

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY SCIENCE (HDFS) PROGRAM
For Students Who Pursue a Double Major or do a Minor in Psychology, Sociology, Elementary and Early Childhood Education, Urban Studies, Political Science or Anthropology

We encourage students who pursue a Major or a Minor from departments including *Psychology, Sociology, Elementary and Early Childhood Education, Urban Studies, Political Science or Anthropology* to **double Major** in the **Human Development and Family Science (HDFS) Program**. The HDFS program has a 45-credit requirement making it an attractive possibility to double majors. Over the years, many students in these programs have double majored in HDFS. We invite you to read the HDFS Newsletters posted on the [HDFS Program website](#) for specific examples. For students from these departments who decide to do a double Major or a Minor, up to three courses from the other Major/Minor will count toward the HDFS Requirements, as in the examples below:

Psychology	HDFS
PSYCH 107: Statistical Methods	FNES 247: Statistics for HDFS
PSYCH 214: Developmental Psychology: Infancy and Childhood	FNES 140: Child Development and Parenting
PSYCH 217: Lifespan Dev. Psychology	FNES 345: Theories of Lifespan Development

Sociology	HDFS
SOC 206: Introduction of Social Statistics	FNES 247: Statistics for HDFS
SOC 208: Social Problems	FNES 248: Problems in Marriage and the Family
SOC 214: The Family	FNES 147: Family Relations

Elementary and Early Childhood Education	HDFS
EECE 310: Children in Cultural Context 1: Child Dev	FNES 140: Child Development and Parenting
EECE 311: Children in Cult. Context 2: Learn&Teach	FNES 347: Families in Cross Cultural Perspectives

Urban Studies	HDFS
URBST 200: Urban Research Methods	FNES 250W: Research Methods in HDFS
URBST 205: Urban Cultural Diversity	FNES 347: Families in Cross Cultural Perspectives
URBST 221: Making Public Policy	FNES 249: Child and Family Policies

Anthropology	HDFS
ANTH 222: Sex, Gender, and Culture	FNES 256: Sexuality Counseling
ANTH 238: Research Design and Method	FNES 250W: Research Methods in HDFS
ANTH 276: Human Growth and Development	FNES 140: Child Development and Parenting

Political Science	HDFS
PSCI 200: Research Skills in Pol Sci	FNES 250W: Research Methods in HDFS
PSCI 221: Public Policy in the Political Process	FNES 249: Child and Family Policies
PSCI 242 - Social Policy Around the World	FNES 347: Families in Cross Cultural Perspectives

Please contact one of the program advisers to declare the HDFS major and develop your program of study.

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