

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHILD DEVELOPMENT (CHILD LIFE)

Web Site: <https://twu.edu/human-development-family-studies-counseling/undergraduate-programs/child-development/>

Recommended Plan of Study

First Year

Fall		TCCN	SCHs
UNIV 1231	Learning Frameworks: The First Year Experience	EDUC 1100, EDUC 1200, EDUC 1300	1
ENG 1013	Composition I	ENGL 1301	3
HIST 1013	History of the United States, 1492-1865	HIST 1301	3
MATH 1013	Financial and Quantitative Literacy	MATH 1332	3
HDFS 1513	Human Development		3
Elective			2
SCHs			15

Spring		TCCN	SCHs
HDFS 1001	Seminar in Family Sciences (Must take in 1st or 2nd semester)		1
ENG 1023	Composition II	ENGL 1302	3
HIST 1023	History of the United States, 1865 to the Present	HIST 1302	3
Social & Behavioral Science Core			3
Wellness/Mathematics CAO Core			2
Creative Arts Core			3
SCHs			15

Second Year

Fall		TCCN	SCHs
HDFS 2563	Childhood Guidance		3
POLS 2013	U.S. National Government	GOVT 2305	3
Language, Philosophy, and Culture Core			3
Life/Physical Science Core			3
Multicultural Women's Studies Core			3
SCHs			15

Spring		TCCN	SCHs
HDFS 1603	Child in the Family and Community	TECA 1303	3
HDFS 2503	Development of Infants and Toddlers		3
HDFS 2513	Early Childhood Development	TECA 1354	3
POLS 2013	U.S. National Government	GOVT 2305	3
Life/Physical Science Core			3
SCHs			15

Third Year

Fall		TCCN	SCHs
HDFS 2523	Wellness of the Young Child	TECA 1318	3

HDFS 3403	Concept Development in Early Childhood Programs		3
ECE 3413	Program Planning and Administration of Programs for Young Children		3
HDFS 3613	Crisis in the American Family		3
HDFS 3533	Research Methods in Family Sciences		3
SCHs			15

Spring		TCCN	SCHs
HDFS 3513	Childhood and Adolescence		3
HDFS 3523	The Care and Education of Children: A Global Perspective		3
HDFS 3563	Creative Arts and Literature for Young Children		3
HS 3033	Medical Terminology		3
Electives			3
SCHs			15

Fourth Year

Fall		TCCN	SCHs
HDFS 4403	Child Life: Working With Hospitalized Children and Families		3
HDFS 4533	Communication and the Family or 4543 or Developmental Sexuality (Developmental Sexuality)		3
HDFS 4923	Professional Development in Family Sciences		3
Electives			6
SCHs			15

Spring		TCCN	SCHs
HDFS 3323	Separation and Loss		3
HDFS 3423	Play and Development in Early Childhood		3
HDFS 4583	Parenting Issues and Education		3
HDFS 4803	Public Policy: Family Sciences or SOWK 3453 or Children's Rights and Services (Children's Rights and Services)		3
HDFS 4943	Practicum in Family Sciences		3
SCHs			15
Total SCHs:			120

*Please note that this plan does not include summer semesters. Students can take fewer courses during fall and spring if they opt to take courses in the summer.