

# Illinois State University – Master of Social Work Program



## **SCHOOL SOCIAL WORK**

### **Plan of Study: Advanced Standing, Two Years**

*The Advanced Standing option is for students who have completed a BSW degree from a CSWE accredited program within the previous 8 years.*

### **30 CREDIT HOURS REQUIRED**

**\*Requires 1 elective**

<b>Professional Educator License (PEL) requirements:</b>
<a href="#">Create an ELIS Account</a>
File <a href="#">Intent to Certify</a> through ISU College of Education
<a href="#">School Social Worker Content Exam (184 or 238)</a> (must be completed by the end of fall semester during your specialist practicum)

## Year 1 - SPECIALIST

### Fall Semester

Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Course Meeting <sup>^</sup>
SWK 450	Psychopathology	3	Th 5:30-8:20 pm
SWK 461	School Policy	3	W 5:30-8:20 pm
	Elective*	(3)	TBD
<b>Semester Total:</b>		<b>6 (9)</b>	

### Spring Semester

Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Course Meeting <sup>^</sup>
SWK 454	Practice with Children and Adolescents	3	W 1-3:50 pm or W 5:30-8:20 pm
SWK 463	Social Work Practice in School	3	Th 5:30-8:20 pm
	Elective*	(3)	TBD
<b>Semester Total:</b>		<b>6 (9)</b>	

### Summer Semester

Number	Course Name	Credits	Course Meeting <sup>^</sup>
SED 411	Survey of Methods in Special Education	3	Online
	Elective*	(3)	TBD
<b>Semester Total:</b>		<b>3 (6)</b>	

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<sup>^</sup>Course meeting times are subject to change.

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## Year 2 - SPECIALIST

### Fall Semester

Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Course Meeting <sup>^</sup>
SWK 445	Practice Evaluation I	2	M 4-5:50 pm or M 6-7:50 pm
SWK 491	Specialized Practicum Seminar I	1	M 4-5:50 pm or M 6-7:50 pm
SWK 498.03	Specialized Practicum I (350 hours per semester; 22-25 hours per week)	3	NA
<b>Semester Total:</b>		<b>6</b>	

### Spring Semester

Course Number	Course Name	Credits	Course Meeting <sup>^</sup>
SWK 448	Practice Evaluation II	2	M 4-5:50 pm or M 6-7:50 pm
SWK 492	Specialized Practicum Seminar II	1	M 4-5:50 pm or M 6-7:50 pm
SWK 498.04	Specialized Practicum II (350 hours per semester; 22-25 hours per week)	3	NA
<b>Semester Total:</b>		<b>6</b>	

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