



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 2016

**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
MGMKT	101	Introduction to Business	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	111	Ethics: Applied Emphasis(____)	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.