

Bakersfield College 2025-2026

This list includes only the requirements that are commonly seen in transfer and is not a comprehensive list of all the course requirements within the BA Social Work program. For a complete list of program requirements, please refer to the University of Massachusetts Global catalog.

Further information regarding the courses below can be found in the University of Massachusetts Global [Course Articulation Database \(CAD\)](#).

General Education Requirements

Foundation Courses		
SOWK 300	Social Work Foundations	No Comparable Course(s)
SOWK 303	Diversity and Justice in a Global Society	No Comparable Course(s)
SOWK 304	Social Welfare	No Comparable Course(s)
SOWK 309	Introduction to Social Research	No Comparable Course(s)
SOWK 418	Social Policy	No Comparable Course(s)

Degree Requirements & Concentrations/Electives

BA Social Work consists of 42 credits of core courses and 6 credits of electives to fulfill the 48 credit requirement for the program. Students must select the 6 elective credits from a specific list.

It is possible for transfer courses to meet course requirements within the emphasis area.

***Minimum of 30 credits completed in residence at University of Massachusetts Global; 18 of which must be upper-division credits, 12 of which must be in the student's major.**