

MSW Part Time Plan of Study 2025-2026 (3 Years)

Courses are only offered in the semester in which they are listed on the plan of study and should be taken in the order notated on the plan of study. Changes to the plan of study may impact program progression and expected graduation dates. Students should contact their advisor to discuss changes to their plan of study and course schedule.

Year 1: Semester 1 (Fall)	Year 1: Semester 2 (Spring)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5090 Human Behavior and the Social Environment (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5060 Social Work Practice with Individuals (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5050 Foundations of Social Work Practice (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5100 Generalist Social Work Research (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5200 Social Work in a Diverse Community (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 6710 Advanced Practice w/ Indigenous Populations (3cr.)
Year 1: Semester 3 (Summer I)	Year 1: Semester 4 (Summer II)
<input type="checkbox"/> Elective (6 total hours of electives required) (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Elective (6 total hours of electives required) (3cr.)
Year 2: Semester 1 (Fall)	Year 2: Semester 2 (Spring)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5070 Social Welfare Policies and Programs (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5410 Social Work Practice Administration in Rural Settings (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5580 Advanced Generalist Social Work Practice with Groups/Organizations in Rural Communities (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5300 Generalist Practicum I and Seminar (215 Hour Field Practicum) (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> Elective (if needed) (6 total hours of electives required) (3cr.)	
Year 2: Semester 3 (Summer I)	Year 2: Semester 4 (Summer II)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5400 Generalist Practicum II and Seminar (215 Hour Field Practicum) (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5400 Generalist Practicum II and Seminar (215 Hour Field Practicum) (continued from Summer I)
	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5080 Advanced Generalist Practice in Rural Settings (3cr.)
Year 3: Semester 1 (Fall)	Year 3: Semester 2 (Spring)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5430 Advanced Generalist Practice w/ Individuals and Families (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5450 Advanced Generalist Intervention Research (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5650 Mental Health Diagnostics (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5750 Advanced Generalist Assessment and Intervention Methods (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5500 Advanced Generalist Practicum I and Seminar (250 Hour Field Practicum) (4cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5800 Advanced Generalist Practicum II and Seminar (250 Hour Field Practicum) (4cr.)

OPTIONAL: Plan of Study for School Social Work Licensure (MSW)

Coursework is to be completed before or in conjunction with the field practicum.

Students must earn a grade of C or better in all courses and meet all MSW degree requirements.

[School Social Work Licensure](#)

EDN/SED 5120 Advanced Studies of Exceptional Child (3cr.)

<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5370 Advanced Practice in School Social Work (3cr.) - Offered Only in Summer
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5500 & 5800 Advanced Generalist Practicum I and II must be completed in a NC Public School under the supervision of a school social worker licensed in NC at a minimum of a M-level of licensure and incorporating the NCDPI School Social Work Standards of Practice

OPTIONAL: Plan of Study for Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Recovery Certificate / “Criteria C”

Courses should be started during Summer I before the advanced generalist year and completed during the advanced generalist year.
Students must earn a grade of C or better in all courses and meet all MSW degree requirements.

[Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Recovery](#)

<input type="checkbox"/> Summer I (Async Online): SWK 6170 Introduction to Substance Use Disorders (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> Summer II (Async Online): SWK 6190 Ethics and Diversity in Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Recovery (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> Fall of Advanced Generalist Year (Sync Online): SWK 6180 Science of Substance Use Disorders (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> Spring of Advanced Generalist Year (Sync Online): SWK 6200 Assessment and Treatment of Substance Use Disorders (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5500 & 5800 Advanced Generalist Practicum I and II must be completed in a SUD, co-occurring disorder, or integrated care treatment/prevention setting with board-approved supervision and incorporating the Twelve Core Functions

Elective Courses (6 hours required)

Elective courses are offered in random order. Students are encouraged to consider taking electives during their summer semesters if possible.

<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5710: Grant Writing (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5720: Advanced Social Work Practice with Individuals with Varying Abilities (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5370: Advanced Practice in School Social Work (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 6060: Crisis Intervention in Social Work (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 6170: Introduction to Substance Use Disorders (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 6180: Science of Substance Use Disorders (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 6190: Ethics and Diversity in Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Recovery (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 6200: Assessment and Treatment of Substance Use Disorders (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 6300: Human Trafficking in the US (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 6400: Forensic Social Work (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 6500: Military Social Work (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 5700: Child Welfare (Rural/Indigenous Communities (3cr.)
<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 6700: Integrated Health Policy and Services (3cr.)	<input type="checkbox"/> SWK 6xxx. Special Topics in Social Work (3cr.)