

Family Studies Minor

Students who take this minor cannot major in Family Studies.

Students may only double count 9 credits when combining the Family Studies Minor with the Child Development Major or the Child Development 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 (3 hours)

Family Studies Content

HDF 213/WST 213 – Introduction to Human Sexuality 3(3-0)

Required Courses II (3 hours)

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Select **one** of the following:

HDF 214 – Consumer Economics 3(3-0)

HDF 315 – Family Management Theory 3(3-0)

Electives (9 hours)

Note: Students are strongly advised to select elective courses in consultation with an advisor.

COM 562 – Family Communication 3(3-0)

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 247 – Introduction to Gerontology 3(3-0)

HDF 306 – Adolescent Development 3(3-0)

HDF 320 – HDFS International Service Learning 3-6(Spec)

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- HDF 328 – Programs, Policies and Services for Older Adults 3(3-0)
- HDF 340 – Men and Masculinities in Adulthood 3(3-0)
- HDF 411 – Families in Social, Legal, & Political Contexts 3(3-0)
- HDF 413 – Facilitating Discussion in Human Sexuality Groups 3(3-0)
- HDF 418 – Family Development in Late Life 3(3-0)
- HDF 430/WGS 430 – Women and Aging 3(3-0)
- HDF 506 – Practicum in Parent Involvement 3(2-2)
- HDF 511 – Seminar in Human Sexuality 3(3-0)
- HDF 513 – Readings in the Family 3(3-0)
- HDF 516 – Family Development: Early Adulthood/Middle Age 3(3-0)
- HDF 517 – Readings in Martial Counseling and Divorce 3(3-0)
- HDF 535 – Dementia Care: Diagnosis, Treatment and Prevention
- HSC 523 – AIDS Education 1(1-0)
- HSC 524 – Workshop on Health Fitness 2(Spec)
- HSC 525 – Sexually Transmitted Disease Workshop 1(Spec)
- HSC 526 – Behavioral Health 3(3-0)
- HSC 527 – Sex Education Workshop 1(Spec)
- HSC 528 – Smoking and Health Education Workshop 1(Spec)
- HSC 529 – Alcohol Education Workshop 1(1-0)
- HSC 530 – Drug Abuse Workshop 1(Spec)
- PES 143 – Sexual Assault and Harassment/Awareness and Avoidance 2(2-0)
- PSY 350 – Clinical interviewing and Counseling 3(3-0)

Total: 24 semester hours

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