

Course Equivalencies List for BSW Professional Years Applicants

Note: This is a list of acceptable course equivalencies (identified as of September 22, 2026) that meet the SWRK 1007, SWLF 1006, SWRK 2006 and SWRK 2106 course requirements. A minimum of 70% in the equivalent courses is required for admission/transfer credit consideration. Applicants who have completed courses not listed below and wish to have them evaluated for equivalency should contact the Admissions Office at admissions@nipissingu.ca. We recommend that prospective applicants send their request prior to submitting an application. Applicants are also required to satisfy Humanities requirements. Examples of subject areas that will meet these requirements can be found at www.nipissingu.ca/breadthrequirements

Ontario Universities

Institution	SWRK 1007	SWLF 1006	SWRK 2006	SWRK 2106
Algoma	SWRK 1007: Introduction to Social Work: Anishinaabe, Structural and Feminist Prospective	SWRK 1006: Introduction to Social Welfare in the North	SWRK 2107: Human Services Organizations	SWRK 2106: Political Economy of Social Welfare
Carleton	SOWK 1002: Introduction to Social Work	SOWK 1001: Introduction to Social Welfare	SOWK 2001: Structure Analysis and Social Work AND SOWK 2005: Values and Ethics for Social Work	SOWK 2100: The Political Economy of the Social Welfare State
Lakehead	SOWK 1100: Introduction to Social Welfare	SOWK 1100: Introduction to Social Welfare	SOWK 2011: Foundations of Social Work Practice OR SOWK 2401: Foundations of Social Work Practice	SOWK 4212: Social Policy and Social Welfare
Laurentian	SWLF 1007: Introduction to Social Work	SWLF 1006: Introduction to Social Welfare	SWLF 2107 or SWRK 2107: Human Services Organizations	SWLF 2106 or SWRK 2106: Political Economy of Social Welfare
Laurentian	ISWK 1007: Introduction to Indigenous Social Welfare and Social Work Practice	ISWK 1006: Introduction to Indigenous Social Welfare	ISWK 2007: Applied Indigenous Social Work Issues AND ISWK 2315: The Helping Relationship in Indigenous Social Work (Applicants must have both courses to satisfy requirement. Both courses will also satisfy SWRK 2106 requirement)	ISWK 2315: The Helping Relationship in Indigenous Social Work AND ISWK 2007: Applied Indigenous Social Work Issues (Applicants must have both courses to satisfy requirement. Both courses will also satisfy SWRK 2006 requirement.)

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McMaster	SOCWORK 1AA3: So You Think You Can Help? Introduction to Social Work I	SOCWORK 1BB3: Re-Imagining Help: Introduction to Social Work II	SOCWORK 2BB3: Anti-Oppressive Social Work	
Ryerson	SWP 132: Critical Social Work Foundations		SWP 301: Decolonizing and Anti-Oppression Practice	SWP 302: Social Policy: Welfare and Programs
Trent	SWRK 1000: Introduction to Social Work	SWRK 1001: Introduction to Social Welfare	SWRK 2001: Skills for the Helping Professions	SWRK 3006: Social Work and Social Policy
Waterloo	SOCWK 120R/SWREN 120R: Introduction to Social Work OR SWREN 111R: Foundations of Critical Social Work: Social Justice and Helping			SOCWK 300R/SWREN 300R: Canadian Social Welfare Policy OR SWREN 324R: Social Work and Activism and Social Policy
Wilfrid Laurier	SK 121: Introduction to Social Work: Values, Ethics, & Practice	SK 111: Introduction to Social Welfare OR SL 100 Introduction to Social Welfare	SK 212: Social Work as a Transformative Action	SK 221: Social Policy
Windsor	SWRK 1180: Meeting Human Needs through Social Work	SWRK 1170: Meeting Human Needs through Social Welfare	SWRK 2100: Social Work & Diversity	SWRK 4230: Social Policy & Social Welfare
Western (King's)	SW 1022: Introduction to Social Work OR SW 1025: Introduction to Social Work and Social Welfare AND SW 1026: Introduction to Social Work Practice and Communication Skills (Applicants must have both courses to satisfy requirements. Both courses will also satisfy SWLF 1006 requirement)	SW 1021: Introduction to Social Welfare OR SW 1025: Introduction to Social Work and Social Welfare AND SW 1026: Introduction to Social Work Practice and Communication Skills (Applicants must have both courses to satisfy requirements. Both courses will also satisfy SWRK 1007 requirement)	SW 2214: Introduction to Generalist Social Work Practice	SW 3308: The Political, Economic, Environmental and Social Context of Canadian Social Work Practice
York	SOWK 1011: Introduction to Critical Social Work OR SOWK 1010: Critical Foundations of Social Work	SOWK 1011: Introduction to Critical Social Work OR SOWK 1010: Critical Foundations of Social Work	SOWK 2050: Identity, Diversity & Anti-Discriminatory Practice	SOWK 3110: Policy Frameworks