



Requirement Information:

- ❖ **2 Year students** starting summer 2020 or later must successfully complete **81 total credits**.
- ❖ **Advanced Standing students** starting summer 2020 or later must successfully complete **54 total credits**.
- ❖ Stipends or Certificates may add additional required courses, which would be placed in the electives category.

Below is information on the basic courses required for **Foundation Curriculum** or **Advanced Standing Curriculum** and the Concentration Overview of Credits needed for all concentrations. If a student is pursuing a dual degree, the requirements for the dual degree must replace those listed here for the concentration credits.

Foundation Required Courses – 2 Year Students:

Course Title	Course Number	Prereq for SOWK	Credits
Professional Development Seminar	4000		1
Clinical Social Work Skills	4001		3
Integrated Practice for Social Justice	4020	4003, 4007 & 4120	4
Power, Privilege, and Oppression	4132		3
Human Behavior and the Social Environment	4006	4003	3
Clinical Social Work Theory and Practice	4003		3
Community/Macro SW Theory and Practice	4007		4
Evidence for Practice	4201	4900	3
Social Policy Analysis, Advocacy, and Practice	4120		3
Foundation Field (<i>usually 3 credits per quarter</i>)	4950	4970	9
Total Foundation Academic and Field Credits			36

Foundation Required Courses - Advanced Standing Students:

Course Title	Course Number	Credits
Advanced Standing Seminar	4299	3
Power, Privilege, and Oppression	4132	3
Evidence for Practice	4201	3
Total Foundation Academic Credits		9

Basic Concentration Requirements – See Concentration Requirement Sheet for Specifics

Course Type	Course Number	Credits
Required Theories Overview	Varies by concentration	3
Required Methods Overview	Varies by concentration	3
Two Additional Required/Choice Methods	Varies by concentration	6
Required Policy	Varies by concentration	3

Summer 2020 and After

Required Research Methods (<i>or approved special topics</i>)	SOWK 4900	3
Required Values Course	Student Choice except SDGP	3
Concentration Electives (<i>certificates fill these if applicable</i>)	Student Choice	12*
Concentration Field (<i>usually 4 credits per quarter</i>)	SOWK 4970	12*
Total Concentration Credits (<i>see field notes below</i>)		45

*Some concentration placements are pre-approved for additional hours, and account for 5 credits per quarter for a total of 15 field credits. If field has additional hours, student will need 1 less elective:

- ❖ 15 credits of SOWK 4970 Concentration Internship = student needs 3 electives (9 credits), instead of 4 (12 credits)

Other Notes:

- ❖ Specific concentration requirement sheets can be found at the [GSSW Student Resource Portal - Advising + Academic Planning Tab](#)
- ❖ All students may take up to 10 credits in another graduate school or through MSW@Denver toward degree through the [Visiting Student application](#)
- ❖ All required courses must be retaken if failed