Suggested Planning Guide for UMBC-Shady Grove's
Bachelor of Arts in Social Work

Recommended Courses Before UMBC	Course	Credits	S1	S2	S3	S4	Grade
INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY*		3					
INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY*		3					
ENGLISH COMPOSITION*		3					
STATISTICS*		3					
GENERAL BIOLOGY or HUMAN BIOLOGY (WITH LAB)*		4					
SCIENCE (WITHOUT LAB)		3/4					
ARTS & HUMANITIES		3					
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SOCIAL SCIENCES (Recommended: Political Science or Economics)		3					
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PHYSICAL EDUCATION COURSE		1					
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WORLD LANGUAGE INTERMEDIATE LEVEL		3					
Elective		3					
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***Students may transfer a maximum of 60 credits from a two-year school and up to 90 credits from a four-year school to UMBC.**

UMBC Program Requirements	Course	Credits	S5	S6	S7	S8	Grade
SOWK 240		3					
SOWK 260		3					
SOWK 360		3					
SOWK 388		3					
SOWK 389		3					
SOWK 397		3					
SOWK 470		3					
SOWK 480		6					
SOWK 481		3					
SOWK 482		6					
SOWK 483		3					
SOWK Elective		3					
Additional Elective Courses/Minor Requirements	**Course**	**Credits**	**S5**	**S6**	**S7**	**S8**	**Grade**
Upper Level Elective		3					
Minor Course		3					
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Minor Course		3					

TOTAL UMBC CREDITS: 60

*Program Prerequisites

For ARTS & HUMANITIES: You must choose courses from at least two different disciplines
For SOCIAL SCIENCES: You must choose courses from at least two different disciplines

NOTE: This suggested planning guide is NOT intended to serve as an official articulation agreement. See a UMBC-Shady Grove program representative for more information.