



EARLY CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT, BS

The following plan is for students matriculating in or before the academic year **2024-2025**

This plan may be adjusted based on individual needs. For official degree requirements visit <https://registrar.okstate.edu/Degree-Requirements>.

Minimum Overall GPA: 2.50

Total Hours: 120

GENERAL EDUCATION Course Attribute Guide: (A) Analytical and Quantitative Thought; (H) Humanities; (S) Social and Behavioral Sciences; (N) Natural Sciences; (L) Scientific Investigation – Laboratory Science; (D) Diversity; (I) International Dimension

Explore General Education courses at <https://academicaffairs.okstate.edu/general-education/>

YEAR 1		FALL (13 hours)
	UNIV 1111 First Year Seminar	
	Course designated (A) – 3 credit hours – example: MATH 1483 Math Functions (A)	
	ENGL 1113 Composition	
	Elective – 3 credit hours – example: EPSY 1003 Learning to Learn	
	HIST 1103 Survey of American History or HIST 1483 Amer. Hist. to 1865 (H) or HIST 1493 Amer. Hist. Since 1865 (DH)	
		SPRING (16 hours)
	Course designated (HI) Humanities with International Dimension – 3 credit hours – example: REL 1103 World Religions (HI)	
	Course designated (S) – 3 credit hours – example: SOC 1113 Introductory Sociology (S) or PSYC 1113 Introductory Psychology	
	EDHS 1111 First Year Seminar Supplement	
	Elective – 3 credit hours	
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	ENGL 1213 Composition II	
YEAR 2		FALL (16 hours)
	Course designated (A), (H), (N), or (S) – 3 credit hours – example: SPCH 2713 Speech Communication (S)	
	Course designated (LN) – 4 credit hours – example: GEOL 1014 Geology & Human Affairs (LN)	
	Elective – 3 credit hours	
	HDFS 2113 Lifespan Human Development (S) – <i>special section for ECCD majors, requires permission from IDEA coordinator</i>	
	POLS 1113 American Government	
		SPRING (15 hours)
	Course designated (DH) Humanities with Diversity – 3 credit hours – example: AMST 2103 Intro to American Studies (DH)	
	Course designated (N) – 3 credit hours – example: NSCI 2013 Principles of Human Nutrition (N)	
	Elective – 3 credit hours	
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Possible Elective Coursework

AFAM 1113 Intro to Africana Studies (DH)
 CPSY 1113 Career: Journey of a Lifetime
 EPSY 1013 Emotional Skills in Learning Success
 FIN 2123 Personal Finance
 GWST 2123 Intro to Gender Studies (DH)
 GEOG 1113 Intro to Cultural Geography (IS)

HDFS 2213 Human Sexuality and the Family (DS)
 JAZZ 2773 History of Jazz (H)
 MUSI 2573 Intro to Music (H)
 PHIL 1213 Intro to Philosophy (H)
 PSYC 2443 Clinical Child Psychology
 TH 2413 Intro to Staged Entertainment (H)



Major Requirements (**HDFS** courses) are completed through the **IDEA program**.
 Within IDEA program, this major is referred to as the *Online Early Care & Education for a Mobile Society Bachelor's Degree*.
 For more information visit <https://www.gpidea.org/program/early-care-and-education-in-a-mobile-society>.

SUMMER (3 hours)	
	HDFS 3063 Health, Safety and Nutrition (Summer only)

YEAR 3		FALL (15 hours)
	HDFS 3043 Professional Development for Early Childhood Educators (Fall/Spring)	
	HDFS 3023 Child Development – Birth to 3 (Fall only)	
	HDFS 3263 Curriculum Development for Children Ages Birth to 3 (Fall only)	
	HDFS 3283 Assessing Young Children and their Environments to Enhance Development (Fall only)	
	HDFS 3293 Understanding and Adapting for Developmental Differences (Fall only)	

		SPRING (12 hours)
	HDFS 3033 Child Development - 4 to 8 (Spring only)	
	HDFS 3273 Curriculum Development for Children Ages 4-8 (Spring only)	
	HDFS 3053 Child Guidance and Classroom Environments (Spring only)	
	HDFS 3303 Administration and Supervision in Early Childhood Settings (Spring only)	

		SUMMER (6 hours)
	Elective – 3 credit hours	
	HDFS 3333 Working with Families (Summer only)	

YEAR 4		FALL (12 hours)
	Course designated (A), (H), (N), or (S) – 3 credit hours	
	Elective – 3 credit hours	
	HDFS 3313 Technology And Young Children (Fall only)	
	HDFS 4023 Practicum II in Early Childhood (Fall/Spring) [HDFS 3043 & HDFS 3023 and/or HDFS 3033] <i>Includes 36 hours of observation in an early childhood classroom (birth to grade3) under the supervision of a Cooperating Teacher.</i>	

		SPRING (12 hours)
	Course designated (A), (H), (N), or (S) – 3 credit hours	
	HDFS 3323 Diversity in the Lives of Young Children and Families (Spring only)	
	HDFS 4036 ECCD Senior Capstone (Fall/Spring) [must be taken in last semester, HDFS 3273, 3283, 3293, 3303, 3313, 3323, and 3333] <i>Includes 100 hours of observation in an early childhood classroom (birth to grade3) under the supervision of a Cooperating Teacher.</i>	

Online Certificate/Minor programs

Coursework required for a minor or certificate program could be used as elective credit.

Learning and Motivation Certificate: <http://catalog.okstate.edu/education-human-sciences/educational-foundations-leadership-aviation/learning-motivation-ucrt/>

Learning and Motivation Minor: <http://catalog.okstate.edu/education-human-sciences/educational-foundations-leadership-aviation/learning-motivation-minor/>

Psychology Minor: <http://catalog.okstate.edu/arts-sciences/psychology/psychology-minor/>

Sociology Minor: <http://catalog.okstate.edu/arts-sciences/sociology/sociology-minor/>

Special Education Minor: <http://catalog.okstate.edu/education-human-sciences/teaching-learning-educational-sciences/special-education-minor/>