Dale Bumpers College of Agricultural, Food & Life Sciences
EIGHT-SEMESTER DEGREE COMPLETION PROGRAM
B.S.H.E.S. – Human Development, Family Sciences (HDFS) –Birth through Kindergarten
2017-2018

HDFS Requirements: 4-10 hours Communication; 1 hour University perspectives; 3 hours History; 3 hours Mathematics; 8 hours Sciences; 6 hours Fine Arts/Humanities; 9 hours Social Sciences; 71 hours Birth Through Kindergarten Concentration; 7-13 hours general electives. See catalog for candidacy and retention requirements for initial teacher licensure.
Bold – Course meets University Core Pre-requisites, co-requisites, or recommended courses are in parentheses.

Fall Semester Year 1	
Course	**Hours**
ENGL 1013 Composition I – unless exempt	3
HESC 1501 Issues and Trends in HESC	1
MATH Core Elective	3
UNIV 1001 University Perspectives	1
Fine Arts Core Elective	3
HDFS 1423 Observation and Foundations for Teaching Young Children	3
General Electives	1
Total Semester Hours	**15**

Spring Semester Year 1	
Course	**Hours**
HDFS 2413 Family Relations	3
ENGL 1023 Composition II (Pre-ENGL 1013) – unless Exempt	3
PSYC 2003 General Psychology	3
Science Core Elective	4
COMM 1313 Public Speaking or Comm intensive	3
Total Semester Hours	**16**

Fall Semester Year 2	
Course	**Hours**
HDFS 2403/2401L Infant & Toddler Development & Lab	4
NUTR 1213 Fundamentals of Nutrition	3
History Core Elective	3
SCWK 3633 Child Welfare: 21st Century Perspectives	3
Humanities Core Elective	3
Total Semester Hours	**16**

Spring Semester Year 2	
Course	**Hours**
HDFS 2433 Child Development (Pre-HDFS 1403 OR PSYC 2003)	3
HDFS 3453 Parenting and Family Dynamics (Pre-HDFS 1403 or Psych 2003)	3
Science Core Elective	4
SOCI 2013 General Sociology **or HDFS 2603** Rural Families and Communities	3
CIED 3023 Survey of Exceptionalities	3
Total Semester Hours	**16**

Fall Semester Year 3	
Course	**Hours**
CIED 3103 Children and Adolescent Literature	3
CIED 3113 Emergent & Developmental Literacy	3
HDFS 4763 Analytical Approaches to Research in HDFS I	3
HDFS 2473/2471L Child Guidance and lab (Pre-HDFS 2433)	4
HDFS 3333 Language and Literacy Pedagogy for Birth Through Kindergarten Educators	3
Total Semester Hours	**16**

Spring Semester Year 3	
Course	**Hours**
HDFS 4332/4332L Curriculum & Assessment Birth to Three Years and Lab (Pre- HDFS 2403/2401L)	4
HIST 3383 Arkansas & The Southwest	3
General Elective	2
HDFS 4773 Analytical Approaches to Research in HDFS II	3
CIED 499v Special Topics in Curriculum & Instruction Education[1]	3
Total Semester Hours	**15**

Fall Semester Year 4	
Course	**Hours**
HDFS 4463 Administration and Leadership in the Helping Professions (Pre–HDFS 2473/2471L and junior standing, COMM 1313)	3
SPED 4493 Introduction to Students with Autism Spectrum Disorders	3
HDFS 4342/4342L Curriculum & Assessment Three Years through Kindergarten and Lab (Pre- HDFS 2473/2471L)	4
General Electives	4
Total Semester Hours	**14**

Spring Semester Year 4	
Course	**Hours**
HDFS 4373 Field Experience in Birth Through Kindergarten Programs (Pre-HDFS 4332/4332L, HDFS 4342/4342L)	3
HDFS 4313 Building Family and Community Relations	3
HDFS 4383 Field Experience in Birth through Kindergarten Programs 2 (pre-HDFS 4332/4332L, HDFS 4342/4342L)	3
SPED 4413 ABA and Classroom Management	3
Total Semester Hours	**12**
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[1] For teacher licensure candidacy, students must complete a CIED 499V in which the topic is in the area of Special Education.