



**COLLEGE OF HUMAN SCIENCES**  
OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY

General Requirements for Students Matriculating in Academic Year 2012-2013

**BACHELOR of SCIENCE in HUMAN SCIENCES**

**MAJOR: Human Development and Family Science      OPTION: Early Childhood Education**

**Minimum Overall Grade Point Average: 2.50**

**Total Hours: 124\***

**(cumulative graduation/retention GPA)**

*Other GPA requirements see below.*

<b>GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS: 0 HOURS</b>			<b>MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 82 HOURS**</b>		
<b>Area</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>To be selected from:</b>	<b>EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION: 29 HOURS</b>		
English Composition & Oral Communication	--	(See Academic Regulation 3.5 in Catalog) 9 hours included in major requirements.	HDFS 2233	HDFS 3103	HDFS 3233
American History & Government	--	6 hours included in major requirements.	HDFS 2243	HDFS 3201	HDFS 3513
Analytical & Quantitative Thought (A)	--	6 hours of (A) designated courses are included in major requirements.	HDFS 3024	HDFS 3213	HDFS 4333
Humanities (H)	--	6 hours of (H) designated courses are included in major requirements.		HDFS 3223	
Natural Sciences (N)	--	8 hours of (N) designated courses are included in major requirements.	<b>SUBJECT AREA REQUIREMENTS: 53 HOURS</b>		
Social & Behavioral Sciences (S)	--	6 hours of (S) designated courses are included in major requirements.	<b>Area</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>To be selected from:</b>
Diversity (D)	--	Any course designated (D) Students are encouraged to meet the requirement in their selection of (H) course work.	Analytical & Quantitative Thought	12	MATH 1513, 3403, 3603, STAT 2013
International Dimension (I)	--	3 hours of (I) designated courses are included in major requirements.	English Composition & Oral Communication	12	ENGL 1113 or 1313, 1213 or 1413, SPCH 2713 and 3 hours from ENGL 1923 or 2413 or 3183
Scientific Investigation (L)	--	Requirement met by (N,L) course.	Social & Cultural Dimension	17	HIST 1103 or 1483 or 1493; POLS 1113; GEOG 1113 or 2253; 3 hours any course designated (H); and 5 hours from one language: CHIN, FREN, GRMN, JAPN, RUSS, SPAN
<b>COLLEGE/DEPARTMENTAL REQUIREMENTS: 10 HOURS**</b>			Natural Sciences	12	BIOL 1114; NSCI 2114; CIED 4560 and CHEM 1413 or PHYS 1313, or 4 hours any course designated (N)
Human Sciences	2	HS 1112 or 3112	<b>PROFESSIONAL CORE: 32 HOURS**</b>		
Human Development and Family Science	8	HDFS 1112, 2113, 2123	HDFS 2211, 2223, 3021, 3113, 3243, 3246, 3413, 4223, 4226, EDTC 3123		

**Other Requirements:**

\* 45 hours must be upper-division and 60 hours must be completed at a four-year institution.

For licensure/standard certification, the student must demonstrate conversational skills in a foreign language at a novice high level, as defined by the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages. For licensure/standard certification, the student must successfully complete the OGET, OSAT, and OPTE exams and a minimum of three portfolio submissions.

\*\* Required for graduation: (1) 2.50 overall GPA and (2) 2.50 GPA in Major Requirements and College/Departmental Requirements.

\*\* Required for recommendation for Licensure/Standard Certification: (1) 2.50 overall GPA, 2.50 in the Professional Core and a 2.50 GPA of the combined Early Childhood Education and Subject Area Requirements courses; (2) No grades lower than "C" in all Major Requirements, including Early Childhood Education, Subject Area Requirements, and Professional Core Courses; and (3) grades of "P" in HDFS 3246 and HDFS 4226.

Transfer Admission Requirements: 2.00 for less than 31 hours; 2.25 for 31-45 hours; 2.50 for more than 45 hours. The following courses must be completed at Oklahoma State University after full admission to Professional Education: HDFS 3024, 3103, 3201, 3213, 3223, 3233, 3243, 3246, 4223, 4226, and 4333.

Students will be held responsible for degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation and any changes that are made, so long as these changes do not result in semester credit hours being added or do not delay graduation.

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