

Licensure for Students in the MSW with Licensure as a School Social Worker or Adjustment Counseling Program.

Licensure Information:

- Students must obtain a passing score on the MTEL Communication and Literacy Tests.
- The MTEL is a computer-based test and is available year-round, by appointment, Monday through Saturday (excluding some holidays). Visit www.mtel.nesinc.com for more information.
- It is recommended that students take and pass the Communication and Literacy tests as soon as possible after acceptance to the M.S.W. program, but they are required to take and pass the tests no later than the end of the foundation year.
- Students must submit a copy of their score report to Suzanne Sankar, Assistant Dean.
- Students who do not pass the MTEL are still eligible to receive the M.S.W. degree providing they complete all of the requirements for that degree (66 credits). While students may have completed all of the requirements to receive an M.S.W. degree from Simmons, it does not necessarily mean they have completed all of the requirements that make them eligible for state licensure as a school social worker/school adjustment counselor. However, with an M.S.W. degree, they are eligible to take the LCSW licensure exam.