

Bachelor of Arts in Family & Consumer Sciences Education, K-12, Initial Teacher Certification Program

This program leads to a New York State initial certification to teach Family and Consumer Science courses in middle schools and high schools such as Food & Nutrition, Culinary Arts, Child Development, Entrepreneurship, Independent Living, and Home & Career Skills.

Family & Consumer Sciences Content Core

These courses must be completed with a C or better. *Lab courses with a materials fee.

Course #	Course Title	Credits
FNES 101	Science of Foods*	3
FNES 104	Social/Cultural & Economic Aspects of Foods	3
OR FNES 105	Food Sustainability: Understanding Food Systems*	* (F)
FNES 106	Introduction to FCS	3
FNES 121	Textiles*	3
FNES 126	Apparel Science I*	3
FNES 140	Child Development & Parenting (F)	3
FNES 147	Family Relations	3
FNES 151	Families as Consumers	3
FNES 153	Individual & Family Finances (F)	3
FNES 156	Interior Design	3
FNES 163	Nutrition	3
FNES 203	Meal Planning & Management*	3
OR FNES 204	International Cuisine* (S)	
FNES 248	Problems in Marriage & the Family (F)	3
OR FNES 345	Theories in Lifespan Development (F)	
MEDST 103	Interpersonal Communication	3
CHEM 16.3 & 16.1	Chemistry for the Consumer	4
OR 101.3 & 101.1	Basic Chemistry	

Professional Education Core

Fieldwork is required in every education course for a total of 130 hours. An overall 3.0 GPA must be maintained in these courses to continue in the program.

Course #	Course Title	Credits
SEYS 201W	Historical/Social/Phil. Foundations of Ed.	3
SEYS 221	Dev. & Learning in Middle Childhood & Adol.	3
SEYS 340	Language, Literacy, & Culture in Ed	3
SEYS 350	Cognition/Tech./Instruction for Diverse Learners	3
ECPSE 350	Foundations of Special Education	3
FNES 238	Introduction to Teaching FCS (S)	3
FNES 336	Educational Trends in FCS (F)	3
FNES 338	Methods & Materials for Teaching FCS (F)	4
FNES 339	Student Teaching in FCS (S)	9

(F) - Fall only courses, (S) - Spring only courses

Total Program Credits: 80

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