

NORTHERN TRANSFER TRACK

SOCIAL WORK

Below are the official Keweenaw Bay Ojibwa College and Northern Michigan University courses for your transfer pathway. Meet with your academic and/or faculty advisor to discuss and create your personal degree plan each semester. Declare your participation in this articulation agreement by going to nmu.edu/admissions/nmutransferagreementsignup! This will let NMU know a little bit about you and we will connect you with your personal admissions counselor to give you a head start on degree planning.



ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN GENERAL STUDIES

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

FIRST YEAR	
Keweenaw Bay Ojibwa Community College Fall Semester	Northern Michigan University Equivalency
☐ LS 103 College Success OR LS 133 Online College Success	☐ GEN 1009 (MTA)
☐ EN 102 English Composition 1	☐ EN 111 (EFFC/MTA)
☐ MA 103 Quantitative Reasoning (pre-req for MA 201) *	☐ MA 1001 (QUAR/MTA & Math Graduation Requirement w/C or better)
☐ OS 110 Ojibwa Language & Culture 1	☐ NAS 101 (HUME/MTA)
☐ GE 110 Career Pathways	☐ GEN 1009
Keweenaw Bay Ojibwa Community College Winter Semester	Northern Michigan University Equivalency
☐ EN 106 Sharing Information & Stories Orally	☐ EWC 1009 (EFFC/MTA & World Cultures Graduation Requirement)
☐ Humanities Elective (4 Credits)	☐ MTA
☐ AS 102 Anishinaabe Values & Philosophy	☐ INTT 1009 (General Education + Human Behavior Cluster Minor - Diversity)
☐ PSY 101 Intro to Psychology	☐ PSY 101 (PERS + Human Behavior Cluster Minor - Psychological Science)
SECOND YEAR	
Keweenaw Bay Ojibwa Community College Fall Semester	Northern Michigan University Equivalency
☐ EN 202 College Composition 2	☐ EN 211 (EFFC/MTA & Written English Competency Graduation Requirement w/C or better)
☐ Humanities Elective (4 Credits)	☐ MTA
☐ BI 223 Anatomy & Physiology	☐ BI 213/213L (MTA & Laboratory Graduation Requirement + Human Behavior Cluster Minor - Biological Science)
☐ SO 101 Intro to Sociology	☐ SO 101 (PERS + Human Behavior Cluster Minor - Sociological Science)
Keweenaw Bay Ojibwa Community College Winter	Northern Michigan University Equivalency
☐ Natural Science Elective (4 Credits)	☐ MTA
☐ EC 201 Microeconomics OR EC 202 Macroeconomics	☐ EC 201 (MTA + Human Behavior Cluster Minor - Economic Justice) OR EC 202 (MTA/SCII + HBCM - Economic Justice)
☐ Physical Education Elective (1 Credit)	☐ HP 1009 (General Elective)
☐ IS 110 Principles of Information Systems	☐ CIS 110 (General Elective)
☐ GE 295, GE 298, OR GE 299 Experiential Learning (1-3 Credits)	☐ GEN 1009 (General Elective)
☐ GE 207 Capstone Seminar	☐ GEN 1009 (General Elective)

*Students that have completed MA 201 and earned at least a C at KBOCC will have met the requirement for the Research Methods Human Behavior Cluster Minor and will be allowed to enroll in SW 308 Research Methods II during their first semester at NMU.

TOTAL KBOCC CREDIT HOURS: 61 - 63

TRANSFER TO NORTHERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Apply to Northern Michigan University at [nmu.edu/apply](https://www.nmu.edu/apply)
Submit official transcripts from all colleges and/or universities attended.
To learn more about the transfer process, visit [nmu.edu/transfer](https://www.nmu.edu/transfer) or email transfer@nmu.edu
Visit [nmu.edu/socialwork](https://www.nmu.edu/socialwork) or email sosw@nmu.edu for more information on this pathway

THIRD YEAR AT NORTHERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY		FOURTH YEAR AT NORTHERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY	
Fall Semester		Fall Semester	
☐	SW 100 Exploring Social Work (Major)	☐	SW 473 Senior Seminar (Major)
☐	SW 230 Human Behavior in the Social Environment (Major)	☐	SW 480 Senior Field Placement (Major)
☐	SO 208 OR DATA 109 OR PSY 201 (Human Behavior Cluster minor - Research Methods/SW 308 pre-req)	☐	SW 472 Diversity (Major)
☐	Select 1: SO 322, SO 362, SO 372, SO 433, GN 100, GN 444, NAS 320, NAS 342, PL 250, PL 310, PSY 420 (HBCM - Social Justice)	☐	SW 308 Research Methods 2 (Major)
APPLY TO UPPER DIVISION SOCIAL WORK PROGRAM BY OCTOBER 1ST			
Winter Semester		Winter Semester	
☐	SW 331 Human Behavior and Social Environment 2 (Major)	☐	SW 474 Integrative Senior Seminar 2 (Major)
☐	SW 341 Social Welfare Policy (Major)	☐	SW 481 Senior Field Placement 2 (Major) SW
☐	SW 370 Generalist Practice Methods 1 (Major)	☐	440 Social Work Policy Analysis (Major) Other
☐	SW 372 Generalist Practice Methods 2 (Major)	☐	required course or elective

Complete a minimum of 30 semester hours of credit in residence at Northern Michigan University, excluding advanced placement credit. Transfer students must earn a minimum of eight credits in each major and four credits in each minor.

TOTAL NMU CREDIT HOURS: 57-59 GRAND TOTAL OF CREDITS AT KBOCC AND NMU: 120 - 121

ADDITIONAL STEPS TO ENTER THE SOCIAL WORK PROGRAM

- ☐ Earn a 2.50 GPA in the social work major and cluster minor at the time of application to the upper level curriculum
- ☐ Pass SW 100 and SW 230 prior to admission to the upper level curriculum
- ☐ Five of the seven clusters in the Human Behavior Cluster must have been completed at time of application
- ☐ A written personal statement

This pathway is active from **May 2025 – May 2028**. For the full articulation agreement visit [nmu.edu/articulationagreements/](https://www.nmu.edu/articulationagreements/). Students are responsible for meeting with their academic adviser regularly to ensure they remain on track within the program as outlined in the agreement.

FOR ASSISTANCE WITH YOUR TRANSFER ADMISSIONS PROCESS, CONTACT:

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