

UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND - COLLEGE OF HUMAN SCIENCE AND SERVICES  
HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES CURRICULUM PLANNING SHEET  
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HS\_HDFS\_BS - HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES.....120 Credits

Students seeking admission to the bachelor's degree program in HDF must complete the following courses with an overall QPA of 2.00 prior to acceptance into the HDF Department: PSY 113, HDF 200 or 201, one 100 or 200 level Gen. Ed Sociology course or HDF 225, and one course of Gen. Ed. Math. An overall 2.00 QPA is needed to transfer from University College to the College of Human Science and Services. The curriculum for the Early Childhood Education Teacher Certification Program can be found on another worksheet.

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| <b>GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS</b> ..... |     |   | 40 Credits  |
| English Communications                      | (6) | (WRT) 104, 105 or 106   | COM 100     |
| Fine Arts/Literature                        | (6) | _____   | _____       |
| Foreign Language/Culture                    | (6) | _____   | _____       |
| Letters                                     | (6) | _____   | _____       |
| Mathematical & Quantitative                 | (3) | _____   | _____       |
| Natural Science                             | (6) | _____   | _____       |
| Social Science                              | (6) | PSY 113   | SOC/HDF 225 |
|   | (1) | URI 101 (FOR STUDENTS WITH LESS THAN 24 CREDITS WHEN TRANSFERRING TO URI) |             |

\*Two diversity (D) courses needed from those taken above

**CORE EXPERIENCES - STUDENTS TAKE ALL SIX OF THE FOLLOWING COURSES:** ..... 16 Credits

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| HDF 180 (1) Personal and Career Development                | _____ |
| HDF 200 (3) Life Span Development I                        | _____ |
| HDF 201 (3) Life Span Development II                       | _____ |
| HDF 202 (3) Research in Human Development & Family Studies | _____ |
| HDF 205 (3) Family Financial Issues Across the Life Span   | _____ |
| HDF 230 (3) Marriage and Family Relationships              | _____ |

**EARLY FIELD EXPERIENCE** - Students take two of the following courses: ..... 7-8 Credits

Students are strongly advised to take only one early field experience course per semester.

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| HDF 203 (4) Introduction to Work with Young Children    | _____             |
| HDF 306 (4) Infant Development                          | _____             |
| HDF 310 (3) Adolescent Development AND Field Experience | HDF 311 (1) _____ |
| HDF 312 (3) Adult Development                           | _____             |
| HDF 314 (4) Introduction to Gerontology                 | _____             |

**PROFESSIONAL CONTENT AREA** – Students take any four courses from ONE area .....12 credits

The Early Childhood Education (ECE) program has a separate curriculum worksheet. For the ECE program, consult an ECE faculty member for academic advising.

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| <p><b>Child Settings</b></p> <p>HDF 302 (3) Children's Literature _____</p> <p>HDF 305 (3) Involving Families in Diverse Early Childhood Settings _____</p> <p>HDF 357 (3) Family and Community Health _____</p> <p>HDF 400 (3) Advanced Seminar in Child Dev _____</p> <p>HDF 430 (3) Family Interaction _____</p> <p>HDF 432 (3) Perspectives on Parenting _____</p> <p>HDF 434 (3) Children and Families in Poverty _____</p> <p>HDF 455 (3) Assessment in Early Childhood with HDF 456 (1-3) Assessment Practicum _____</p> | <p><b>Family and Community Settings</b></p> <p>HDF 357 (3) Family and Community Health _____</p> <p>HDF 418 (3) Personal Finance _____</p> <p>HDF 421 (3) Death, Dying &amp; Bereavement _____</p> <p>HDF 428 (3) Consumer Protection _____</p> <p>HDF 430 (3) Family Interaction _____</p> <p>HDF 431 (3) Family and the Elderly _____</p> <p>HDF 432 (3) Perspectives on Parenting _____</p> <p>HDF 433 (3) Family Life Education _____</p> <p>HDF 434 (3) Children &amp; Families in Poverty _____</p> <p>HDF 437 (3) Law &amp; Families in the U.S. _____</p> <p>HDF 440 (3) Environmental Context of Aging _____</p> | <p><b>Family Finance</b></p> <p>HDF 418 (3) Personal Finance _____</p> <p>HDF 424 (3) Applications of Pers Finance _____</p> <p>HDF 426 (3) Retirement Planning _____</p> <p>HDF 428 (3) Consumer Protection _____</p> <p>HDF 451 (3) Financial Counseling &amp; Debt Management _____</p> <p>Completing courses in the Family Finance curriculum does not require a student to enroll in the FFCP certificate program. Courses required for the certificate program can be found on the reverse.</p> |
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| Name _____           | I.D.# _____                       |
| Address _____        | Home # _____                      |
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| Email _____          | Cell # _____                      |
| Advisor's Name _____ | Expected Date of Graduation _____ |

**PROFESSIONAL ELECTIVES** .....12 Credits  
 Child Settings, Family and Community Settings, and Family Finance Sub-plans

Courses **MUST** be planned WITH an academic advisor. Nine credits must be at the 300 level or above. The purpose of these electives is to provide specific additional courses related to the professional goals of the individual student.

HDF 450 (3) Introduction to Counseling (Required) \_\_\_\_\_

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Professional Goal: \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY FINANCIAL COUNSELING & PLANNING CERTIFICATE PROGRAM**

To complete the Family Financial Counseling and Planning certificate program, the following courses (27 credits) must be completed: HDF 210 OR HDF 225, HDF 418, HDF 424, HDF 426, HDF 428, HDF 450, HDF 451, HDF 477 and HDF 478.

For academic advising for the FFCP certificate program and to receive the certificate, consult a FFCP faculty member.

**SENIOR FIELD WORK EXPERIENCE** .....6 – 13 Credits

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| <b>Child Settings and Family and Community Settings</b>   |  | <b>Family Finance</b>  |  |
| HDF 480 Senior Field Experience & Senior Reflection (6-12 credits) concurrent with _____                |  | HDF 477 Field Experience in Financial Planning (3 credits) concurrent with _____         |  |
| HDF 481 Field Experience Seminar (1 credit) _____   |  | HDF 478 Field Experience in Financial Planning (3 credits) _____                         |  |
| - OR -  |  | - OR -   |  |
| HDF 497 Special Problems (Supervised volunteer experience) 3 credits per semester up to 9 credits _____ |  | HDF 480 Senior Field Experience & Senior Reflection (6-12 credits) concurrent with _____ |  |
| - OR -  |  | HDF 481 Field Experience Seminar (1 credit) _____  |  |
| ITR 301 Field Experience I (6-12 credits) concurrent with _____   |  |  |  |
| ITR 303 Colloquium I (3 credits) _____  |  |  |  |

**FREE ELECTIVES** ..... 17-31 Credits

Courses in this category are for exploration and interest. These courses may also be taken pass/fail after the freshman year. Limit per semester of three pass/fail courses.

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**MINOR FIELD OF STUDY**

Students are encouraged to pursue a minor field of study. 18 credits in one field (such as PSY, SOC or WMS) can be used to establish a minor. These courses may also be used to fulfill other requirements. The department in which the minor is granted and the HSS Dean's Office must sign the Minor Fields of Study form.

Minor pursued: \_\_\_\_\_

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