

2020 – 2022 Bachelor of Science in Human Development & Family Sciences

Sample 4 Year Plan: Families and Society Option

Year One	
HDF 304: Family Relationships (3) <i>Also fulfills Core Social and Behavioral Sciences¹</i>	HDF 313: Child Dvlp (3) & HDF 113L: Lab (1) <i>Must register for lab first</i>
CH 301: Principles of Chemistry I (3) QR	BIO 311C: Introductory Biology I (3)
SDS 302F: Foundations of Data Analysis (3) QR	Core: English Composition ¹ – RHE 306 (3)
Core: History ¹ (3)	Social Science: ECO, SOC, PSY, ANT ² (3)
Core: First Year Signature Course ¹ – UGS 302/303 (3)	General Elective (3)
Year Two	
HDF 305: Health/Devel Across the Lifespan or HDF 306: Intro to Gender/ Sexuality	HDF 315L: Research Methods in HDFS (3) QR
BIO 311D: Introductory Biology II (3) or CH 302: Principles of Chemistry II (3)	SDS 324E: Elements of Regression Analysis QR or M 408N/R: Diff Calc (4)
Social Science: ECO, SOC, PSY, ANT ² (3)	NTR 306: Fundamentals of Nutrition (3)
Core: Humanities ¹ – E316L, M, N, or P (3)	Support Course ³ (3)
General Elective (3)	Core: History ¹ (3)
Year Three – Apply to practicum	
HDF 340: Eth/Phil/Profsnl Development Issues (3) E	HDF: Option Course (3) <i>Choose from list on back of this sheet</i>
HDF: Option Course (3) <i>Choose from list on back of this sheet</i>	HDF: Any additional 3 hours ⁴ (3)
Support Course ³ (3)	Support Course ³ (3)
Core: Government ¹ (3)	Core: Government ¹ (3)
Additional Science – AST, BIO CH, CS, GEO, M NTR, or PHY (3)	General Elective (3)
Year Four – Complete practicum fall or spring semester	
HDF: Option Course (3) <i>Choose from list on back of this sheet</i>	HDF 652F/652P/655R: Applied/research practicum ⁴ (6) II
HDF: Any additional 3 hours (3)	HDF: Option Course (3) <i>Choose from list on back of this sheet</i>
Social Science: Upper Division ECO, SOC, PSY, ANT ² (3)	General Elective (3)
Core: Visual And Performing Arts ¹ (3)	
General Elective (3)	

1. Refer to approved Core List.

***120 total hours required for this degree**

Courses that fulfill core curriculum requirements are designated in the course schedule with a blue icon in the far right column.

2. PSY 304, 333D, and 339 cannot count towards this degree.

3. Refer to approved list available at the Human Ecology Advising Center.

4. Students can take a maximum of 12 hours the semester they complete an applied practicum.

Flag Requirements

- The following course flags are required and may overlap with other required courses.
- One course can satisfy up to 3 flags, with the exception of the GC and CD flags. Two separate classes are needed.
- Transfer & credit-by-exam courses (ex. AP) do not fulfill flag requirements.
- Course flags are designated in the course schedule. You are responsible to check the course schedule each semester to verify available flags.

Flags required:	Fulfilled by:
Wr Writing (lower or upper-division)	HDF 347
Wr Writing (upper-division)	HDF 362
QR Quantitative Reasoning	SDS 302, CH 301, HDF 315L
GC Global Cultures	
CD Cultural Diversity in the U.S.	
E Ethics	HDF 340
II Independent Inquiry	HDF Practicum

Suggestions: Core Humanities, Core History, Core VAPA; HDF hours; Support Course; Social Science; General Electives (confirm elective hours needed with your advisor)

Degree Planning Resources

Degree Checklists
<https://cns.utexas.edu/degree-checklists>

Interactive Degree Audit
<https://registrar.utexas.edu/students/degrees/ida>

Credit-By-Exam
<https://learningsciences.utexas.edu/studenttesting>

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For the “HDF: Option Courses” on your sample plan, take the following courses:

Required courses for this option:

HDF 347: Socioeconomic Problems of Families (Fall or Spring, once a year) **Wr**

AND

HDF 362: Children and Public Policy **Wr**

Choose 2 courses from the following list:

HDF 342: Development of Psychopathology from Infancy through Adolescence (Spring only)

HDF 343: Human Development in Minority and Immigrant Families **Wr CD**

HDF 360: Methods of Family Life Education (Fall or Spring, once a year)

HDF 378K Introduction to Early Childhood Intervention

HDF 338: Developmentally Appropriate Practices with Young Children (Fall only)

HDF 378K: Introduction to Child Life (Spring only)

HDF 378K: Sexuality in Human Development and Family Sciences (Infrequent)

See the HDFFS website for more courses offered by the HDFFS department: <https://he.utexas.edu/hdfs>