

**Minor: Human Development and Family Science**  
**College of Family and Consumer Sciences**

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:** A minor in Human Development and Family Science will provide a knowledge base for persons interested in individuals and families throughout the life cycle.

**REQUIREMENTS:**

- MINIMUM OF 2.5 CUMULATIVE GPA REQUIRED TO DECLARE MINOR.
- Must earn at least a “C” grade (2.0) in each minor course.
- 9 hours of upper division course work required.
- Courses taken to satisfy Core Areas I through V cannot be counted as course work in the minor.
- Courses taken in Core Area VI or F may be counted as course work in the minor.
- Courses taken for a minor may count in major required area.
- All prerequisites must be met for the courses.

**REQUIRED COURSES – 9 hours**

HDFS 2100 or 2100H or 2100E	Development Within the Family
HDFS 2200 or 2200H or 2200E	Introduction to Life Span Development <b>or</b>
HDFS 2950 or 2950E	Introduction to Child Development
HDFS 3930 or 3930E	It’s Complicated: 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Intimate Relationships <b>or</b>
HDFS 4870 or 4870E	Human Sexuality Across the Life Span

**ELECTIVES – 3 hours** (*Choose one of the following*)

HDFS 3700 or 3700S or 3700E or 3701E	Adolescent Development
HDFS 3710	Midlife/Elder Years Survey*
HDFS 3900 or 3900E	Prenatal & Infant Development*
HDFS 3920	Issues in Family Systems
HDFS 3930 or 3930E	It’s Complicated: 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Intimate Relationships ( <i>if not used above</i> )
HDFS 4080	Advanced Child Development
HDFS 4130 or 4130E	Family Policy*
HDFS 4330	Diversity in Human Development & Family Systems
HDFS(FHCE) 4500	Aging & the Family*
HDFS (SOCD) 4610 or 4610E	The Family
HDFS 4810	Psychosocial Care of the Hospitalized Child & the Family*
HDFS 4850	Family Development
HDFS 4860	Parenting & Child Guidance*
HDFS 4870 or 4870E	Human Sexuality Across the Life Span ( <i>if not used above</i> )
HDFS 4880	Family Life Education Methodology
HDFS 4900 or 4900S	Seminar in HDFS (1-3 hours)
HDFS 5100 or 5100W	Family Intervention*
HDFS 5110	Research Methods in HDFS
HDFS(ETAP) 5150 or HDFS 5150S	Families, Schools, and Communities

\* *Please Note: Prerequisite coursework is required. Please refer to <http://bulletin.uga.edu/> for information.*

**TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS - 15 hours**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Log into Athena. Go to the Student tab, then click on My Programs.
2. Click the Add Minor button, select the minor you wish to add, and confirm your selection.
3. Refer to the UGA bulletin for minor course requirements.

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