

Articulation Agreement between  
North Central Missouri College and William Woods University  
January 24, 2012

North Central Missouri College (NCCMC), Trenton, MO, and William Woods University (WVU), Fulton, MO, agree to provide the courses listed on the attached curriculum guide to enable students to complete the Associate in Arts at NCCMC and meet the requirements for the Bachelor of Social Work at WVU. It is also agreed that the courses required for the Associate of Arts at NCCMC will be accepted by WVU as meeting the requirements for up to 70 hours of the Bachelor of Social Work, as shown in the attached curriculum guide. Grades of C or higher must be earned for a course to transfer.

Students with completed Associate of Arts degrees at NCCMC will meet all Common Studies (general education) requirements at WVU.

NCCMC and WVU agree to provide student support services including admissions, academic advising, library access, technical support, and other services as needed and appropriate. The staffs at both institutions will coordinate their student services to assure a smooth transition from one institution to another.

NCCMC and WVU will continue to review the course offerings on the attached curriculum guide and will collaboratively make any revisions. Any revisions or changes will continue to apply toward degree completion for the programs in this agreement. NCCMC and WVU will assure that all students who begin this program will be able to complete the program within a reasonable amount of time. Students must complete their final 30 credit hours at William Woods to meet the university's residency requirement.

NCCMC and WVU agree that all students who successfully complete the requirements for the courses listed in the attached curriculum guide, and who have met other institutional requirements for the degrees, will be granted the specified degrees.

NCCMC and WVU will mutually promote and market the program.

This agreement is subject to annual review by NCCMC and by WVU. Either party may discontinue this agreement by giving the other party notice to that effect twelve months in advance of its plans to discontinue. However, all students in the program will be allowed to complete it within a reasonable period of time.

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**North Central Missouri College**

*Associate of Arts (p. 90, 2011-2013 NCMC Catalog)*

The BSW at WWU requires these specific general education courses available through NCMC's AA degree:

<b>NCMC course</b>	<b>WWU course equivalent</b>
BI 100 General Biology	BIO 114/115 General Biology I /lab
SO 107 General Sociology	SCA 111 Introduction to Sociology
PY 121 General Psychology	PSY 102 General Psychology II
EC 253 Macroeconomics <u>or</u> EC 252 Microeconomics	ECN 251 Macroeconomics <u>or</u> ECN 252 Microeconomics
MT 125 Elementary Statistics	MAT 114 Elementary Statistics (highly recommended)

NCMC students are advised to take the following course, which meets a WWU Social Work major requirement, as part of their electives toward the AA.

<b>NCMC course</b>	<b>WWU course equivalent</b>
SO 250 Intro to Social Work	SWK 215 Social Welfare

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**William Woods University**

*Bachelor of Social Work (Page 1 of 2)*

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**Remaining Social Work requirements**

**39 credits**

**Core**

SWK 230	Interview and Agency Analysis	3 cr
SWK 312	Interviewing Strategies Individual/Families	3 cr
SWK 313	Research Methods	3 cr
SWK 314	Group Dynamics and Interventions	3 cr
SWK 315	Community and Organizational Development	3 cr
SWK 316	Human Behavior in the Environment I	3 cr
SWK 317	Human Behavior in the Environment II	3 cr
SWK 338	Social Welfare Policy	3 cr
SWK 450	Senior Field Practicum I	6 cr
SWK 451	Senior Field Practicum II	6 cr

**Client Group** (one of the following)

SWK 203	Aging America – A New Generation	3 cr
SWK 273	Crime Victimization in America	3 cr
SWK 250	Community Service Learning	3 cr
SWK 274	Mental Health Services and Policies	3 cr
SWK 322	Addictive Behavior/Substance Abuse	3 cr
SWK 340	Child Abuse and Neglect	3 cr

### Proposed plan for remaining WWU courses

The plan outlined below is a suggested program of study for students who come to WWU having included the courses on page 2 of this agreement en route to an Associate of Arts degree at North Central. These programs of study are subject to change. All courses below are three credit hours unless otherwise noted.

Client Group course. Each course meeting the Client Group requirement is offered no more than once a year. None of these courses have prerequisites.

Minor. A minor is not required for this degree. Students may combine NCMC courses and WWU electives to meet requirements for a minor such as psychology.

### Year One

Fall	Spring
SWK 313 Research Methods #SWK 316 Human Behavior in the Environment I *SWK 338 Social Welfare Policy or Elective Client Group course or Elective Elective	SWK 230 Interview and Agency Analysis SWK 312 Interviewing Strategies w/Individuals and Families SWK 317 Human Behavior in the Environment II Client Group course or Elective Elective

#SWK 316 has a prerequisite of General Biology with lab. Students whose programs of study include the courses outlined on page 2 of this agreement meet this prerequisite.

\*SWK338 is offered every two years in the fall semester.

### Summer

Students may take up to seven hours in the William Woods summer session, which begins the Monday after the spring semester ends in May. Online and face-to-face courses are offered. The summer schedule is available before fall registration begins in late March and typically includes multiple Common Studies and elective courses.

You may take courses elsewhere during the summer and transfer them back to WWU. Up to 70 hours from community colleges (and 90 hours total) may be accepted in transfer toward a WWU degree. If you plan on taking summer courses elsewhere, please note the following:

1. Contacting the Registrar's office before you register for summer courses will let you know how those courses would transfer.
2. Your final 30 credits must be taken at William Woods to satisfy the university's residency requirement.
3. Most financial aid packages pertain to single institutions, so you are unlikely to receive that aid for summer courses elsewhere. Check with Student Financial Services for details.

## Year Two

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Fall	Spring
SWK 314 Group Dynamics and Interventions *SWK 338 Social Welfare Policy or Elective SWK 450 Senior Field Practicum I (6 cr) Client Group course or Elective	SWK 315 Community and Org. Development SWK 451 Senior Field Practicum II (6 cr) Client Group course or Elective Elective

\*SWK338 is offered every two years in the fall semester.