

## Social Welfare Department Admission Policy

We seek people who understand the educational goals and academic requirements of Showa Women's University, those who can express themselves, and those who wish to contribute to the creation of a welfare society where everyone has secure access to welfare, health, and medical care. We accept people with the capacity and the ability to follow the course of study of the department. We therefore recruit applicants through various comprehensive entrance methods.

### 1. Recommended field of study and subjects to learn before entrance

**【Those who wish to acquire qualifications as a social worker, mental health social worker, childcare worker】**

- Foreign Language: The student should learn English skills (Speaking, Writing, Listening, Reading), which is a requirement for graduation and be able to utilize it.
- Language Arts: The student should be able to speak, listen, write, and read logically.
- Civics: The students should be able to understand the various aspects of the modern society and be able to use them as a basis for understanding Welfare, Health care and Medical care issues.
- Geographical History: The student should be able to understand the history/culture of various regions of the world including Japan and collaborate with diverse people.
- Mathematics: The student should be able to understand basic mathematics related to data interpretation of sociological research.
- Science: The student should understand the structure and the functions of the human body which will become the basic knowledge for activities related to Welfare, Health care and Medical care.

### 2. Basic requirements

- Keeping up on books, newspapers, and media with special interests to Welfare, Health care and Medical care.
- Workplace experiences with community involvement.
- Those who wish to acquire qualifications as a social worker, mental health social worker, childcare worker, should provide basic acknowledgement for Welfare, Health care and Medical care, applicable to the qualification.
- Applicants should strive to communicate with people from diverse cultures and social backgrounds, and have a global point of view. Cultivate the ability to use these perspectives to address issues in the community is also required.
- In addition to above, those who wish to acquire qualifications as a social worker, mental health social worker, childcare worker, should be accustomed to catch up with getting the basic knowledge and the support systems about Welfare, Health care, Medical care, applicable to the qualification.