

From: **Coast Mountain College (CMTN)**
Social Service Worker Diploma

To: **University of Northern BC (UNBC)**
Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)

The following list of course equivalents will appear on the transfer credit summary for students who have successfully completed **Coast Mountain College's Social Services Worker Diploma** and pursue a **Bachelor of Social Work at UNBC** seeking admission in **September of 2022**.

Information in this handout is unofficial and should be used as a guide only. For questions regarding admission to UNBC or course selection please contact Student Recruitment & Advising at 250-960-6306 or advising@unbc.ca.

NOTE: As per UNBC Undergraduate Calendar Regulation number 14, "Students must complete a minimum of 30 credit hours of upper division UNBC course work to receive a UNBC degree."

CMTN Requirement	CMTN Course Name	UNBC Equivalence ¹
The one-year SSW Certificate includes two semesters plus a practicum.		
LPAT 100	Learning Pathways	Part of Block Credit
ENGL 101	University Writing	ENGL 170-3
CPSC 111	Introduction to Computer Science	CPSC 150-3
SSW 112	Interpersonal Communications	Part of Block Credit
SSW 191	Introduction to Social Service Agencies	Part of Block Credit
PSYC 101	Introductory Psychology I	PSYC 101-3
SOCI 101	Introductory Sociology I	SOSC 1XX-3
ANTH 112	First Nations of BC	ANTH 1XX-3 or FNST 1XX-3**
SSW 113	Helping Skills	Part of Block Credit
SSW 192	Introduction to Social Service Practice	Part of Block Credit
PSYC 102	Introductory Psychology II	PSYC 102-3
SOCI 102	Introductory Sociology II	SOSC 1XX-3
SSW 197	Social Service Wkr Prac I	Part of Block Credit
The SSW Diploma requires successful completion of the Certificate and two (Diploma) semesters plus a practicum.		
ENGL 151	Technical Writing I	NRES 100-3
SSW 295	Introduction to Social Work	SOCW 200-3**
SSW 213	Group Work	SOCW 2XX-3 ³
PSYC 201	Developmental Psychology I	PSYC 2XX-3
SOCI 205	Sociology of the Family	SOSC 2XX-3
SSW 296	Social Policies	SOCW 201-3**
SSW 290	Community Development	Part of Block Credit
PSYC 202	Development Psychology II	PSYC 2XX-3
SOCI 206	The Family in Cross-Cultural Perspective	SOSC 2XX-3
Any 3 University Credit ² and/or SSW ³ Elective		*See recommended course to take
SSW 298	Social Service Worker Practicum II	Part of Block Credit

¹ Course equivalencies were determined through the articulation process and are listed on the BC Transfer Guide, www.bctransferguide.ca

Student will need to choose coursework appropriately so as not to receive duplicate Transfer Credit.

² Students will need to pick coursework that transfers to UNBC and that is not Social Work coursework – please use the BC Transfer Guide to determine coursework.

³ Students who take this coursework will be short 3 credits of Liberal Arts and Sciences that they will need to make up before entering the UNBC Social Work program.

Recommended courses to take when given a choice as noted above:

CMTN Course	CMTN Course Name	UNBC Equivalence¹
FNST 101	Intro to First Nations Studies	FNST 100-3**
WMST 102	Intro to Women's Studies	WMST 100-3**

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**These courses have not been reviewed for transfer credit accuracy in more than 10 years. Course equivalency may change once reviewed.

Note: Above based on CMTN 2021 website.

Transfer Credit Breakdown – Admission for September 2022:

Total Transferable Credits¹ – 60 credits

Liberal Arts & Sciences² – 45 credits

Diploma Completion – 15 credits

¹ Transfer credit is based on students taking all of the recommended course work noted above

² Students are required to complete a minimum of 48 credit hours of liberal arts and sciences coursework. This breakdown is based on accreditation and is necessary to obtain a Bachelor of Social Work Degree from UNBC

Please note: Completing this diploma will result in being 3 credits short of the Liberal Arts & Sciences admission requirement for UNBC. These credits can be completed while you are working on your UNBC Bachelor of Social Work Degree, these credits **must** be completed before you will be eligible to graduate from UNBC.

Sample of **UNBC Calendar** requirements for the Bachelor of Social Work and how Coast Mountain College Social Service Worker Diploma, coursework *may be* used towards completion of the degree at UNBC¹:

UNBC Calendar Information, Course Number & Course Name	CMTN Equivalence ¹
<p>Undergraduate students are required to take 60 credit hours of Upper-Division Social Work courses. The minimum requirement for a Bachelor of Social Work is 120 credit hours.</p>	
<p>Students applying to the School of Social Work will have completed the following four BSW course prerequisites:</p>	
<p>SOCW 200-3 Introduction to Social Work Practice</p>	<p>✓ Completed at CMTN, SSW 295</p>
<p>SOCW 201-3 Introduction to Social Welfare</p>	<p>✓ Completed at CMTN, SSW 296</p>
<p>FNST 100-3 The Aboriginal Peoples of Canada</p>	<p>- Can be completed at CMTN, FNST 101</p>
<p>WMST 100-3 Introduction to Women’s Studies</p>	<p>- Can be completed at CMTN, WMST 102</p>
<p>Program Requirements – 300 Level</p>	
<p>SOCW 300-3 Social Work Communication Skills</p>	<p>⎵</p>
<p>SOCW 301-3 Critical Social Work Practice</p>	
<p>SOCW 302-6 Social Work Field Education I</p>	
<p>SOCW 310-3 Social Work & Indigenous Peoples</p>	
<p>SOCW 320-3 Critical Social Policy</p>	
<p>SOCW 330-3 Social Work Research/Policy/Practice</p>	
<p>SOCW 336-3 Social Work Philosophy and Ethics</p>	
<p>400 Level</p>	
<p>SOCW 401-3 Northern/Remote Social Work Practice</p>	
<p>SOCW 402-15 Social Work Field Education II</p>	
<p>SOCW 420-3 Family/Child Welfare Policy</p>	
<p>SOCW 421-3 Human Growth and Development</p>	
<p>Students must select an additional 12 credit hours of approved 400-level Social Work courses from the approved list.</p>	<p>☐ To be completed at UNBC</p>
<p>SOCW 422-3 Child Welfare Practice</p>	<p>⎵</p>
<p>SOCW 426-3 Current Issues in Child Welfare Practice</p>	
<p>SOCW 433-3 Women in the Human Services</p>	
<p>SOCW 437-3 Social Work with Groups and Communities</p>	
<p>SOCW 439-3 Social Work/Law and the Justice System</p>	
<p>SOCW 440-3 Social Work in Mental Health</p>	
<p>SOCW 441-3 Social Work and Substance Abuse</p>	
<p>SOCW 442-3 Social Work with Victims of Abuse</p>	
<p>SOCW 443-3 Medical Social Work</p>	
<p>SOCW 444-3 Social Work Critical Issues in Aging</p>	
<p>SOCW 445-3 Social Work and Cross-Cultural Practice</p>	
<p>SOCW 449-3 Gender and Sexuality</p>	
<p>SOCW 450-3 Social Work and Family Practice</p>	

UNBC Bachelor of Social Work Calendar requirements continued:

400-level Social Work Courses cont'd:

SOCW 452-3	Social Work/Crisis Intervention
SOCW 453-3	Social Work Practice and Spirituality
SOCW 454-3	Disability Issues
SOCW 455-3	Indigenous Governance and Social Policy
SOCW 456-3	Indigenous Family Caring Systems
SOCW 457-3	Individual and Community Wellness for Indigenous Peoples
SOCW 498-(3-6)	Special Topics
SOCW 499-3	Directed Readings



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Elective Requirement

Electives at any level in any subject sufficient to ensure complete of a minimum of 120 credit hours.



*Please discuss how to complete this requirement with your Student Advisor. Depending on course selection, students may be able to complete some or all of this requirement at CMTN.

¹Based on the 2021/22 UNBC Academic Calendar year.