

HUMAN SERVICES

The Bachelor of Science in Human Services includes studies in general education, general biblical studies, general studies and a specialization in one of the following fields: Counseling, Psychology, Social Work, or Criminal Justice. This degree is designed for those individuals seeking studies in a general broad-based discipline with a major in one of the human services professions. Graduates of the program will be qualified to work in entry level human service career fields related to one of the human service academic specializations. This degree will additionally provide preparation for graduate study in the student's chosen human services area. An outstanding aspect of the degree is an accommodation for a significant degree of flexibility for transfer students and others who come to SAGU and desire to continue their professional development in a human service profession without losing a significant amount of transfer credit. This degree prepares graduates for marketplace vocational positions in various private and public human service agencies. This may include mental health facilities, social service organizations, nonprofit faith-based facilities, government agencies and private companies. The primary mission of the Human Services degree is to expand the professional development of students in their chosen specialization area with knowledge and skills from the areas of general studies, Bible and theology, church ministry, and the areas of human services which are Counseling, Psychology, Social Work or Criminal Justice. This degree provides most of the prerequisites for graduate work in the selected Human Service profession.

Upon completion of this program students will be able to:

1. Discuss the basic foundations, concepts and theories of counseling, psychology, social work or criminal justice.
2. Apply knowledge of human service variables that affect individual, family and group behavior, and use theoretical frameworks from specific specializations to understand interactions.
3. Be prepared for future service in areas of specializations.
4. Demonstrate the ability to establish rapport with clients from diverse backgrounds.
5. Demonstrate professional behavior.
6. Explain a biblically-based integrated model of human services with a specialization.
7. Demonstrate a basic knowledge of the core subjects in the area of Bible and Church Ministry.
8. Demonstrate the use of biblical values and ethics in the various service settings.

Additional Program Stipulations

1. All students are to include one Bible, theology, or religion course each semester until degree requirements have been satisfied.
2. First year students enrolled full-time are to include GES 1122 in their first semester program.
3. First year students are to enroll in activity physical education courses each of their first two semesters at SAGU. Exceptions will be granted only with approval of the College Dean.

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GENERAL EDUCATION STUDIES 57 Hours

General Education: 14 hours

COM 1143 Fundamentals of Speech Communication
ENG 1113 Composition and Rhetoric I
ENG 1123 Composition and Rhetoric II

3 hours from the following:

ENG 2233 American Literature I
ENG 2243 American Literature II
ENG 2273 Introduction to Literature

GES 1122 Strategies for Student Success

Social/Behavioral Sciences: 9 hours

GOV 2213 National and State Government
HIS 1113 American History I
PSY 1153 Introduction to Psychology

Natural Science/Mathematics: 6 hours

3 hours from the following:

BIO 1113 Biological Science
PHY 1113 Physical Science

3 hours from the following:

MTH 1113 College Math
MTH 1123 College Algebra

Physical Education: 4 hours

PED 2232 Wellness and Lifestyle

2 hours from activity courses without duplication: PED 1101-2291

General Biblical Studies: 24 hours

BIB 1143 The Church in Mission
BIB 2213 Bible Study
CMN 2213 Foundations of Church Ministries
REL 1133 Authentic Christianity
REL 1153 New Testament Literature
REL 1163 Old Testament Literature
THE 2113 Introduction to Theology and Apologetics
THE 2333 Pentecostal Doctrine and History

CHOOSE A HUMAN SERVICES SPECIALIZATIONS:

Counseling: 33 hours

Lower Level Specialization Studies

COU 2123 Introduction to Counseling
PSY 1113 Psychology of Selfhood and the Christian Faith -or-
PSY 2323 Developmental Psychology

Upper Level Specialization Studies

COU 3113 Theories of Marriage and Family Counseling
COU 3213 Counseling Adult Populations
COU 3123 Advanced Methods and Techniques in Counseling
COU 3443 Crisis Intervention and Management
COU 4313 Behavioral Science Research*
COU 4413 Methods and Techniques in Marriage and Family Counseling
COU 4583 Field Practicum
PSY 3313 Abnormal Psychology*
PSY 3333 Theories of Personality* -or- PSY 4113 History and Systems in Psychology

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Psychology: 33 hours

Lower Level Specialization Studies

- PSY 1113 Psychology of Selfhood and the Christian Faith
- PSY 2323 Developmental Psychology

Upper Level Specialization Studies

- PSY 3313 Abnormal Psychology*
- PSY 3333 Theories of Personality*
- PSY 3443 Crisis Intervention and Management -or- PSY 4213 Introduction to Clinical Psychology
- PSY 3453 Social Psychology
- PSY 3463 Theories and Principles of Learning
- PSY 4113 History and Systems in Psychology
- PSY 4313 Behavioral Science Research*
- PSY 4333 Introduction to Psychological Tests and Measurements
- PSY 4583 Field Practicum

Criminal Justice: 33 hours

Lower Level Specialization Studies

- CJU 1113 Introduction to Criminal Justice
- CJU 2113 Analysis of Police Operations

Upper Level Specialization Studies

- CJU 3113 Constitutional Law -or- CJU 3153 Criminal Justice, Psychology and the Law
- CJU 3123 Theories of Criminology
- CJU 3133 Delinquent Behavior and Rehabilitation
- CJU 3143 Criminal Justice Administration
- CJU 4113 Correctional Psychology
- CJU 4123 Advanced Penology
- CJU 4133 Security Management
- CJU 4583 Field Practicum in Criminal Justice
- PSY 3313 Abnormal Psychology*

Social Work: 33 hours

Lower Level Specialization Studies

- SWK 2113 Introduction to Social Work
- SWK 2123 Social Work Practice I

Upper Level Specialization Studies

- PSY 3313 Abnormal Psychology*
- SWK 3113 Church and Community Social Work
- SWK 3133 Delinquent Behavior and Rehabilitation
- SWK 3144 Human Behavior in the Social Environment II
- SWK 3213 Social Work Practice II
- SWK 3443 Crisis Intervention and Management
- SWK 4313 Behavioral Science Research
- SWK 4483 Social Work Field Practicum I
- SWK 4583 Social Work Field Practicum II

* Require Prerequisites.

GENERAL ELECTIVES 36 Hours

TOTAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS 126 Hours

(A minimum of 30 hours must be upper level.)

Note: Human Services majors should seek the program coordinator who represents their specialization for curriculum and career guidance as needed.