

Bachelor of Social Work



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Youngstown State University's (YSU) Bachelor of Social Work (B.S.W.) is a 124 total credit hour program combining general education, social science support courses, social work courses, and a two semester internship experience resulting in a Council on Social Work Education accredited B.S.W. degree. Students complete general education and support courses offered through Lakeland Community College. Social work courses are completed at Lakeland's Holden University Center through YSU. Upon receipt of the B.S.W. degree and passage of an exam, recipients are eligible for Licensed Social Worker status in the State of Ohio. The B.S.W. program offers students opportunities to pursue a broad range of employment opportunities in human services agencies.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

The following pre-social work courses must be completed prior to admission to junior and senior level social work courses: ENG1110, ENG1120, SPCH1150, SOCY1150, ANTH1160, PSYC1500, POLS1300, PHIL1300, PHIL2000, PHIL2700, BIOL1140, SOCY2250, HMSV2261, HMSV2116, MATH1550, SCWK2642, SCWK2644.

To qualify for admission to the social work major, students must also meet the following requirements:

1. Complete all pre-social work courses with a "C" or better.
2. Possess an overall Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 or better.
3. Submit a completed Admission Application before the fourth week of the semester preceeding the semester for which admission is sought.
4. Participate in an admission interview and be approved for admission by the B.S.W. Program Admission Committee.

General Education Requirements

Students also complete a range of required general education courses at Lakeland Community College.

TUITION & FEES:

YSU tuition and fees can be found at <http://cms.yzu.edu/administrative-offices/english-language-institute/tuition-and-fees>.

REGISTRATION PROCEDURE:

When eligible for enrollment in YSU courses, students apply for admission to YSU, are advised by a YSU advisor, and register for courses online.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR:

YSU follows 16-week semesters. YSU offers social work courses at Lakeland's Holden University Center only in the fall and spring semesters of each year. To view YSU's complete Academic Calendar, please visit: http://web.yzu.edu/gen/ysu/Events_Calendar_m2122.html.

DELIVERY MODE:

Pre-social work courses may be completed in any mode offered by Lakeland Community College. YSU social work courses are taught in a face-to-face lecture format at Lakeland's Holden University Center.

TEXTBOOK PURCHASE:

Textbooks for YSU social work courses are available at the Lakeland Bookstore.

TOTAL HOURS NEEDED:

The Bachelor of Social Work degree requires 124 credit hours.

FINANCIAL AID INFO:

Prior to registration for YSU course, contact the YSU Office of Financial Aid: 330.941.1594. See the YSU website at www.yzu.edu for scholarship opportunities.

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