



# 2026 - 2027 Associate in Arts: Social Work Pathway

Arts and Sciences / University Transfer

MULTIPLE LOCATIONS | VARIED SEMESTER LENGTHS | NUMEROUS PROGRAMS | FINANCIAL AID



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## Associate in Arts: Social Work Pathway

**All Pathways are design to transfer to a four-year institution for eventual completion of a BA/BS or BFA degree.**

The social work pathway prepares graduates to enter a bachelor degree program in social work, and the field of social work spans multiple career options. Many people choose a social work career based on the types of people they want to help as well as the work environment they prefer.

Many social workers provide clinical and case management services directly to individuals, couples, families, and groups. Social workers serve clients dealing with a range of challenges including poverty, physical and mental health issues, addiction, and family problems. They may provide clinical services, such as therapy or counseling, and connect people to resources in the community to help them overcome challenges.

The Social Work Pathway is fully online.

### For More Information:

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### Total Cost Estimate

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|-------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Tuition per Semester (NC Resident)</b>             | \$1,216.00 (16+ credit hours)<br>\$76.00/credit hour (1-15 hours)  |
| <b>Computer Use and Technology Fee</b>                | \$48/semester                                                      |
| <b>Activity Fee</b>                                   | Fall and Spring semesters only,<br>Main campus and Online, \$45.00 |
| <b>CAPS Fee (Campus Access, Parking and Security)</b> | \$30/semester                                                      |
| <b>Matriculation Fee</b>                              | \$25/semester                                                      |
| <b>Student Insurance</b>                              | \$2/Semester                                                       |
| <b>Consumable Supply Fees</b>                         | \$20 Some ART, BIO,CHM, HEA, PED, and<br>PHY courses               |
| <b>Books</b>                                          | cost may vary                                                      |

|              | Course Prefix | Course Name                  | Credit Hours |
|--------------|---------------|------------------------------|--------------|
| 1st Semester | ACA 122       | College Transfer Success     | 1            |
|              | COM 120       | Intro to Interpersonal Com   | 3            |
|              | ENG 111       | Writing and Inquiry          | 3            |
|              | MAT 152       | Statistical Methods I        | 4            |
|              | PSY 150       | General Psychology           | 3            |
| 2nd Semester | ART 114       | Art History Survey I         | 3            |
|              | BIO 110       | Principles of Biology        | 4            |
|              | ENG 112       | Writing/Research in the Disc | 3            |
|              | SOC 210       | Introduction to Sociology    | 3            |
|              | SOC 225       | Social Diversity             | 3            |
| 3rd Semester | ANT 220       | Cultural Anthropology        | 3            |
|              | BIO 163       | Basic Anat & Physiology      | 5            |
|              | HSE 110       | Intro to Human Services      | 3            |
|              | POL 120       | American Government          | 3            |
|              | PSY 241       | Developmental Psych          | 3            |
| 4th Semester | HIS 132       | American History II          | 3            |
|              | HUM 220       | Human Values and Meaning     | 3            |
|              | PHI 215       | Philosophical Issues         | 3            |
|              | PSY 281       | Abnormal Psychology          | 3            |
|              | SOC 213       | Sociology of the Family      | 3            |

AA and AS degrees require completion of a minimum of 60 semester hours of credit, but pathways may include extra hours to meet university baccalaureate degree plans. Completion of hours beyond 60 may not be required to meet AA or AS graduation requirements but is recommended based on programs offered by intended transfer institutions.