# Bachelor of Arts in Child and Family Studies

## A Suggested Sequence of Required Courses (2013-2014 Catalog)

### Freshman Year

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<td>3 ENG 1302 or FAS 1302</td>
<td>3 ENG 1304 (see below)</td>
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<td>3 REL 1310</td>
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<td>3 Math (STA 1380 recommended - see reverse)</td>
<td>4 CHE 1405 (satisfies Lab Science - Area 2)</td>
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<td>1 FCS 1104</td>
<td>3 FCS 1300 or 1311</td>
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<td>2 FCS 1231</td>
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<td>3-4 Foreign Language 1401/1412 (see reverse)</td>
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<td>3 ENG 2301 or ENG 2304/2306/GTX</td>
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<td>3 Foreign Language 2310 (see reverse)</td>
<td>4 NSC 1306-1106 (satisfies Lab Science-Area 1)</td>
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<td>3 CSS 1302 (satisfies one Fine Art)</td>
<td>3 Foreign Language 2320 (see reverse)</td>
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<td>3 FCS 2351</td>
<td>1 Lifeline Fitness</td>
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<td>3 FCS 3350</td>
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<td>2-3 Fine Art (see reverse)</td>
<td>3 PSC 2302</td>
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<td>1 Lifeline Fitness</td>
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<td>3 CSI or MIS (MIS 1305 suggested)</td>
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### Senior Year

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<td>3 FCS 4358</td>
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All students must graduate with a minimum of 124 hours, 36 of which must be at the 3000/4000 level.

## Notes about major requirements:

- The combination of courses for this degree program prepares students for careers in preschool programs and with agencies and institutions whose focus is on children and families.
- Complete one of the following groups (12 hours):
  - Group 1 (Child Development) = FCS 3324, 3357, 3358, 4363
  - Group 2 (Child Life) = FCS 3357, 3358, 3362, 4363
  - Group 3 (Family Studies) = FCS 4340, 4356, 4357, 4367
- Complete 9 Upper Level hours from the following: CLA 3381, HED 3320, HED 4321, SOC 4310, SOC 3311, SOC 3386, SOC 4329, LS 3305, LS 4320, EDP 3324, EDP 3330, CSS 3311, CSS 4313, TED 3380, additional FCS “3000-4000” level courses (in addition to the 54 hours counted on the major)
- Lab Science: Chemistry requirement will be completed with CHE 1405 or CHE 1300/1100. An additional 4 hours must be completed with NSC 1306-1106. An additional 4 hours of lab science (with appropriate labs) can be completed from Anthropology, Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Physics, ENV 1301 & 1101, ENV 1303 & 1103, or FAS 1407 (see reverse for specific courses).
- It is recommended that students take CHE 1405 before FCS 2351.
- English requirement: Students are allowed to take either ENG 1304 or FAS 1118, 1128, and 1138. Students majoring in the sciences may take ENG 3300 instead of ENG 1304.
- A grade of “C” or better in all family and consumer sciences courses used for the major and a “C” average in courses taken outside the department. For FCS courses that are pre-requisites for other courses, students must receive a grade of C or better to advance to the next course. Any FCS course may be repeated only two times for students to continue in the FCS major or minor.
- Check your degree audit often through Bearweb to ensure that you are making timely progress toward your degree.
- For more information, see the undergraduate catalog.

Please see reverse side for important information on general requirements.
Notes about General Requirements:

• Course selection is subject to availability within each semester.
• Please keep in mind that this is only a suggested sequence. Actual sequence will vary according to possible second major, minor, other program of study (including pre-health), and individual circumstances (ex., transfer credit, dual credit, and credit by exam).
• In order to complete your degree, you must fulfill all requirements in your major and general requirements for the Bachelor of Arts.
• To complete a double major, you may not count any courses toward both majors.
• For more specific information on general requirements, see the undergraduate catalog.
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Social Science (One course from 3 areas - 9 hours):
- ANT 1305 or 3301
- ECO 1305 or 2306 or 2307
- FAS 1303 or 1305, or 3 courses from FAS 1115, 1125, 1135
- GEOG 1300
- HONORS 3100 or 3101 or 3200 or 3201 (for Honors Programs only, at least two must be taken)
- PHI 1306 or 1307 or 1308 or 1321 or 3301 or 3310 or 3312 or 3322
- PSC 1305 or 1306
- PSY 1305
- SOC 1305 or 3 courses from SOC 1105, 1106, 1107

Fine Arts (One course from 3 areas - 7-9 hours):
- ART 1300 or 2302 or 2303
- CLA 3380
- CSS 1301 or 1302 or 1304
- FDM/JOU 1303
- FAS 1306 or 3 courses from FAS 1116, 1126, 1136
- FCS 3313 or 4313
- MUS 1220 or 3322 or 3323 or 4320
- THEA 1206 or 2374

Foreign Language:
- Option A: One modern language through 2320 level:
  Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, and Swahili
- Option B: One classical language through 2320 level or two classical through 1302 level:
  Latin, Greek, Hebrew (If available, Akkadian, Aramaic, Syriac, and/or Ugaritic may be used)

Math:
- MTH 1301 (Ideas in Math) or MTH 1320* (Pre-cal) or MTH 1321 (Calculus) or STA 1380. *Math 1320 is intended only for students who intend to take 1321.

History (choose 2 courses - 6 hours): HIS 1305, 1307, 2365, 2366 or FAS 1304

Lab Science (12 hours) Choose one science course from each area - each must include a lab:

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<td>BIO 1305/1105 Modern Concepts of Bio</td>
<td>*CHE 1300/1100 Intro to Chemistry</td>
<td>ANT 1404</td>
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<td>BIO 1306/1106 Modern Concepts of Bio II</td>
<td>*CHE 1301/1101 Basic Prin of Mod Chem I</td>
<td>ENV 1301/1101 Exploring Env Issues</td>
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<td>BIO 1401 General Biology</td>
<td>CHE 1302/1102/Basic Prin of Mod Chem II</td>
<td>ENV 1303/1103 Wildlife Ecology</td>
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<td>BIO 1403 Exploring the Living World</td>
<td>*CHE 1405 Chemistry in Society</td>
<td>Or any other lab science including:</td>
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<td>*GEO 1401 Earthquakes &amp; Other Disasters</td>
<td>CHE 1341/1146 Intro to Organic Biochemistry</td>
<td>BIO, CHE, GEO, PHY, and FAS 1407</td>
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<td>GEO 1402 World Oceans</td>
<td>*GEO 1403 Environmental Geology</td>
<td>PHY 1404 Light, Vision, and Optics</td>
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<td>*GEO 1405 The Dynamic Earth</td>
<td>PHY 1405 General Physics for BA Students</td>
<td>PHY 1407 Sound and Acoustics</td>
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<td>PHY 1420 General Physics I</td>
<td>PHY 1408 Gen Physics-Natural &amp; Behav Sci</td>
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<td>PHYS 1408 Gen Physics-Natural &amp; Behav Sci</td>
<td>PHY 1455 Descriptive Astronomy</td>
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<td>NSC 1306/1106 Intro to Neuroscience</td>
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Biology/Chemistry Prerequisite Policies:
- Biology: In order to register for BIO 1305 and 1306 students must have either a satisfactory math score on the ACT or SAT OR have completed MTH 1320 (Pre-Calculus) with a grade of B or better.
- Chemistry: In order to register for CHE 1301 students must have either a satisfactory math score on the ACT or SAT or have a minimum grade of B in CHE 1300 AND a minimum grade of B in either MTH 1320 (Pre-Calculus) or MTH 1321 (Calculus).