

Tips for Scheduling Courses for Majors in FCS Education

(licensure program for adolescent-young adult)

(However, you will receive a career-technical license for grades 4 – 12)

Major Code: BS6370

Tier I Acquire needed courses to develop quantitative and English composition skills. For an education major, these are very significant for an effective Family & Consumer Science teacher to acquire the capacity to integrate core academics into the future teaching curriculum.

Tier II To increase your breadth of knowledge you must take 30 hours from the approved list in the undergraduate catalog or DARS report. Courses already required for the major that will also count toward the 30 hours are:

Health Sciences 202 (4 hrs)
HCFN 128 (4 hrs)
Chemistry 121 (4 hrs) or 151 (5 hrs)
HC CF 160 (4 hrs)
HCRM 250 (4 hrs)
Psychology 101 (5 hrs)
HCIA 185 (4 hrs)

Suggestions for teaching financial literacy in the future – ECON 103

Tier III (Sr. Year) One course is required after attaining senior rank (135 hrs). Suggestions helpful for teaching Family & Consumer Sciences would be: HCCF 400 Senior Seminar

Steps you need to take to complete your teaching degree in four years:

1. **Year I** – Lay out a four year plan for yourself, paying particular attention to courses in the School of HCS that are offered only one quarter and pre-requisites.

maintain a 2.75 GPA, complete 45 quarter hours, with a “C” grade or better in PSY 101, COMS 103 and all Tier I courses and apply for admission to the College of Education in the spring or third quarter (You may have to take the Praxis I test for admission – refer to your DARS report).

2. **Year II** – Complete EDTE 200, 201, & 202, EDCT 203 with a minimum “C” grade. Apply for advanced standing in professional education at the end of the third quarter. HCFN 128 is required before HCFN 222.
3. **Year III** – Complete EDCS 301, EDSE 350 & 351, EDTE 371B and apply for student teaching no later

than December 1 so you can be scheduled for student teaching in your senior (year IV) year. Also, HCCF 371 is a pre-requisite for all 400 level HCCF courses.

HCGE 340 (Teaching of Family & Consumer Sciences) to be taken in year III or IV.

4. **Year IV** – Complete EDCS 400 plus HCGE 340, and all required education courses must be taken before student teaching. EDPL 463, 464, & 465 are the course numbers for student teaching and are usually fulfilled in the spring quarter of your senior year and no other classes should be taken during student teaching. During winter quarter, apply to take the Praxis II assessment.