

# BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN FAMILY STUDIES

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

## Recommended Plan of Study

### First Year

Fall		TCCN	SCHs
UNIV 1231	Learning Frameworks: First-Year Seminar	EDUC 1100, EDUC 1200, EDUC 1300	1
ENG 1013	Composition I	ENGL 1301	3
HDFS 1513	Human Development		3
HIST 1013	History of the United States, 1492-1865	HIST 1301	3
MATH 1013	Mathematics in Society	MATH 1332	3
Elective			2

**SCHs 15**

Spring		TCCN	
HDFS 1001	Seminar in Family Sciences (Must take during 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
Creative Arts Core			3
Social & Behavioral Sciences Core			3
Wellness Core			2

**SCHs 15**

### Second Year

Fall		TCCN	
HDFS 1603	Child in the Family and Community	TECA 1303	3
POLS 2013	U.S. National Government	GOVT 2305	3
Language, Philosophy, and Culture Core			3
Life & Physical Sciences Core			3
Multicultural Women's Studies Core			3

**SCHs 15**

Spring		TCCN	
HDFS 2003	Diversity in Contemporary Families: A Global Perspective		3
HDFS 2513	Early Childhood Development	TECA 1354	3
HDFS 3513 or 2503	Childhood and Adolescence or Development of Infants and Toddlers		3
POLS 2023	Texas Government	GOVT 2306	3
Life & Physical Sciences Core			3

**SCHs 15**

Summer		TCCN	
NFS 2343	Nutritional Management for the Family and Child (only offered in the summer)		3

**SCHs 3**

### Third Year

Fall		TCCN	
HDFS 3613	Crisis in the American Family		3
HDFS 3733	Family Life and Consumer Education		3
HDFS 4103	Issues and Trends in Family Sciences		3
HDFS 4523	Family Development		3
Electives			3

**SCHs 15**

Spring		TCCN	
HDFS 3533	Research Methods in Family Sciences		3
HDFS 3633	Older Persons and the Family		3
HDFS 4533	Communication and the Family		3
HDFS 4543	Developmental Sexuality		3
Electives			3

**SCHs 15**

### Fourth Year

Fall		TCCN	
HDFS 4603	Occupational Issues in Family Sciences		3
HDFS 4713	Family Economics		3
HDFS 4773	Family Resource Management		3
HDFS 4923	Professional Development in Family Sciences		3
Electives			3

**SCHs 15**

Spring		TCCN	
HDFS 4583	Parenting Issues and Education		3
HDFS 4733	Family Financial Planning		3
HDFS 4803	Public Policy: Family Sciences Perspectives		3
HDFS 4943	Practicum in Family Sciences		3

**SCHs 12**

**Total SCHs: 120**

\*\* Please note that this plan of study only includes one summer course. Students can reduce the number of courses taken in Fall and Spring if they opt to take additional courses in the summer.