

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK
DODGE FAMILY COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

Academic Year	General Requirements	Program
For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education Summer 2024 through Spring 2025	Minimum Total Hours (Thesis) 60 Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis) 60	Social Work M840 (online: M844) Master of Social Work

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Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis): 60
Program Code: M840 (online: M844)

Thesis Option

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Foundation Courses (30 hours)		
S WK 5083	Social Work Research Methods	3
S WK 5313	Policy Practice in Social Work: Analysis and Advocacy	3
S WK 5333	Human Diversity and Societal Oppression	3
S WK 5373	Theory, Practice, and Evaluation with Individuals	3
S WK 5383	Theory, Practice, and Evaluation with Families and Groups	3
S WK 5393	Theory, Practice, and Evaluation with Communities and Organizations	3
S WK 5403	Professional Social Work	3
S WK 5413	Social Work Practicum I	3
S WK 5423	Social Work Practicum II	3
S WK 5433	Human Lifespan Development	3
Concentration Courses (21 hours)		
S WK 5513	Client-Centered Direct Practice	3
S WK 5523	Macro Systems in Practice	3
S WK 5973	Advanced Integrative Seminar	3
S WK 5816	Social Work Practicum III	6
S WK 5826	Social Work Practicum IV	6
Electives (9 hours)		
S WK 5980	Research for Master's Thesis	2-6
Choose 3-7 hours of Directed Readings and/or any other graduate-level course, as approved by advisor		3-7
Total Credit Hours		60

Non-Thesis Option

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Foundation Courses (30 hours)		
S WK 5083	Social Work Research Methods	3
S WK 5313	Policy Practice in Social Work: Analysis and Advocacy	3
S WK 5333	Human Diversity and Societal Oppression	3
S WK 5373	Theory, Practice, and Evaluation with Individuals	3

S WK 5383	Theory, Practice, and Evaluation with Families and Groups	3
S WK 5393	Theory, Practice, and Evaluation with Communities and Organizations	3
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S WK 5826	Social Work Practicum IV	6
Electives (9 hours)		
Choose 9 hours of Directed Readings and/or any other graduate-level course, as approved by advisor		9
Total Credit Hours		60

General Requirements for all Master's Degrees

The master's degree requires the equivalent of *at least* two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.

All coursework applied to the master's degree must carry graduate credit.

Master's degree programs which require a thesis consist of *at least* 30 credit hours. All non-thesis master's degree programs require *at least* 30 credit hours.

Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may *not* be applied to the master's degree.

To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in all resident graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

Additional information for master's degree students may be found in the Graduate College Bulletin.

More information in the catalog: (<http://ou-public.courseleaf.com/dodge-arts-sciences/zarrow-social-work/social-work-master-social-work/>).