

WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY
College of Education Office of Admissions and Advising
Family Studies (FSDJ)

NAME: _____ WIN#: _____ CATALOG: _____

PREREQUISITES	COURSE	CREDITS	APPROVED CRSE/GRADE	HRS
Required Core FCS Courses: 43 hours				
	FCS 1010 – Introduction to Family Life Education	2		
FCS 1010	FCS 2020 - Field Experience (120 clock hrs)	2		
	FCS 2090 - Consumer Education	3		
	FCS 2100 – Human Sexuality	3		
	FCS 2140 – Child Development	3		
	FCS 2150 – Adolescent Development	3		
	FCS 2660 - Personal Nutrition	3		
	FCS 3150 – Global Ecology of the Family	3		
	FCS 3170 – Crises and Resilience in Families	3		
	FCS 3180 – Intimate Relationships	3		
All of the above; senior status	FCS 4100 – Teaching Family Life Education	3		
FCS 318 or approval	FCS 4130 – Later-life Family Relationships	3		
FCS 2140 or equivalent	*FCS 4150 – Effective Parenting (baccalaureate writing requirement)	3		
	FCS 4290 – Internship (360 clock hrs)	6		
Required Related Courses: 21 hours				
	COM 1040 – Public Speaking	3		
	Choose One:			
	CS 1000 - Fluency With Information Technology	3		
	FCS 2250 - Computer Applications	3		
	Choose One:			
	COM 1700 – Interpersonal Communication	3		
COM 1700 and 2000	COM 3320 – Group Problem Solving	3		
	COM 4750 – Family Communication	3		
	FCS 5350 – Comm. Skills for Families Across Lifespan	3		
	Choose One:			
	SOC 2100 – Modern Social Problems	3		
	FCS 5500 – Raising Children in Contemporary Society	3		
	Choose One:			
	ANTH 1500 – Race, Biology and Culture	3		
ANTH 1200, 1400 or 2400	ANTH 3470 – Ethnicity/Multiculturalism	3		
	WMS 3200 – Women, Multiculturalism and Social Change	3		
	FCS 5680 – Gender, Culture and Families	3		
	Choose At Least Two:			
	AFS 3010 – Black Experience: From 1866 to the Present	3		
	ARAB 2750 – Life and Culture of the Arabs	3		
	FCS 3140 – Infant and Toddler Development	3		
	FCS 5100 – Teaching Sexuality Education	3		
	FCS 5220 - Topics in Family and Consumer Sciences	1-3		
	FCS 5750 – Administration of Child Development Centers	3		
	**PADM 2000 – Introduction to Nonprofit Leadership	3		
PADM 2000	**PADM 3000 – Nonprofit Advancement	3		
PADM 3000	**PADM 4000 – Seminar in Nonprofit Leadership	3		
	PSY 1000 – General Psychology	3		
PSY 1000	PSY 2500 – Abnormal Psychology	3		
	SOC 2600 – Introduction to Criminal Justice	3		
SOC 2000	SOC 3620 – Criminology	3		
SOC 2000	SOC 4540 – Juvenile Delinquency	3		
Sophomore Status	SOC OR COM 4790 – Female/Male Interaction	3		
	SWRK 2100 – Social Work Service & Roles	3		

****AMERICAN HUMANICS COURSES:** Family Studies students may choose to participate in the American Humanics Certificate Program which prepares students for leadership positions in non-profit organizations. Contact the School of Public Affairs and Administration (269-387-8930) for more information. **9/09**