Teaching Specialty - Family and Consumer Sciences

Major Requirements

Major: Family & Consumer Sciences Education

Degree Type: B.S.

Required Degree Credits to Graduate: 130

General Education Requirements

First Year Experience (F):

HD&E 189	Skills for Academic Success (Students transferring in 24 or more credits do not need to take HD&E 189.)	1
Communication (C):		
ENGL 110	College Composition I	3
ENGL 120	College Composition II	3
ENGL 358	Writing in the Humanities and Social Sciences	3
COMM 110	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
Quantitative Reasoning	(R): Select from current general education list	3
Science & Technology (S):	
CSCI 114	Microcomputer Packages	3-4
or CSCI 116	Business Use of Computers	
CHEM 117	Chemical Concepts and Applications	3
	taken as a co-requisite with a general education science/technology course unless the course includes an embedded to a one-credit course. Select from current general education list	3-4
Humanities & Fine Arts	(A): Select from current general education list	6
Social & Behavioral Scientific Sc	ences (B):	
PSYC 111	Introduction to Psychology	3
SOC 110	Introduction to Sociology	3
Wellness (W):		
HNES 200	Principles of Nutrition	3
Cultural Diversity (D): S	elect from current general education list	
Global Perspectives (G)	: Select from current general education list	
Total Credits		41

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The Family & Consumer Sciences Education Specialty requirements also includes those courses listed in the general education categories of Social & Behavioral Sciences and Science & Technology.

General Education Requir	40	
Family & Consumer Scien	nces Education Teaching Specialty Requirements	
ADHM 155	Apparel Construction and Fit	3
or ADHM 101	Beginning Apparel Construction	
ADHM 366	Textiles	3
ADHM 410	Dress in World Cultures	3
or ADHM 486	Dress and Human Behavior	
HDFS 135	Family Science	3
HDFS 186	Consumer and Society	3
HDFS 230	Life Span Development	3
HDFS 242	Couples, Marriages and Families	3
HDFS 341	Parent-Child Relations	3
HDFS 357	Personal and Family Finance	3
HDFS 462	Methods of Family Life Education	3

HDFS 475	Children and Families Across Cultures	3
H&CE 469	Housing Education and Issues	3
HNES 141	Food Sanitation	1
HNES 200	Principles of Nutrition	3
HNES 217	Personal and Community Health	3
HNES 261 & 261L	Food Selection and Preparation Principles and Food Selection and Preparation Principles Laboratory	5
Housing/Design/Consumer Education	1-3	
ADHM 151	Design Fundamentals	
ADHM 315	History of Interiors I	
ADHM 316	History of Interiors II	
Professional Education Requiren	nents	
EDUC 321	Introduction to Teaching	3
EDUC 322	Educational Psychology	3
EDUC 451	Instructional Planning, Methods and Assessment	3
EDUC 486	Classroom Management for Diverse Learners	3
EDUC 489	Teaching Students of Diverse Backgrounds	3
H&CE 232	Philosophy and Policy	3
H&CE 467	Advising Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America	3
H&CE 468	Methods of Teaching Family and Consumer Sciences I: Techniques	3
H&CE 482	Methods of Teaching Family and Consumer Sciences II: Professional Practices	3
H&CE 483	Student Teaching Seminar	1
H&CE 487	Student Teaching	9
H&CE 488	Applied Student Teaching	3
Total Credits		130-132

Degree Requirements and Notes

- The following courses are recommended but not required for the program: ADHM 151 Design Fundamentals AND ADHM 367 Textiles Laboratory.
- GPA of 2.75 or better in the teaching specialty is required for placement in student teaching and exit from the program.
- A grade of 'C' or better is required in all Professional Education Requirement courses.
- A GPA of 2.75 or better in professional education as well as passing the appropriate Praxis II exam are required to exit the program.
- See School of Education (https://www.ndsu.edu/education) for admission requirements.