

The University of Alabama
College of Human Environmental Sciences
Department of Human Development and Family Studies

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS - MAJOR IN HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES –2021-2022 Catalog
Main Campus Students

Name _____ Concentration _____ Date _____

Statewide Articulation and UA Core

I. Written Composition (6 hrs required)

- ____(3) EN 101 English
- ____(3) EN 102 English

II. Humanities and Fine Arts (12 hrs required)*

- ____(3) Fine Arts _____
- ____(3) Literature _____
- ____() _____
- ____() _____

*Must complete either a two-semester literature sequence or a two-semester history sequence.

III. Natural Sciences and Mathematics (11 hrs required)

- ____(3) Math _____
- ____(4) BSC 109 or BSC 114/115
- ____(4) NS _____

IV. History, Social and Behavioral Sciences (12 hrs required)*

- ____(3) HD 101
- ____(3) PY 101
- ____(3) History _____
- ____() _____

*Must complete either a two-semester literature sequence or a two-semester history sequence.

V. Computer / Foreign Language:

(6 hrs "C" or 1 Yr Same Foreign Language required)

- ____() _____
- ____() _____

Check prerequisites for C designated courses.

VI. Writing Courses (6 Hrs "W" Required)

- ____(3) _____
- ____(3) _____

VII. HES Core (6 Hrs)

- ____(3) HES 100 (Fall only)
- ____(3) HES 310

NOTE: HES 100 is for new freshmen only, fall only.

VIII. Requirements for all HDFS Majors (42 Hrs)

- ____(3) HD 202 Infant/Toddlerhood
- ____(3) HD 205 Early and Middle Child Dev
- ____(3) HD 302 Adolescence
- ____(3) HD 382 Parent and Family Development
- ____(3) HD 220 Research and Critical Thinking in HDFS **OR**
BER 345 Educational Statistics **OR**
PY 211 Elementary Statistical Methods
- ____(15) HDFS Junior/Senior Block (Any HD 300-499 not applied elsewhere)**
- ____(12) HDFS Elective Block (Additional HD 100-499 courses; or department approved electives)**

**For Students completing a concentration, concentration courses will fulfill Junior/Senior block and Elective block.

IX. Electives

____ Electives to complete the 120 credit hour degree requirement

HDFS Major Concentration Options

(See back page for course lists)

- ____ Adolescence & Youth Development Concentration
- ____ Family Life Ed. & Advocacy Concentration
- ____ Child Life Concentration

Note: Some courses are only available in either spring or fall semester.

Adolescence and Youth Development Concentration (27 Hrs)

- ___ (3) HD 325 Probs Child/Adol
- ___ (3) HD 462 Interpersonal Relationships
- ___ (3) HD 472 Program Evaluation
- ___ (3) HD 475 Human Sexuality
- ___ (6) HD 498 Adolescent and Youth Development Internship
- ___ (3) PY 372 Social Psychology
- ___ (3) HHE 378 Drugs, Society, and Human Behavior (W)
- ___ (3) CJ 240 Juvenile Delinquency OR
SW 208 Juvenile Delinquency: Causes, Control, & Services

Child Life Concentration (43 Hrs)

- ___ (2) HD 203 Medical Terminology (online)
- ___ (3) HD 226 Introduction to Child Life
- ___ (3) HD 326 Play in Child Development
- ___ (3) HD 401 Cult Inlu Child Yth Fam (W)
- ___ (3) HD 426 Hospitalized Children and Youth
- ___ (3) HD 451 Loss and Bereavement
- ___ (3) HD 472 Program Evaluation
- ___ (12) HD 496 Child Life Internship
- ___ (4) BSC 215 Human Anatomy & Physiology I
- ___ (4) BSC 216 Human Anatomy & Physiology II
- ___ (3) PHL 223 Medical Ethics

Family Life Education and Advocacy Concentration (27 Hrs)

- ___ (3) HD 262 Marriage and Family
- ___ (3) HD 462 Interpersonal Relationships
- ___ (3) HD 472 Program Evaluation
- ___ (3) HD 475 Human Sexuality
- ___ (3) HD 483 Family Life Education (W) (Fall only)
- ___ (6) HD 497 Family Life Ed Adv Internship
- ___ (3) CSM 201 Individual and Family Resource Management
- ___ (3) CSM 430 Family and Consumer Law

*Students must earn a grade of C- or better in each HD or CSM course taken to be eligible to apply for provisional certification as a family life educator.

Dept. Approved Electives

The following courses can be applied towards HDFS Elective Block:

- ___ (3) CSM 201 Individual and Family Management
- ___ (3) CSM 430 Family and Consumer Law
- ___ (3) HHE 378 Drug Awareness/Education (W)
- ___ (3) SPE 471 Developmental Perspectives of Young Children with Disabilities
- ___ (3) PY 372 Social Psychology
- ___ (3) CJ 240 Youth Development and Juvenile Delinquency Control **OR**
SW 208 Social Services for Delinquents and Their Families

For comprehensive list of approved electives, visit:

<http://www.hdfs.ches.ua.edu/advising-information.html>

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