

CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

PRE-SOCIAL WORK WEEKEND PROGRAM

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. What are the eligibility requirements?
 - A minimum of 30 college credits with a 2.00 GPA
 - Must be a full-time employee of a human service agency that employs social workers.
 - Application and acceptance to CCSU as a pre-social work major.

2. When are classes held?
 - Each fall and spring semester will have two eight-week, three credit classes.
 - Classes will meet generally, every other Saturday and some on-line work will be included.

3. How can I find out about transfer credits and what I will need to graduate?
 - When you are accepted to CCSU the Admissions office will provide you with transfer evaluation instructions.
 - The faculty of the Social Work Department will work closely with you to plan your classes to meet both the Social Work major requirements and graduation requirements. We are happy to help you prior to application. Call the department at 860-832-3129.
 - Placement testing information can be found at the CCSU web site at the Learning Center web page. You will also find information there about E-Tutoring.

4. What are the costs and fees?
 - The cost per credit hour is \$334.00 making the cost of one three credit class \$1002.00. There is also a registration fee of \$55.00.
 - As a part-time student you can opt for a payment plan where you put \$500 down at registration and pay the balance at mid-term of the semester. There is a \$25.00 fee to go on the payment plan.

- Course books are an additional expense. Books can be purchased at the Campus Book Store. There are some options to purchase used books as well.
- As a matriculated student you are eligible to apply for financial aid. More information can be found at the CCSU/Financial Aid Office web page.

5. How long will it take to complete my degree?

- You will need 122 credits to graduate including 51 credits in Social Work major courses, 44-46 credits in General Education and the balance in electives. We will assist you in choosing what courses you will need to take to meet requirements in each area.
- Additional factors will be course availability and your schedule requirements. We hope to arrange for additional weekend classes as demand requires.

6. How do I register?

- Contact Continuing Education at 832-2256 for assistance. Their office hours are 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday. During the academic year they are also open Saturdays, 8 a.m. to Noon.
- You may register and pay online once you have a CCSU account which occurs upon acceptance or upon your first registration.