

AREA ELECTIVES FOR HDFS MAJORS

*Each student must take 12-15 hours of area electives (rather than free electives) as part of an HDFS degree.
Always check course prerequisites prior to enrolling.*

Human Development and Family Studies

Max: None

Any HDFS course not used to fulfill major core requirements

Art Education

Max: 3 credit hours

ARED 3305 Art in Elementary Schools

Business

Max: 3 credit hours

FINA 4328 Principles of Personal Finance

Communication Sciences and Disorders

Max: 6 credit hours

COMD 1333 Introduction to Communication Disorders

COMD 2339 Language Development

COMD 3301 History & Culture of American Deaf
Community

Communication

Max: 6 credit hours, only 3 hours at 1000 level

COMM 1301 Media and Society

COMM 1302 Intro to Communication Theory

COMM 1333 Interpersonal Communication

COMM 2300 Communication Research Methods

COMM 3300 Health Communication

COMM 3331 Communication in the Family

COMM 3352 Small Group Process

COMM 4335 Crisis Communication

COMM 4337 Television and the Family

COMM 4338 Family in Popular Culture

Cultural Studies & Modern Languages

Max: 6 credit hours

Students may take up to 6 hours of any modern Language or Cultural Studies Course. Modern Languages include Spanish, Chinese, etc. Cultural Studies courses include any course approved by the department of Asian American Studies, African American Studies, Mexican American Studies, Religious studies, ASLI, or Women's Studies.

Education

Max: 9 credit hours

CUIN 3316 Prekindergarten Curriculum & Instruction

CUIN 3317 Kindergarten & Elementary School Curriculum &
Instruction

CUIN 4315 Assessment of Children

CUIN 4375 Classroom Management

Health

Max: 6 credit hours

HLT 1353 Personal Health

HLT 2310 Emergency Care & First Aid

HLT 3303 Health of Elementary School Child

HLT 3304 Adolescent Health Issues

HLT 3306 Environmental Health

HLT 4302 Health Aspects of Human Sexuality

HLT 4306 Women's Health Issues

HLT 4307 Research and Evaluation of Health

Kinesiology

Max: 3 credit hours

KIN 1304 Public Health Issues in Physical Activity & Obesity

Music

Max: 3 credit hours

MUED 2342 Music for Children

Nutrition

Max: 6 credit hours

NUTR 3340 Nutrition in the Life Cycle

NUTR 4334 Community Nutrition

Psychology

Max: 6 credit hours

PSYC 2344 Cultural Psychology

PSYC 2350 Child Development

PSYC 2351 Psychology of Adolescence

PSYC 2380 Introduction to Social Psychology

PSYC 3325 Psychology of Personality

PSYC 3331 Psychology of Gender

PSYC 3338 Psychology of Older Adults

PSYC 3347 Problems of Natural Life

PSYC 4320 Theories of Intervention

PSYC 4321 Abnormal Psychology

PSYC 4361 Parent-Child Relations

PSYC 4363 Abnormal Child Psychology

Sociology

Max: 6 credit hours

SOC 3313 Criminology

SOC 3321 African American Family

SOC 3327 Race and Ethnic Relations in the US

SOC 3345 Sociology of Death and Dying

SOC 3365 Sociology of Education

SOC 3371 Sociology of the Family

SOC 3373 Comparative Family Structures

SOC 3390 Sociology of Gender

Special Populations

Max: 6 credit hours

SPEC 2350 Registered Behavior Technician Training

SPEC 4353 Technology in Special Populations

SPEC 4362 Behavior: Evidence-Based Decisions

SPEC 4363 Instructional Interventions

SPEC 4367 Consultation Strategies and Coaching