

Program Articulation Agreement between SUNY Schenectady County Community College (AS in Human Services) and The College of Saint Rose (BS in Social Work)

I. Purpose

This agreement between SUNY Schenectady County Community College and The College of Saint Rose provides the terms and conditions for students of SUNY Schenectady County Community College who have an Associate of Science degree in Human Services and seek admission by transfer to The College of Saint Rose. Both parties will use their best efforts to minimize loss of credits and duplication of coursework.

II. Admission

Transfer students from SUNY Schenectady County Community College who have completed an Associate of Science degree and who have a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 are generally accepted. The College of Saint Rose reserves the right to evaluate transfer student applicants who do not meet the 2.5 grade point average criteria on an individual basis. Students transferring a minimum of 60 credits receive junior status.

III. Transfer of Credit

In evaluating the credentials of transfer candidates, The College of Saint Rose will make every effort to allow maximum credit for college work completed at SUNY Schenectady County Community College. Credit is given for all applicable courses in which a student achieves a grade of C- or above. Credits transfer, but grades do not. A minimum of 120 credits are required for a Bachelor's degree. A maximum of 70 credits from Schenectady County Community College may transfer to The College of Saint Rose. Additional credits may transfer upon review.

IV. Scholarships

The College of Saint Rose is committed to enrolling students with superior ability and proven achievement. To support our commitment, we award guaranteed academic transfer scholarships for two years to students who have achieved impressive grade point averages for all previous college work.

<u>College GPA</u>	<u>Transfer Scholarship</u>	<u>Authentically You Awards</u>	<u>Yearly Total</u>
3.81-4.00	\$15,000	Up to \$3,000	\$18,000
3.50-3.80	\$14,000	Up to \$3,000	\$17,000
3.21-3.49	\$12,000	Up to \$3,000	\$15,000
3.00-3.20	\$11,000	Up to \$3,000	\$14,000
2.99 and below	\$ 9,500	Up to \$3,000	\$12,500

Note: Scholarship amounts are subject to change. Other Scholarships and aid may vary.

V. Terms of Agreement

This agreement becomes effective on the date of signature by the representatives of the institutions contained within the agreement. The terms of this agreement may be modified or terminated at any time upon mutual consent of both institutions with appropriate notification. In the event that it is decided to modify this agreement, commitments made to individual students already in the program will continue in effect in the terms applicable at the time the student enrolled in the program.

Degree Requirements

I. The College of Saint Rose:

Degree: Bachelor of Science in Social Work

Major Credits Required: 62 Credits

From the 2023-2025 Saint Rose Catalog:

The Social Work major prepares students for beginning generalist social work practice. Through academic study and agency field work, students become social workers qualified for entry-level professional positions. Graduates accept positions which serve people of all ages in settings such as schools, hospitals, residential treatment centers, mental health, substance abuse and alcohol treatment clinics, probation offices, long-term care facilities such as nursing homes and daycare centers. Students gain skills in interviewing, assessing, problem-solving, researching, organizing, and many other facets of this helping profession. Clients include individuals, families, groups, organizations, and communities.

Liberal Education Core: (*Appendix 1* presents The College of Saint Rose Core requirements and seamless transfer)

Number of Credits Required: 33

General Electives Required: 25

Bachelor's Degree:

Total Number of Credits Required: 120

II. Schenectady County Community College:

Program: Associate of Science in Human Services

Program Credits Required: 49

Associate's Degree:

Total Number of Credits Required: 62

III. Notes for Schenectady County Community College /The College of Saint Rose Bachelor of Science in Social Work agreement:

- a. Students will complete at least 60 credits at Schenectady County Community College and up to 70 credits can transfer to Saint Rose. This plan is based on the successful transfer of 60 credits from Schenectady County Community College to The College of Saint Rose and seamless transfer of The College of Saint Rose Core Requirements. All possible electives are listed in this agreement and the student, along with their advisor, should select the most appropriate courses to complete their degree while not unnecessarily exceeding the number of credits required for the bachelor of science degree. A minimum of 30 credits must be taken at The College of Saint Rose.
- b. A letter grade of C- or higher in each course is required for transfer into The College of Saint Rose. Any completed coursework with a grade lower than C- will not be transferred. Students must have a GPA of 2.5 or better to be accepted into the Social Work major.

- c. This document is valid until the time which either party changes their respective program. At which point review/revision will be required.
- d. The Transfer Equivalency Database is the most current tool to utilized when determining the transferability of credits into The College of Saint Rose. The Transfer Equivalency Database can be accessed by visiting the link below:

https://bannerweb.strose.edu/strose/zwsktreq.p_select_inst

IV. The College of Saint Rose Program Requirements:

2023-2025 Course Catalog

Prefix/#	Title	Credits	SUNY Schenectady Equivalent (See Section V.)
BIO 127	Human Biology	3	BIO 112
BIO 127L	Human Biology Lab	1	BIO 112
POS 111	Introduction to US Politics	3	POL 123
SOC 111	Intro to Sociology	3	SOC 121
SOC 358	Social Theory	4	SOC 122
SOC 360	Power, Privilege & Inequality	3	DEI 100
SWK 114	Intro to SWK: Self-Awar & Soc R	3	SOC 125
SWK 213	Soc Chg & Soc Ser	3	
	Or		
SWK 212	Societies / Social Welfare	2	
SWK 215	Hum Behv Soc Envi	3	
SWK 315	Hum Behv Soc Envi 2	3	
SWK 322	Community Practice	3	
SWK 375	Diversity Workshop	3	
SWK 378	Pre-Field Experience	3	
SWK 379	Soc Wrk Pract III	3	
SWK 451	Social Work Research Methods	3	
SWK 480	Field Practicum	4	
SWK 481	SWK Pract w/ Indiv & Families	4	
SWK 482	Field Practicum Continued	4	
SWK 483	WK Pract w/ Groups	3	
SWK 489	Understanding Policy	3	
SWK xxx	Social Work Elective	3	HUS 221

V. Major Transfer Course Equivalencies*

SUNY Schenectady County Community College			The College of Saint Rose		
Prefix/#	Title	Credits	Prefix/#	Title	Credits
BIO 112	Human Biology	4	BIO 127	Human Biology (with 127L)	4
POL 123	US Government and Politics	3	POS 111	Political Ideologies	3
SOC 121	Sociology	3	SOC 111	Intro To Sociology	3
SOC 122	Social Problems	3	SOC 358	Social Theory	4
DEI 100	Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Social Justice	3	SOC 360	Power, Privilege, Inequality	3
SOC 125	Intro to Social Work and Social Welfare	3	SWK 114	Intro to Social Work	3
HUS 221	Field Instruction	3	SWK 001	SWK elective	3
ENG 123	College Composition	3	GEL 001	Liberal Education Core	3
ENG 124	Literature and Writing	3	GEL 001	Liberal Education Core	3
FYS 100	First Year Seminar	1	GEL 001	General Elective	1
HIS 125 OR HIS 127	125 Western Civilization to 1650 OR Western Civilization Since 1650	3	GEL 001	Liberal Education Core	3
HIS 132 OR HIS 134	World Civilizations to 1600 OR World Civil. Since 1600 OR Other World Civilizations course	3	GEL 001	Liberal Education Core	3
PSY 121	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSY 110	Foundations of Psychology 1	3
PSY 226	Social Psychology	3	PSY 310	Social Psychology	3
PSY 224	Abnormal Psychology	3	PSY 363	Abnormal Psychology	3
SOC 127	Interpersonal & Group Dynamics	3	SWK 001	SWK Elective	3
SUNY Gen Ed Language	World Language	3	GEL 001	Liberal Education Core	3
	Arts Elective	3-4	GEL 001	Liberal Education Core	3-4
MAT 147 OR PSY 200	Statistics OR Statistics for Social Sciences	3-4	GEL 001	Liberal Education Core	3-4
	Science Elective	3-4	GEL 001	Liberal Education Core	3-4
	Restricted Elective (ANY HUS OR CRJ, PSY, SOC, ECO, HIS Elective, or ENG 230 or higher)	3-4	GEL 001	Liberal Education Core	3-4
	Total	62-65		Total	62-65

*Note: Please refer to Appendix 2 for an example 4-year degree completion plan.

NOTE: Having met the C- grade benchmark in courses and having achieved the required 2.5 GPA, graduates of SUNY Schenectady's Human Services A.S. degree program will be admitted to The College of St. Rose-- pending the College's review-- with at least 62-65 credits and no more than 70, and they will enter the Social Work B.S. program with junior status.

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Appendix 1

Saint Rose Liberal Core Requirements & Seamless Transfer

I. Saint Rose CORE (33 credits):

1. Expository Writing, Communication & Research Techniques
2. Literary Studies
3. Study of World Languages and Cultures
4. Philosophical and Religious Traditions
5. Scientific Knowledge and Inquiry
6. Mathematical Reasoning
7. Computational Logic and Reasoning
8. Social Scientific Knowledge and Inquiry
9. Historical Knowledge, Analysis, and Perspective

II. Diversity Requirement: We require that all students pursuing bachelor's degrees at Saint Rose take three credits that fulfill our diversity requirement, (3-4 credits).

III. Seamless Transfer Policy

Students who have completed an Associate's Degree in Science (A.S.), an Associate's Degree in Art (A.A.), or bachelor's degree from a SUNY institution will transfer to Saint Rose with all liberal education requirements satisfied.

Students with an Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) or Associate in Applied Business (A.A.B.) may be eligible to receive the same benefits after a course-to-course evaluation is completed at Saint Rose. Please request the GETA report to be sent to The College of Saint Rose along with your official college transcript.

For additional information on the Saint Rose Seamless Transfer Policy, please visit the following link:
<https://www.strose.edu/admissions/transfer-students/credit-transfer/seamless-transfer/>

Appendix 2

Example 4-Year Degree Completion Plan

PLEASE KNOW: This is an **EXAMPLE** of a plan that a student may follow when transferring to The College of Saint Rose. All students must work with advisors at both institutions to ensure satisfactory progress toward the completion of these programs.

Year 1 (Schenectady County Community College)	
Semester 1	Semester 2
ENG 123 College Composition (3) FYS 100 First Year Seminar (1) PSY 121 Introduction to Psychology (3) SOC 121 Sociology (3) SOC 125 Introduction to Social Work and Social Welfare (3) SOC 127 Interpersonal & Group Dynamics (3) Total: 16	ENG124 Literature and Writing DEI 100 Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Social Justice SOC122 Social Problems (3) BIO 112 Human Biology (d) (4) Mathematics Elective (c) (3-4) TOTAL: 16-17
Year 2 (Schenectady County Community College)	
Semester 3	Semester 4
HUS 221 Field Instruction I (a) (3) HIS 125 Western Civilization to 1650 OR HIS 127 Western Civilization Since 1650 (3) PSY 224 Abnormal Psychology (3) POL 123 US Government and Politics (3) Science Elective (3-4) TOTAL: 15-16	HIS 132 World Civilizations to 1600 OR HIS 134 World Civilization Since 1600 OR Other World Civilizations course (3) SOC 226 Social Psychology (3) World Language (b) (3) Restricted Elective (e) (3) Arts Elective (3-4) TOTAL: 15-16
Year 3 (The College of Saint Rose)	
Semester 5	Semester 6
SWK 213 Social Change and Social Services (3) SWK 215 HBSE I (3) SWK 375 Diversity Workshop (3) Electives (6) TOTAL: 15	SWK 378 Intro to Field Experience (3) SWK 379 Practice w/ Indiv, Families, & Groups (3) SWK 315 HBSE II (3) SWK 322 Practice w/ Communities & Org (3) Elective (3) TOTAL: 15
Year 4 (The College of Saint Rose)	
Semester 7	Semester 8
SWK 480 Field Seminar 1 (4) SWK 481 Practice w/ Individuals & Families (4) SWK 451 Research Methods (3) Electives (6) TOTAL: 17	SWK 482 Field Seminar 2 (4) SWK 483 Practice with Groups (3) SWK 489 Policy Practice (3) SWK 592 Psychopathology (4) TOTAL: 14