



Pittsburg State University
College of Arts and Sciences Program Guide

Degree: Bachelor of Science in Education
 Major: Family and Consumer Sciences Education
 Emphasis/Option:
 Minor (if required):

As of Fall 2017

Family and Consumer Sciences Course

Requirements (38 hours)

FCS 100: Career Management in Family and Consumer Sciences.....	1-2
IND 110: Interior Design Fundamentals.....	3
FCS 150: Introduction to Merchandising	3
FCS 230: Consumer Education and Personal Finance	3
FCS 301: Nutrition	3
or FCS 203: Nutrition and Health	3
FCS 355: Construction Techniques	3
FCS 401: Food Science and Preparation Techniques	3
FCS 409: Demonstration Techniques and Instructional Technology	3
FCS 430: Family Resource Management	3
FCS 479: Techniques for Teaching Family and Consumer Sciences	3
FCS 480: Dynamics of Family Relationships	3
FCS 572: Senior Seminar in Family and Consumer Sciences	1
FCS 590: Development of the Child: Birth Through Age Eight	3
FCS 690: Parent/Professional Relationships	3
Electives.....	0-5

Must be admitted to Teacher Education for enrollment in FCS 479.

Sophomore Year: Admission to Teacher Education

Junior Year: Admission to Professional Semester

Professional Course Requirements (21 hours)

EDUC 261: Explorations in Education	3
EDUC 520: Methods and Materials for Academic Literacy	3
FCS 370: Introduction to Career Technical Education in Family and Consumer Sciences.....	3
FCS 429: Career and Technical Education in the FACS Curriculum	3
PSYCH 263: Developmental Psychology	3
PSYCH 357: Educational Psychology	3
SPED 510: Overview of Special Education	3

Must be admitted to Teacher Education for enrollment in these classes: EDUC 520 and PSYCH 357.

Senior Year

Professional Semester (17 hours)

EDUC 458: Methods and Curriculum	3
EDUC 462: Secondary and Middle Level Education	2
EDUC 464: Foundations of Measurement and Evaluation	2
EDUC 480: Supervised Teaching in the Secondary School	3
EDUC 482: Supervised Teaching in the Secondary School	5
FCS 579: Supervised Student Teaching and Follow-Up of Teachers	2

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

(43-49 hrs.)

Basic Skills		12-13 hours
COMM 207	Speech Communication	3
ENGL 101	English Composition.....	3
ENGL 190	Honors English Composition	3
OR ENGL 299	Introduction to Research Writing	3
Mathematics (Select one)		
MATH 110	College Algebra with Review	5
MATH 113	College Algebra	3
MATH 126	Pre-Calculus	4
MATH 133	Quantitative Reasoning.....	3
MATH 143	Elementary Statistics.....	3
Must have a "C" or better in each of these Basic Skill courses.		
Sciences*		8-9 hours
Natural Sciences (Select one)		
BIOL 111/112	General Biology and Laboratory.....	5
BIOL 113	Environmental Life Science	4
BIOL 211	Principles of Biology I.....	4
Physical Sciences (Select one)***		
CHEM 105/106	Introductory Chemistry and Laboratory.....	4
CHEM 107/108	Chemistry for Life Sciences and Laboratory	4
PHYS 160/165	Physical Geology and Laboratory.....	4
PHYS 166/167	Meteorology and Laboratory.....	4
PHYS 171/172	Physical Science and Laboratory	4
PHYS 175/176	Descriptive Astronomy and Laboratory.....	4
PHYS 375/176	Solar System Astronomy and Laboratory	4
Social Studies (Select one)		3 hours
SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	3
WGS 200	Introduction to Women's Studies	3
Political Studies (Select one)		3 hours
POLS 101	U.S. Politics	3
POLS 103	Comparative Political Institutions.....	3
Producing and Consuming**		2-3 hours
(Select one from two of the following three categories)		
Economy		
ECON 191	Issues in Today's Economy.....	3
FCS 230	Consumer Ed. and Personal Finance	3
Technology		
EET 247	Computer Programming for Electronic Sys.	3
GT 190	Introduction to Technological Systems	2
GT 350	Technology and Civilization.....	3
EDTH 330	Technology for the Classroom.....	3
TE 551	Integrated Technology for Educators.....	3
TM 350	Societal Influence of Technology.....	3
Business		
ACCTG 201	Financial Accounting	3
CIS 130	Computer Information Systems	3
MGT 101	Introduction to Business	3
MGT 105	Introduction to Entrepreneurship.....	3
Fine Arts and Aesthetic Studies (Select one)		2-3 hours
ART 155	Printmaking and Paper Arts.....	3
ART 178	Introduction to the Visual Arts.....	3
ART 188	The Designed World	3
ART 217	Crafts I.....	3
ART 222	Jewelry Design I.....	3
ART 233	Drawing I	3
ART 244	Ceramics I.....	3
ART 266	Sculpture I.....	3

ART 277	Painting I.....	3
ART 288	Introduction to Art History I.....	3
ART 289	Introduction to Art History II	3
ART 311	Art Education	3
ART 351	Printmaking, Papermaking, Bookarts and the Letterpress.....	3
ART 430	Automotive: Art and Design.....	3
COMM 105	Performance Appreciation.....	3
COMM 205	Performance Studies.....	3
COMM 295	Theatre History	3
ENGL 250	Introduction to Creative Writing	3
HHP 151	Dance Appreciation.....	3
MUSIC 120	Music Appreciation.....	3
MUSIC 121	Introduction to Music Literature	2

Cultural Studies (Select one)		3 hours
ANTH 101	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology.....	3
MLL 114	Chinese Language and Culture I.....	3
MLL 124	French Language and Culture I.....	3
MLL 154	Spanish Language and Culture I	3
MLL 194	Korean Language and Culture I.....	3
GEOG 106	World Regional Geography	3
GEOG 300	Elements of Geography.....	3
GEOG 304	Human Geography.....	3
WGS 399	Global Women's Issues.....	3

Health and Well Being***		4-6 hours
Psychological		
PSYCH 155	General Psychology	3
Physical (Select one)		
FCS 203	Nutrition and Health	3
FCS 301	Nutrition	3
HHP 150	Lifetime Fitness Concepts.....	1
NURS 303	Introduction to Public Health.....	3

Human Heritage		6 hours
(Select one from two of the following three categories)		
History		
HIST 101	World History to 1500.....	3
HIST 102	World History from 1500.....	3
HIST 201	American History to 1865.....	3
HIST 202	American History from 1865.....	3
Literature		
ENGL 113	General Literature	3
ENGL 114	General Literature(Genre)	3
ENGL 116	General Literature(Theme).....	3
ENGL 120	Literature and Film	3
ENGL 315	Mythology	3
ENGL 320	Literature and Film	3
Philosophy		
PHIL 103	Introduction to Philosophy.....	3
PHIL 105	Ethics.....	3
PHIL 112	Biomedical Ethics.....	3
PHIL 113	Business Ethics.....	3
PHIL 114	Environmental Ethics.....	3
PHIL 207	Critical Thinking	3
PHIL 208	Logic.....	3
PHIL 231	World Religions.....	3

Notes: *CHEM 105/106 is strongly encouraged for all FCS Teachers Education majors.
 **Three hours of general education producing and consuming are satisfied by the required course FCS 230 Consumer Education and Personal Finance.
 ***FCS 203 Nutrition and Health and FCS 301 Nutrition counts as both general education and major requirements.

NOTE: The information contained herein is intended to be used for the planning of a student's academic program and does not constitute a contract. While this guide was prepared with the latest information, courses, graduation requirements, and curricula are subject to change.

When a student attains 85 semester hours of credit (including current enrollment) the student must apply for a degree check in the Office of the Registrar (Degree Checking Section), Room 102 Russ Hall.

MINIMUM GENERAL REQUIREMENTS: The minimum requirements for graduation include 124 semester hours of which 60 hours must be from a four year university. In addition, 45 semester hours must be upper division and 30 hours in residence at PSU (including 24 of the last 30). Minimum GPA for non-education degree is 2.0 overall [2.0 in major], secondary education degree is 2.5 overall [2.75 in major], and early/late childhood/unified degree is 2.80 overall [3.0 in major]. A minimum GPA of 2.0 in any minor and in residence coursework is required. General Education and all degree requirements are provided in the online catalog. Refer to individual departments for specific requirements.