

**Eastern Michigan University School of Social Work
MSW Foundation Placement Calendar
Fall 2018 – Winter 2019 (SWRK 695/696)**

Fall 2018

Wednesday, September 5 th	Fall classes begin*
Friday, September 28 th	Field Instructor Orientation (for field instructors & faculty liaisons, no students) <i>More information to follow</i>
November 21 nd – 25 th	Thanksgiving recess. No classes <i>Wednesday – Sunday</i>
Week of December 10 th	Last week of fall field placement**
Tuesday, December 11 th	Last day of classes
December 12 th – 18 th	Final exams

Winter 2019

Monday, January 7 th	Winter classes begin*
Monday, January 21 st	Martin Luther King Jr. Day. No classes
Early February	Field Instructor Orientation/Alumni event (for field instructors & faculty liaisons, no students) <i>More information to follow</i>
February 25 th - March 3 rd	Winter recess. No classes <i>Monday – Sunday</i>
Week of April 15 th	Last week of winter field placement**
Thursday, April 18 th	Last day of classes
April 19 th – 21 st	Spring recess. No classes <i>Friday – Sunday</i>
April 22 nd – 26 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: 500 (250 hours fall; 250 hours winter @ 20 hours/week)

******Could be extended through exams in order to meet 250 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.