Child Development Minor

Students who take this minor cannot major in Child Development. Students may only double count 9 credits when combining the Child Development Minor with the Family Studies Major or the Family Studies Minor.

Admission Requirements, Retention & Termination Standards
1. Students must have a minimum GPA of 2.0 to sign a minor.
2. Students must have a minimum program GPA of 2.5 in order to graduate with this minor.

Core Courses (9 hours)
Core HDFS
HDF 100 – Lifespan Development 3(3-0)
HDF 211 – Marriage and Close Relationships 3(3-0)
HDF 307 – Parent-Child Relations 3(3-0)

Required Courses I (6 hours)
Development Content
HDF 308 – Theories of Child and Adolescent Development 3(3-0)
HDF 510 – Child Development Seminar: Promotion Resilience 3(3-0)

Required Courses II (7-8 hours)
Development Content
Select two courses from the following:
HDF 302 – Infant and Toddler Development 4(3-2)
HDF 303 – Early Childhood Development 4(3-2)
HDF 306 – Adolescent Development 3(3-0)

Required Courses III (3 hours)
Diversity
Select one from the following:
HDF 110 – Oppression: Roots and Impact on Human Development in the United States 3(3-0)
HDF 212 – Families in Cultural Perspective 3(3-0)
HDF 320 – HDFS International Service Learning 3-6(spec)
SPE 585 – Early Childhood Special Education 3(3-0)

Total: 25-26 semester hours