School of Human Environmental Sciences
Human Development, Family Sciences, and Rural Sociology
Lifespan Concentration
2008-2009

Student _____ **ID #** _____ **Advisor** _____

Communications **12[1] hours**

____ ENGL 1013 Composition I
____ ENGL 1023 Composition II
____ COMM 1313 Fundamentals of Communication
____ ENGL 2003 Advanced Composition[2]

US History or Government* **3 hours**

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Mathematics* **3 hours**

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Sciences* **8 hours**

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Fine Arts and Humanities* **6 hours**

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Social Sciences **9 hours**

____ PSYC 2003 General Psychology
____ RSOC 2603 Rural Sociology OR
SOCI 2013 General Sociology
____ HESC 2413 Family Relations

Lifespan Concentration Requirements **43 hours**

____ HESC 1213 Nutrition in Health (F, Sp)
____ HESC 1403 Lifespan Development (F, Sp)
____ HESC 1501 Orientation to HESC (F, Sp)
____ HESC 2433 Child Development[3] (F, Sp)
____ HESC 3423 Adolescent Development[3] (Sp)
____ HESC 3443 Families in Crisis (F)
____ HESC 4423 Adult Development[3] (F)
____ HESC 4433 Dynamic Family Interaction[3] (Sp)
____ HESC 4443 Gerontology[3] (Sp)
____ HESC 4453 Parenting / Family Dynamics[3] (F, Sp)
____ HESC 4463 Administration and Evaluation of Child Development Programs[3] (F)
____ HESC 4493 Public Policy Advocacy (F)
____ HESC 4753 Family Financial Management (F, Sp)
____ CNED 3053 The Helping Relationship[3] (F, Sp)
____ SCWK 3163 On Death and Dying[3] (F, Sp, Sum)

Lifespan Concentration Electives[6] **6 hours**

(Choose from two courses from the list below)

____ HESC 2402 / 2401L Infant and Toddler Development[3] (F, Sp)
____ HESC 2443 The Hospitalized Child (Irregular)
____ HESC 3402 / 3401L Child Guidance[3] (F, Sp)
____ HESC 3763L Family Resource Management Lab (F)
____ HESC 4483 Internship in HDFS[4] (F, Sp, Sum)
____ RSOC 2603 Rural Sociology[5] (Sp)
____ RSOC 4603 Environmental Sociology (Sp)
____ RSOC 4623 Intro to Community Development[3] (F)

Statistics and Research Methods **6-7 hours**

(consult with advisor)

____ _____ *(Statistics course)*
____ _____ *(Research Methods course)*

General Electives[6] **27-28 hours**

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Total Hours Required **124 hours**

* See University Core Requirements
[1] Note that only 6 hours of communications are needed to meet the University Core Requirements. However, HDFS majors must complete 12 hours including COMM 1313
[2] Exemption may be earned by proficiency exam as noted in the University Course Catalog. If exempt, students must complete at least one COMM, ENGL, JOUR or foreign language class for a total of 12 hours in communications.
[3] Course has prerequisites or co-requisites
[4] Requires a cumulative GPA of 2.75 and permission from advisor
[5] Only if not counted in social science core
[6] Students must have at least 39 upper division hours