

Student Success Map for **SOCIAL WORK**

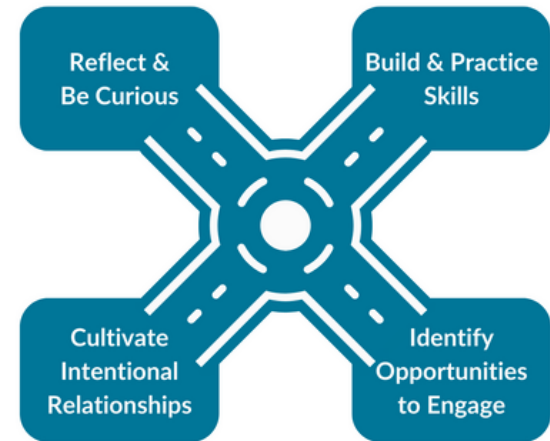
	First Year	Middle Years	Final Year
Create Classroom Success	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Meet with your Academic Advisor to review major requirements <input type="checkbox"/> Take world language classes, Biology, American National Government, General Sociology & General Psychology <input type="checkbox"/> Tour the CORD to locate the Writing Center and tutoring 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Take Intro to Social Work, Human Diversity & Social Work, Statistics, Social Welfare Policy, Human Behavior & the Social Environment I <input type="checkbox"/> Apply to the BSW program <input type="checkbox"/> Take Human Behavior and the Social Environment II, Social Work Practice I, and Social Work Research and Technology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Meet with your Academic Advisor to confirm you are ready to graduate <input type="checkbox"/> Take Social Work Practice II&III, Field Seminar I&II, Social Work Internship I&II
Find Campus Belonging	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Attend HillFest in September <input type="checkbox"/> Read the "One Community, One Book" <input type="checkbox"/> Join an RSO like the Social Work Action Group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Increase your involvement in an RSO <input type="checkbox"/> Attend department events 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Mentor a first-year student <input type="checkbox"/> Take on a leadership role in an RSO <input type="checkbox"/> Attend department events
Make Local & Global Connections	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Find a service project on GivePulse <input type="checkbox"/> Explore study abroad options 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Join a professional organization <input type="checkbox"/> Study abroad 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Attend a professional conference
Build Career Ready Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Take the Career Readiness Inventory <input type="checkbox"/> Find a student mentor <input type="checkbox"/> Check-out on-campus jobs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Complete the Career Launch program <input type="checkbox"/> Explore the PACE microcertificate and/or UofA Career-Ready Badge 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Take the Career Readiness Inventory and First Destination Survey
Prep for Post-Graduation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Talk to a Career Coach about on-campus and/or summer jobs <input type="checkbox"/> Create LinkedIn & Handshake profiles <input type="checkbox"/> Make an affordability plan with a financial aid counselor <input type="checkbox"/> Apply for College and Dept. scholarships 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Complete a Challenge Card assessment <input type="checkbox"/> Apply for College and Dept. scholarships 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Conduct 3 career conversations <input type="checkbox"/> Meet with a Career Coach and/or faculty member for assistance applying for grad programs or jobs <input type="checkbox"/> Update your LinkedIn and Handshake profiles

Career Info for **SOCIAL WORK**

<h2>What are the UofA Career-Ready Skills?</h2>	<h2>What skills does this major develop?</h2>	<h2>What graduate programs do majors often go into?</h2>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Career and self-development • Communication • Critical thinking • Perspective awareness • Leadership experience • Professionalism • Teamwork • Technology 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interpersonal Communication • Organizational & Administrative Skills • Empathy • Advocacy • Ethical Judgement • Cultural Competence • Conflict Resolution • Crisis Management 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Work • Counseling • Public Health • Law • Public Administration • Nonprofit Management • Gerontology, Addiction Studies, or Child & Family Studies
<h2>What careers do majors often go into?</h2>	<h2>How do I start to plan my career?</h2>	

- Social Worker
- Counselor
- Case Manager
- Community Outreach Coordinator
- Human Resource Specialist
- Advocate
- Policy Specialist
- Youth Development Specialist
- Probation Officer
- Program Coordinator
- Mental Health Assistant
- Grant Writer
- Write your own story!
- Social Work majors are found in a wide variety of sectors, using their skills in research, government, nonprofits, education, media, law, healthcare, business development, human rights, social services, and other industries.

- Complete the SparkPath Challenge Card activity online and then discuss your results with a career coach or career peer mentor. Talk about why it is important to you, how it relates to you and your previous experiences.
- What organizations are working on it?
- Which of these organizations appeal to me? What role would I like to have with them?
- What are my skills and how will I use them to work on this challenge?
- What skills, knowledge and experience do I need to develop to contribute more to the challenge?
- What is my plan to learn these things? Who can I connect with at the UofA for help?



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