



M.S.W./J.D. Program Advising Check Sheet

Name: _____ ID #: _____

Semester/Year of Springfield College Admission: _____ Date: _____

- Year 1 or Year 2 may occur at either the Springfield College School of Social Work (SSW) or at Western New England University School of Law (SoL).
- M.S.W./J.D. students must be full-time students and matriculated in both the SSW and the SoL. If accepted at the SSW, students have until mid-March of the first year to apply to the program at the SoL. If accepted to the SoL, students have until mid-March of the first year to apply to the program at the SSW.
- Students take courses in the Weekday Program at the SSW.

Curriculum Sequence

I. First or Second Year at Springfield College School of Social Work

Fall				
Course	Title	S.H.	Grade	Semester / Year
MSSW 601	Human Behavior in the Social Environment 1	3		
MSSW 611	Social Policy 1	3		
MSSW 621	Research 1 <i>(if needed)</i> ¹	3		
MSSW 631	Social Work Practice 1	3		
MSSW 674	Field Seminar 1 (1 st half)	0.5		
MSSW 684	Field Practicum 1 (1 st half)	3.5		
Spring				
MSSW 602	Human Behavior in the Social Environment 2	3		
MSSW 612	Social Policy 2	3		
MSSW 622	Research 2 OR MSSW 625 Program Evaluation Research	2		
MSSW 632	Social Work Practice 2	3		
MSSW 675	Field Seminar 1 (2 nd half)	0.5		
MSSW 685	Field Practicum 1 (2 nd half)	3.5		
Expected Year Total:		28 or 31		
Actual Year Total Completed:				

¹Students may be waived out of MSSW 621 Research 1 if they have taken a comparable course previously. Students who need MSSW 621 Research 1 will take this course and complete the M.S.W./J.D. with 3 additional Semester Hours.

II. First or Second Year at Western New England University School of Law

Course	Title	C.H.	Grade	Semester / Year
LAW 501	Constitutional Law	4		
LAW 503	Contracts	6		
LAW 505	Criminal Law	3		
LAW 507	Legal Research and Writing	4		
LAW 509	Civil Procedure	6		
LAW 511	Property	5		
LAW 513	Torts	4		
Expected Year Total:		32		
Actual Year Total Completed:				

III. Third Year at Western New England University School of Law

Course	Title	C.H.	Grade	Semester / Year
LAW 551	Business Organizations	3		
LAW 553	Evidence	3		
LAW 555	Income Taxation	3		

III. Third Year at Western New England University School of Law (cont.)

Course	Title	C.H.	Grade	Semester / Year
LAW 575	Professional Responsibility	3		
QWC(S)	Qualified Writing Course	3		
Electives in Law (total of 17 credits)				
Elective				
Elective				
Elective				
Elective				
Elective				
Elective				
Elective				
Elective				
Elective				
Expected Year Total:		32		
Actual Year Total Completed:				

IV. Fourth Year at Springfield College School of Social Work and Western New England University School of Law

Course	Title	S.H.	Grade	Semester / Year
Springfield College School of Social Work Fall				
MSSW 603	Human Behavior in the Social Environment 3	3		
MSSW 633	Social Work Practice 3	3		
MSSW 676	Field Seminar 2 (1 st half)	0.5		
MSSW 686	Field Practicum 2 (1 st half)	3.5		
Springfield College School of Social Work Spring				
MSSW 613	Social Policy 3 OR MSSW 623 Research 3 ¹	3		
MSSW 634	Social Work Practice 4	3		
MSSW 677	Field Seminar 2 (2 nd half)	0.5		
MSSW 687	Field Practicum 2 (2 nd half)	3.5		
Western New England University School of Law		C.H.		
Electives in Law (total of 12 credits) ²				
Elective				
Elective				
Elective				
Elective				
Elective				
Elective				
Expected Year Total:		32		
Actual Year Total Completed:				

¹Students will take either MSSW 613 Social Policy 3 or MSSW 623 Research 3.

- Students who take MSSW 613 Social Policy 3 must take LAWS 684 Advanced Research, LAW 951 Independent Study: Tutorial, or LAW 952 Advanced Research as an elective course in the School of Law.
- Students who take MSSW 623 Research 3 must take LAW 642 Law and Social Change or LAW 732 Poverty Law as an elective course in the School of Law.

²There is an approved list of electives that can be transferred from the School of Law in the SSW Student Handbook.

Other coursework taken at SSW or SoL (e.g., Independent Study, Special Topics Courses)

<i>Note to Advisors and Students: Please also indicate any transfer credits</i>				
Course	Title	S.H.	Grade	Semester / Year
Total Completed:				

SSW Program Completion Total: **S.H.** **SoL Program Completion Total:** **C.H.**
Actual Total Completed to Date: **S.H.** **Actual Total Completed to Date:** **C.H.**

Course work taken at Springfield College School of Social Work must total a minimum of 32 Semester Hours