# Child & Adolescent Development 2014

**Major: Human Development & Family Science**  
**Option: Child & Adolescent Development Option**

**Degree Type:** B.A. or B.S.  
**Required Degree Credits to Graduate:** 122

## General Education Requirements

### First Year Experience (F):
- HD&E 189  
  Skills for Academic Success (Students transferring in 24 or more credits do not need to take HD&E 189.) __1__

### Communication (C):
- ENGL 110  
  College Composition I __3__
- ENGL 120  
  College Composition II __3__
- Select one of the following: __3__
  - ENGL 325  
    Writing in the Health Professions
  - ENGL 358  
    Writing in the Humanities and Social Sciences
  - ENGL 459  
    Researching and Writing Grants and Proposal
- COMM 110  
  Fundamentals of Public Speaking __3__

### Quantitative Reasoning (R):
- STAT 330  
  Introductory Statistics __3__

### Science & Technology (S):
- CSCI 114  
  Microcomputer Packages __3-4__
- or CSCI 116  
  Business Use of Computers

A one-credit lab must be taken as a co-requisite with a general education science/technology course unless the course includes an embedded lab experience equivalent to a one-credit course. Select from current general education list __6-7__

### Humanities & Fine Arts (A):
Select from current general education list __6__

### Social & Behavioral Sciences (B):
- PSYC 111  
  Introduction to Psychology __3__
- SOC 110  
  Introduction to Sociology __3__

### Wellness (W):
Select from current general education list __2__

### Cultural Diversity (D):
- HDFS 475  
  Children and Families Across Cultures __3__

### Global Perspectives (G):
Select from current general education list

**Total Credits:** __40__

## Major Requirements

A grade of ‘C’ or better is required for all HDFS courses for graduation.

### General Education Requirements

### Human Development & Family Science Core Requirements

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- Select one of the following: __5__
  - HDFS 496  
    Field Experience
  - HDFS 496  
    Field Experience and Seminar (and Senior Thesis)
  - HD&E 320  
    Professional Issues __1__
Child & Adolescent Development Option Requirements

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<td>Major electives (cannot include HDFS 496)</td>
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Minor Plan of Study
A minor plan of study is required outside of the HDFS department for all options.

Degree Requirements: Potential of 42 credits to reach 122

| Total Credits | 122 |

Degree Requirements and Notes

- A 2.50 cumulative GPA is required in major courses for graduation.
- Courses taken Pass/Fail will not be used to satisfy any requirement other than total credits.