

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 declare 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

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