

Eastern Michigan University School of Social Work
BSW Field Placement Calendar
Fall 2020 – Winter 2021 (SWRK 488/489)

Fall 2020

Monday, August 31 st	Fall classes begin*
Monday, September 7 th	Labor Day. No classes
Friday, September 25 th (for field instructors & faculty liaisons, no students) <i>More information to follow</i>	Fall Field Instructor Orientation
November 25 th - 29 th <i>Wednesday – Sunday</i>	Thanksgiving recess. No classes
Week of December 7 th	Last week of Fall field placement**
Friday, December 11 th	Last day of classes
December 14 th – 18 th	Final exams

Winter 2021

Wednesday, January 6 th	Winter classes begin*
Monday, January 18 th	Martin Luther King Jr. Day. No classes
Friday, January 29 th (for field instructors & faculty liaisons, no students) <i>More information to follow</i>	Winter Field Instructor Orientation
March 1 st – 7 th <i>Monday – Sunday</i>	Winter recess. No classes
April 2 nd – 4 th <i>Friday – Sunday</i>	Spring recess. No classes
Week of April 12 th	Last week of Winter field placement**
Tuesday, April 20 th	Last day of classes
April 21 st – 27 th	Final exams

* **Placement begins after students attend 1st field placement class.** Start dates will vary for different students depending on several factors. If you have questions please talk to your faculty liaison or the field office. Please be aware that some agencies may offer or require training before the first day of Fall field seminar.

Total hours: 400 (200 hours Fall; 200 hours Winter @ 16 hours/week)

******Could be extended through exams in order to meet 200 hours each semester with faculty liaison permission.

Per our agency agreements, students may not end their placements more than one week prior to the last official week of field placement. This policy is to be upheld even if field hours have been met.