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Bachelor of Science in Child and Family Studies - Child Development

A Suggested Sequence of Required Courses (2023-2024 Catalog)

Freshman Year

Fall			Spring		
_____	3	**CFS 1315** *Development of Individual and Family Relationships*	_____	3	**CFS 2355** *Child Development*
_____	0	CHA *Chapel*	_____	0	CHA *Chapel*
_____	3	ENG 1310 *Writing and Academic Inquiry* (Research, Writing and Literature I)	_____	3	ENG 2310 *American Literary Cultures*
_____	1	HSD 1104 *New Student Seminar in HSD* (NSE)	_____	3	Formal Reasoning *(see options below)*
_____	2	HSD 1231 *Design and Creative Technologies* (Fine Art and Performing Art)	_____	3	HIS 1300 *The United States in Global Perspective*
_____	3	REL 1310 *The Christian Scriptures*	_____	3	REL 1350 *The Christian Heritage*
_____	4	Scientific Method I Courses *(see options below)*			
Total:	16		Total:	15	

Sophomore Year

Fall			Spring		
_____	3	**CFS 2357** *Adult Development*	_____	3	**CFS 3350** *Individual and Family Financial Management*
_____	3	Contemporary Social Issues Course *(see options below)*	_____	3	**CFS 3304** *Introduction to Research*
_____	3	NUTR 3341 *Consumer Nutrition* (Scientific Method II Course)	_____	3	**Child Development Elective Course** *(see reverse for options)*
_____	3	Foreign Language and Cultures	_____	3	Foreign Language and Cultures
_____	3	PSC 1387 *The U.S. Constitution, It's Interpretation, and the Am Pol Exp*.	_____	3	Professional Elective *(see reverse for options)*
Total:	15		Total:	15	

Junior Year

Fall			Spring		
_____	3	**CFS 3354** *Family Life Education* (Comm and Media Lit) (Fall only)	_____	3	**CFS 4359** *Parenting Theory & Approaches*
_____	3	**CFS 3358** *Infant and Toddler Development*	_____	3	**CFS 3368** *Theory and Principles of Play*
_____	1	**CFS 3356** *Theories of Family Development*	_____	3	**CFS 3324** *Children and Families with Special Needs*
_____	3	**Child Development Elective Course** *(see reverse for options)*	_____	3	**Child Development Elective Course** *(see reverse for options)*
_____	3	PWR 3300 *Technical Writing* (Research, Writing and Literature II)	_____	3	Professional Elective *(see reverse for options)*
_____	3	Professional Elective *(see reverse for options)*	_____	1	Lifetime Fitness* *(see note below)*
Total:	16		Total:	16	

Senior Year

Fall			Spring		
_____	3	**CFS 4191** *Professional Practices in CFS*	_____	3	**CFS 4358** *Planning and Admin. of Child and Family Programs*
_____	3	**CFS 4363** *Middle Childhood and Adolescent Development*	_____	3	**CFS 4390** *Child and Family Studies Practicum*
_____	3	**Child Development Elective Course** *(see reverse for options)*	_____	3	Professional Elective *(see reverse for options)*
_____	3	Professional Elective *(see reverse for options)*	_____	3	General Elective
_____	3	General Elective	_____	2	Elective hours if needed to reach 124 *(due to language)*
_____	1	Lifetime Fitness* *(see note below)*	_____	1	Lifetime Fitness* *(see note below)*
Total:	16		Total:	13,15	

TOTAL: 124 HOURS (124-126)

All students must graduate with a minimum of 124 hours, which must be at the 3000/4000 level. *36 of*

Notes about major requirements:

A grade of "C" or better in Human Sciences and Design Courses (ADM, CFS, HSD, ID, or NUTR), Child Development Elective courses, and

all professional electives used for the major

An approved, on-site internship is required following the completion of prerequisite courses.

The required, for-credit course, CFS 4390 (listed above), provides credit for the internship experience.

Contemporary Social Issues options: CFS 4356, SOC 1305, PSY 1305, REL 3390, **OR** ANT 1325

Formal Reasoning options: MTH 1301, PHI 1306, **OR** STA 1380

Scientific Method I option: BIO 1305 and 1105; BIO 1306 and 1106; BIO 1401; NSC 1306 and 1106; CHE 1300 and 1100; CHE 1301 and 1101; OR CHE 1405

Scientific Method II options: NUTR 3314

*Lifetime Fitness - Either PUBH 1145 or PPS 1100 may be substituted for one LF course

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Notes about General Requirements:

• 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 Robbins College Bachelor of Science.

• 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.

• Check your degree audit often through Bearweb to ensure that you are making timely progress toward your degree.

Child Development Elective Hours (Select 12 hours from the following courses)

EDP 3324 *Learning and Development* (Spring only)

LS 3305 *Children's Literature*

LS 4320 *Young People's Literature* (Spring only)

SOC 3360 *Juvenile Delinquency*

PUBH 3325 *Maternal and Infant Health*

PUBH 4321 *Human Sexuality*

Professional Electives (complete one option)

Option 1:	Option 2:	Option 3:
Completed minor in a supporting area such as:	**Select 15 hours from the following courses**	***Complete the Family Life Education Certification Courses**
Communication Sciences and Disorders	Any additional 3000-4000 level CFS course	CFS 4356 *The Family: A Global Perspective*
Educational Psychology	CLA 3381 *Medical Terminology*	CFS 4367 *Family Transitions, Stress and Resilience* (Spring only)
International Studies	CSS 4311 *Conflict and Communication*	CFS 4357 *Child and Family Policy and Advocacy*
Leadership Studies	CSS 4313 *Communication & The Family*	**OR** SWO 4322 *Social Policy for Social Work Practice*
Medical Humanities	PUBH 4321 *Human Sexuality*	PUBH 4321 *Human Sexuality*
Nutrition Sciences	PUBH 4327 *Dying and Death Education*	*3 additional hours of upper-level elective from Option 2
Poverty Studies and Social Justice	REL 3382 *Cross-Cultural Ministry*	
Religion	REL 3390 *Christian Ethics*	*If this option is selected, CFS 4356 cannot
Women's and Gender Studies	SOC 3311 *The Sociology of Race and Ethnicity*	count as the Contemporary Social Issues course for basic studies.
Notes:	SOC 3355 *Introduction to Economics of Poverty and Discrimination*	
1. No more than one course in the minor can count for	SOC 4353 *Sociology of Medicine* (Fall only)	
any other area in the major or degree requirements	SWO 4316 *Trauma, Loss and Mourning* (Spring only)	
2. See individual minors for course and grade requirement	TED 3380 *Social Issues in Education*	
3. General elective hours may be required to complete		
some minors		