



MSW

WHERE FAMILY MATTERS

KUTZTOWN
UNIVERSITY

**MASTER OF
SOCIAL WORK**

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SOCIAL WORK



The **Master of Social Work** program at Kutztown University focuses on the needs of the family in its social environment both at micro and macro levels of practice. MSW students are actively engaged with faculty experts in both exploring and enhancing their knowledge as it is related to the strengths and needs of the family. Students, faculty, and human service providers collaborate to assist families and change the social environment to support the families of today and tomorrow.

COURSEWORK



The Master of Social Work is tailored to help students develop a clear understanding to practice social work with individuals, groups, families, organizations and communities in their foundation level of study. The advanced level provides a concentration, developing knowledge on the family in its social environment, and further develops specializations through elective course offerings and an agency-based practicum experience. Certificates can be earned in areas of **behavioral health, community development, leadership and management, or family and child wellness.**

ADVANCED STANDING

Advanced Standing status may be granted to students who have earned a BSW from a Council on Social Work – accredited program. Applicants who are accepted into Advanced Standing status may complete the MSW program in one calendar year. They also have the option to spread this coursework over two years. In either case, a summer internship is required for those with Advanced Standing status in addition to other fieldwork requirements.

SCHEDULE FLEXIBILITY

All traditional and Advanced Standing MSW students can fit into the weekday morning schedule (7-10 a.m.) or executive schedule (Tuesday 6-9 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m.–3 p.m.). Courses are offered face-to-face with select hybrid options. Course sequencing includes a one-year (Advanced Standing), two-, three- or four-year option depending on educational plan.

APPLY



Graduate application: www.kutztown.edu/graduateapply

- \$35 application fee
- Official transcripts from all previously attending colleges and universities.
- Three letters of recommendation
- Essays

Accredited by the Council on Social Work Education.

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