Bachelor of Science or Arts in Social Work (BSW) Admissions Checklist

Admissions applications for the USU Bachelor of Science or Arts in Social Work (BSW) program for the academic year 2022-2023 are due April 1, 2022. For admissions questions, please contact peer mentor, Adriana Jensen (usu.sw.peeradvisor@gmail.com). For other program questions, contact Dr. Terry Peak (terry.peak@usu.edu) for Logan campus and C.J. Sorenson (carl.sorenson@usu.edu) for all other campuses.

Before beginning the application, please prepare the following:

- Identify the top 3 campuses where you would like to take classes (Blanding, Brigham City, Ephraim, Logan, Moab, Nephi, Price, Roosevelt/Vernal, Tooele). We aim to accommodate students' first choice in campus location, but in the event that the program at one campus is full, you may be offered a spot at another campus.
- An updated resume. Please use this template.
- Unofficial transcripts if you are a transfer student from another institution.
- Contact information for an academic reference if you are a transfer student from another institution.
- Answers to the following essay questions:
  - Discuss the development of your interest in social work as a profession. (Word Limit: 250 words)
  - Describe how you are well-suited to the profession. (Word Limit: 250 words)
  - Describe your commitment to the NASW Code of Ethics. Please highlight social justice and professional use of self in your response. (Word Limit: 250 words)
- Confirm that you have fulfilled admission requirements:

  - [ ] Junior Status (61-90 credits by the end of spring semester)
  - [ ] Minimum 2.75 cumulative GPA
  - [ ] Minimum 2.75 GPA in social work classes
  - [ ] Completion of SW 1010 with C+ or better
  - [ ] Completion of SW 2100 with C or better
  - [ ] Completion of SW 2400 with C or better
  - [ ] Completion of ANTH 1010 - Cultural Anthropology with C or better
  - [ ] Completion of BIO 1010/USU 1350 - Biology and the Citizen with C or better
  - [ ] Completion of ENGL 1010 - Introduction to Writing: Academic Prose with C or better
  - [ ] Completion of ENGL 2010 - Intermediate Writing: Research Writing in a Persuasive Mode
  - [ ] Completion of HDFS 1500 - Human Development Across the Lifespan with C or better
  - [ ] Completion of PSY 1010 - General Psychology with C or better
  - [ ] Completion of SOC 1010 - Introductory Sociology with C or better
  - [ ] Completion of STAT 1040/1045 - Introduction to Statistics with C- or better
  - [ ] Current USU Students Only: Understand how and plan to take APT the last week of April