

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHILD DEVELOPMENT (MENTAL HEALTH)

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

Degree Requirements

Total Semester Credit Hours (SCH): 120

Major: 64 SCH

Program Code: CHLDDEV.BS.METHLTH ; **CIP Code:** 19.0706.00

Texas Core Curriculum

Code	Title	SCHs
ENG 1013	Composition I (10)	3
ENG 1023	Composition II (10)	3
Mathematics (20)		3
Life & Physical Sciences (30)		6
Language, Philosophy, & Culture (40)		3
Creative Arts (50)		3
HIST 1013	History of the United States, 1492-1865 (60)	3
HIST 1023	History of the United States, 1865 to the Present (60)	3
POLS 2013	U.S. National Government (70)	3
POLS 2023	Texas Government (70)	3
Social & Behavioral Sciences (80)		3
CAO: Multicultural-Women's Studies (90)		3
CAO: First Year Seminar, Wellness or Mathematics (91)		3
Total SCHs		42

Courses Required for Major

Code	Title	SCHs
Lower Level Courses		
HDFS 1001	Seminar in Family Sciences (Take first or second semester)	1
HDFS 1513	Human Development	3
HDFS 2003	Diversity in Contemporary Families: A Global Perspective	3
HDFS 2503	Development of Infants and Toddlers	3
HDFS 2513	Early Childhood Development	3
HDFS 2563	Childhood Guidance	3
Choice of 4 additional HDFS courses		12
Upper Level Courses		
HDFS 3423	Play and Development in Early Childhood	3
HDFS 3323	Separation and Loss	3
HDFS 3513	Childhood and Adolescence	3
HDFS 3523	The Care and Education of Children: A Global Perspective	3
HDFS 3533	Research Methods in Family Sciences	3
HDFS 3613	Crisis in the American Family	3

HDFS 4923	Professional Development in Family Sciences (Grade of "B" or higher required)	3
COUN 4003	Foundations of Clinical Mental Health Counseling	3
HDFS 4013	Development of Psychopathology	3
MFT 4023	Foundations of Marriage and Family Therapy	3
HDFS 4943	Practicum in Family Sciences (Last semester. Grade of "B" or higher required)	3
Option: Select two upper-level courses from the following		6
HDFS 4533	Communication and the Family	
HDFS 4543	Developmental Sexuality	
HDFS 4583	Parenting Issues and Education	
SOWK 3513	Culturally Competent Practice	
SOCI 3113	Juvenile Delinquency	
Total SCHs		67

Departmental Requirements

Code	Title	SCHs
PSY 1013	Introduction to General Psychology	3

Electives

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Electives		11
Total SCHs		11