



FINISH IN FOUR



DEPARTMENT OF
HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
AND FAMILY SCIENCE

Early Childhood Education 2020-2021

Fall		First Year	Spring	
ENGL 1113 or 1313	Composition I Critical Analysis & Writing I	ENGL 1213 or 1413	Composition II <i>(Prerequisite: ENGL 1113, 1123, or 1313)</i> Critical Analysis & Writing II	
HS 1112 or 3112	Human Sciences First Year Seminar Human Sciences First-Year Seminar for Transfer Students	HDFS 2113 or 2114	Lifespan Human Development (S) Lifespan Human Development: Honors	
HDFS 1112	Intro to Human Development & Family Science	STAT 2013 or 2023 or 2053	Elementary Statistics (A) <i>(Prerequisite: MATH 1483 or 1513)</i> Elem Statistics for Business Econ (A) <i>(Prerequisites: MATH 1483 or 1513)</i> Elem Statistics for Social Sciences (A) <i>(Prerequisite: MATH 1483 or 1513)</i>	
MATH 1483 or 1513	Mathematical Functions and Their Uses (A) <i>(Appropriate OSU Math Placement Score)</i> College Algebra (A) <i>(Appropriate OSU Math Placement Score)</i>	NSCI 2114	Principles of Human Nutrition (N)	
"N" (4)	Natural Science - 4 Hours any course designated N	HIST 1103 or 1483 or 1493	Survey of American History American History to 1865 American History since 1865	
POLS 1113	American Government			
17 Hours			16 Hours	

Fall	Second Year	Spring (Block 0)	
HDFS 2123	Developmental Disabilities: Issues Across the Lifespan (D) <i>(Prerequisite: HDFS 2113)</i>	HDFS 2223	Foundations in Early Childhood Education <i>(Prerequisite: HDFS 2113) (Take during Block 0)</i>
"H" (3)	Humanities**	HDFS 3413	Infant and Child Development <i>(Prerequisite: HDFS 2113) (Take during Block 0)</i>
EDTC 3123	Applications of Educational Technologies	BIOL 1114	Introductory Biology (LN)
ENGL 2413	Conversations in Literature (DH)	MATH 3403	Geometric Structures <i>(Prerequisite: MATH 1483, 1493, or 1513)</i>
LANG (3)	Foreign Language (ASL, CHIN, FREN, GRMN, JAPN, RUSS, SPAN)	HDFS 3513	Research Methods in HDFS <i>(Prerequisite: STAT 2053 or equivalent)</i>
ELEC (3)	3 hours of elective credit**	16 Hours	
18 Hours			

**One of these must be fulfilled by AMST2103(H),
GEOG3093(H), HIST1613(H), HIST1623(H),
HIST1823(H), HIST2023(H), HIST2333(H),
PSYC1113(S), or SOC1113(S)

*OGET must be passed in order to be fully admitted to
Professional Education and enroll in Block 1 courses.
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Fall (Block 1)		Third Year	Spring (Block 2)		
HDFS	2211	ECE Field Experience I <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in HDFS2243 & HDFS2233; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>	HDFS	3213	Lit. Dev. in Early Childhood Education <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in 3103, 3223, 3233, 3202; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>
HDFS	2243	Infant-Toddler Programming <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in HDFS2211 & HDFS2233; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>	HDFS	3223	Math & Science in Early Childhood <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in 3103, 3213, 3233, 3202; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>
HDFS	2233	Dev of Creative Expression, Play & Motor Skills in Early Childhood <i>(Prerequisite: Concurrent enrollment in HDFS2211 & HDFS2243; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>	HDFS	3103	Social Dev. and Social Studies in Early Childhood <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in 3213, 3223, 3233, 3202; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>
SPED	3202	Educating Exceptional Learners (D)	HDFS	3233	Guidance & Classroom Mgmt in Programs for Young Children <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in HDFS 3103, 3213, 3223, 3202; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>
ENGL	3323	Technical Writing <i>(Prerequisite: ENGL 1113 or 1213 or 1313 and junior standing)</i>	HDFS	3202	Early Childhood Field Experience II <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in HDFS 3103, 3213, 3223, 3233; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>
MATH	3603	Mathematical Structures <i>(Prerequisite: MATH 1483, 1493, or 1513)</i>			

15 Hours

***All coursework except Block 2/3/4 requirements must be completed before enrolling in Block 2.**

14 Hours

Fall (Block 3)		Fourth Year	Spring (Block 4)		
GEOG	1113 or 1713	Intro to Cultural Geography (IS) World Regional Geography (IS) <i>(GEOG1713 previously offered as GEOG2253)</i>	HDFS	4333	ECE Capstone <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in HDFS 4339 & full admission to Prof Ed)</i>
HDFS	3024	Lit. Assessment & Instr in ECE <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in 4323, 4363, 4313; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>	HDFS	4339	Student Teaching in ECE <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in HDFS 4333; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>
HDFS	4323	Family, School, & Community <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in HDFS 3024, 4363, 4313; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>			12 Hours
HDFS	4363	Integrated Curriculum in ECE <i>(Prerequisites: concurrent enrollment in HDFS 3024, 4323, 4313; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>			*You must take the OSAT before you can enroll in Block 4 courses and complete your student teaching internship.
HDFS	4313	Early Childhood Field Experience III <i>(Prerequisites: Concurrent enrollment in HDFS 3024, 4363, 4323; full admission to Prof Ed)</i>			*You must complete the PPAT during Block 4 to graduate and be recommended for certification.

16 Hours

NOTE: Must have one course designated with "D" Diversity Dimension. ENGL2413 meets this requirement. Must have one course designated with "I" International Dimension. GEOG1113/1713 meets this requirement.

Other Requirements:

*45 hours must be upper-division.

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 PPAT exams and a minimum of three portfolio submissions.

**Required for Graduation: (1) 2.50 overall GPA and (2) 2.50 GPA in Major Requirements, College/Departmental Requirements, Professional Core, and Electives.

**Required for recommendation for Licensure/Standard Certification: (1) 2.50 overall (Graduation/Retention) GPA, (2) 2.50 GPA in General Education Requirements, Major Requirements, Professional Core, Electives, and College/Department Requirements with no grades below "C" or "P".

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: HDFS 2123, 2211, 2223, 2233, 2243, 3024, 3103, 3202, 3213, 3223, 3233, 4313, 4323, 4333, 4339, 4363.

Additional State/OSU Requirements – At least 60 hours at a four-year institution; 30 hours completed at OSU; 15 of the final 30 or 50% of the upper-division hours in the major field completed at OSU. Limit of: one-half of major course requirements as transfer work; one-fourth of hours earned by correspondence; 8 transfer correspondence hours. 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. Degrees that follow this plan must be completed by the end of Summer 2026.

Effective July 1, 2010: Teacher candidates enrolled in an institution within the Oklahoma State System of Higher Education in an elementary, early childhood education, or special education program approved by the Oklahoma Commission for Teacher Preparation shall pass, prior to graduation, a comprehensive assessment to measure their teaching skills in the area of reading instruction. The assessment shall be developed and administered by the institutions that offer elementary, early childhood education, or special education programs that lead to certification.

This plan is provided as a courtesy. The OFFICIAL degree requirements sheet is used to determine eligibility for graduation. Ask for an OFFICIAL degree sheet at the time of first date of enrollment.
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