ASSOCIATE OF ARTS TO A BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI – ST. LOUIS & JEFFERSON COLLEGE
TRANSFER GUIDE

This Guide is intended for the use of students who plan on transferring from Jefferson College (JC) to the University of Missouri – St. Louis (UMSL) to pursue a Bachelor of Social Work.

For more information on UMSL’s Bachelor of Social Work, please visit our online course catalog.

The following are the requirements of the JC Associate of Arts degree program as they are recommended for students intending to continue on into UMSL’s Bachelor of Social Work. Completing these requirements as they are recommended here will maximize the transferability of a student’s coursework toward their UMSL Bachelor’s degree. Further details of this Associate’s degree program, as well as comprehensive lists of courses that satisfy each General Education component, may be found within the JC course catalog or may be obtained through a JC advisor.

This guide is intended for use under advisement of a JC Academic Advisor or UMSL Transfer Specialist and is not considered to be substitution of such advisement.

To be eligible for admission into the UMSL Social Work Program, a student must maintain a cumulative college GPA of 2.5 or higher and GPA of 2.75 or higher overall Social Work and Related Area courses, which have been designated below with an asterisk (*).

GENERAL EDUCATION – CORE 42

Communications – Written & Oral 9 hours required
☐ ENG 101 English Composition I (MOTR ENGL 100) (3)
☐ ENG 102 English Composition II (MOTR ENGL 200) (3)
☐ Complete one of the following courses:
   COM 100 Fundamentals of Communication (MOTR COMM 100) (3)
   COM 110 Public Speaking (MOTR COMM 110) (3)

Mathematical Sciences 3 hours required
☐ Complete 1 of the following courses:
   MTH 131 Survey of College Mathematics (MOTR MATH 120) (3)
   MTH 134 College Algebra (MOTR MATH 130) (3)
   Or other, higher-level MTH course

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Social and Behavioral Sciences 9 hours required
☐ *PSC 102 U.S. and Missouri Govt and Const (MOTR POSC 101) (3)
☐ *PSY 101/H General Psychology (MOTR PSYC 100) (3)
☐ *SOC/H 101 General Sociology (MOTR SOCI 101) (3)

Humanities and Fine Arts 9 hours required
☐ PHL 201 World Religions (MOTR RELG 100) (3) *course will fulfill UMSL’s Cultural Diversity requirement
☐ Complete 2 additional courses in the Humanities and Fine Arts from MOTR list

Life and Physical Sciences 7 hours minimum required, must include 1 lab
☐ BIO 101/H General Biology (MOTR BIOL 100L) (5)
☐ Complete 1 additional course in the Life and Physical Sciences from MOTR list (3)

CORE 42 ELECTIVE(S) (MOTR COURSES TO REACH 42 CREDIT HOURS)
☐ ECO 100 Introduction to Economics (MOTR ECO 100) (3)
☐ Electives to reach 42 hours

REQUIRED ELECTIVES for AA-General Transfer Studies (60 hours minimum)
☐ SWK 105 Introduction to Social Work (3)
☐ SWK 110 Social Work Lab (1)
☐ PSY 215 Social Psychology (3)
☐ Choose 3 courses from the following:
   PSY 225 Abnormal Psychology (3)
   CRJ 120 Juvenile Justice System (3)
   CRJ 140 Ethics in Criminal Justice
   SOC 210 Alcohol, Drugs, and Society (3)
   SOC240 Marriage and Family (3)
☐ Elective Course:

For questions about this transfer guide please call the Office of Admissions at 314-516-5451

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