

Eastern Michigan University School of Social Work  
BSW & Advanced MSW Field Placement Calendar  
Fall 2025 - Winter 2026 (SWRK 488/489 & SWRK 695/696)

Fall 2025

Monday, August 25 <sup>th</sup>	Fall Classes Begin*
Monday, September 1 <sup>st</sup>	Labor Day - No Classes; University Closed
October 13 <sup>th</sup> - October 19 <sup>th</sup>	Fall Break - No Classes; University Open
November 26 <sup>th</sup>	Thanksgiving Recess - No Classes; University Open
November 27-30 <sup>th</sup>	Thanksgiving Recess - No Classes; University Closed
Week of December 8 <sup>th</sup>	Last week of Fall Field Placement**
Sunday, December 14 <sup>th</sup>	Last Day of Classes
Sunday, December 14 <sup>th</sup>	Commencement
December 15 <sup>th</sup> -19 <sup>th</sup>	Final Exams
December 24 <sup>th</sup> -January 1 <sup>st</sup>	University Closed

Winter 2026

Monday, January 12 <sup>th</sup>	Winter classes begin*
Monday, January 19 <sup>th</sup>	MLK Jr. Day - No Classes; University Open
March 1-7 <sup>th</sup>	Winter Break - No Classes; University Open
April 3-5 <sup>th</sup>	Spring Recess - No Classes; University Closed
April 20 <sup>th</sup>	Last week of Winter Field Placement**
April 26 <sup>th</sup>	Last Day of Classes
April 27 <sup>th</sup> - May 1 <sup>st</sup>	Final Exams
May 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Commencement

\* Placement internships start dates will vary among students. Typically, placement begins after students attend the 1<sup>st</sup> field placement class of the semester. Students are permitted to start as early as the first day of the semester but may not begin before the first day of semester classes. If you have questions, please talk to your faculty liaison or the field education office staff.

-Total hours: BSW: 400 (200 hours Fall; 200 hours Winter) MSW: 500 (250 Fall; 250 Winter)

\*\*Could be extended through exams to meet required semester hours with faculty liaison permission. *Per field education policy and 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 internships hours have been completed.*