributed in SWRK 251.
3. Completion of 40 hrs of post-high school volunteer, employment or internship experience in a human service setting.
4. Completion of introductory social work courses: SWRK 120, SWRK 200, SWRK 222, & SWRK 251 with grades of “C” or higher
5. Submission of a reflective essay completed in SWRK 251.

Meet with a BSW advisor to develop a Plan of Study and review progress to date

**Major Requirements (51 credits)**

**Pre-Admission Requirements (7 credits)**

<sup>2</sup> SWRK 200	Human Diversity and Social Justice.....	3
<sup>2</sup> SWRK 222	Social Welfare Policies & Services .....	3
<sup>2</sup> SWRK 251	Self-Assessment for the Profession of SW	1

**Program Requirements (44 credits)**

SWRK 315	Theoretical Bases for Social Work Practice ....	3
SWRK 317	Foundations of Social Work Practice .....	3
SWRK 318	Practice I: Skill Integration Seminar .....	1
<sup>3</sup> SWRK 319W	Writing for Agency Practice .....	3
<sup>1</sup> SWRK 350L2	General SW Practice: Orgs & Communities .	3
SWRK 405	Analysis & Change of Social Welfare Policies	3
SWRK 408	Generalist SW Practice: Orgs & Communities	3
SWRK 409	Generalist SW Practice with Groups.....	3
SWRK 430	SW Eval & Research: Qual & Stat Mthds .....	4
SWRK 450	Social Work Practice with Women and Girls	3
SWRK 451	Social Work Practice with People of Color ..	3
<sup>2</sup> SWRK 488L4	Field Experience I.....	6
<sup>2</sup> SWRK 489L4	Field Experience II.....	6

<b>Credits at EMU:</b>	<b>.....51</b>
<b>Transfer Credits:</b>	<b>.....73</b>
<b>Minimum Credits to Graduate:</b>	<b>.....124</b>

<sup>1</sup> Satisfies EMU's Learning Beyond the Classroom requirement.

<sup>2</sup>Students may concurrently register in SWRK 120, 200, 251 and 222 at EMU while completing the program at MCCC; or take during the spring/summer semester prior to starting the Social Work sequence at EMU. These courses are pre-requisites for all upper division SWRK courses.

<sup>3</sup>Satisfies EMU's Writing Intensive requirement.

Note: Students will apply for admission to the Social Work program while enrolled in SWRK 251.

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### Additional Information:

1. Each institution will determine the satisfaction of their individual program and degree requirements. Both institutions agree to accept transferrable courses from each other and from other regionally accredited institutions. MCCC courses indicated with an \* are required for EMU's BSW Social Work. Substitutions for these courses must be approved by the EMU program coordinator.
2. Students with the MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one "Perspectives on a Diverse World" course, one "Learning Beyond the Classroom" experience, and a "Writing Intensive" course in the major. The Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement may be transferred to EMU.  
*To use the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA), students must have an official community college transcript, with the "MTA Satisfied" endorsement sent to EMU's Admissions Office. Students who do not have "MTA Satisfied" on their community college transcript, will be required to satisfy EMU's general education requirements as applied to transfer students. The MTA may be completed after admission to EMU, however, students should inform their advisors or they may be advised to complete additional courses for the general education program. If already on the transcript, the MACRAO designation will be accepted at EMU after August 2019.*
3. Only courses with a grade of "C" or better (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be accepted for transfer to either institution.
4. Under this agreement, EMU will waive the 60-hour rule and require that a minimum of 30 credit hours must be completed in EMU courses, with at least 15 hours in the program or (9 hours in the major and 6 hours in the minor), at the 300-level or above. Of the last 30 hours completed before graduating, a minimum of 10 credit hours must be in courses offered by EMU. A minimum of 124 credit hours, completed in-residence or accepted in transfer, is required for graduation.
5. Students must satisfy all admission requirements at the time of application for admission to EMU, including submitting transcripts from all previously attended colleges. MCCC students will receive equal consideration with other students for course registration and financial aid.
6. Eligibility in the required two semesters of senior-year field placement includes:
  - a) A cumulative GPA of a 2.3 in all EMU courses (must be maintained through field placement),
  - b) A minimum grade of "C" in each required SWRK course, completion of all required social work courses through the 300 level,
  - c) A minimum of 40 hours (post high school) volunteer work, internship, or work experience at a social welfare agency or organization that is documented by a reference letter from the supervisor of that experience.
  - d) A written essay on the student's interest in social work as a career.
7. Students are encouraged to contact EMU's BSW Social Work program coordinator before applying to EMU. To facilitate advising and the evaluation of transcripts, [sign up for this articulation agreement](#) and bring a copy of this articulation guide to all advising sessions.

### Effective Date: September 1, 2020 until August 31, 2023.

This is a renewal of an agreement made in May 2004 and renewed in September 2007, September 2010, September 2013 and September 2017. This agreement is consistent with the 2020-2021 catalog. Students have until summer 2028 to graduate from Eastern Michigan University following this agreement. In the event that a student does not complete the program within seven years, they may be required to have their credits reevaluated using the requirements of the current articulation guide.

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