



**HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES (HDFS)  
PROPOSED SEMESTER CURRICULUM MODEL  
CONCENTRATION: Public Policy/Legislation**

FRESHMAN YEAR

<b>Fall Semester</b>			<b>Spring Semester</b>		
<b>CAHS 2000</b>	<b>Global Consumer Culture*</b>	<b>3</b>	ELECTIVES	Free Electives	2
ENGL 1100	English Composition I*	3	ENGL 1120	English Composition II*	3
<b>HDFS 2000</b>	<b>Marriage &amp; Family in a Global Context</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>HDFS 2010</b>	<b>Lifespan Human Development</b>	<b>3</b>
HISTORY	History Core*	3	HISTORY	History Core*	3
SOC SCI	Social Science Core Group I* <sup>1</sup>	3	MATH 1150	Pre-Calculus Algebra & Trigonometry	4
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SOPHOMORE YEAR

<b>Fall Semester</b>			<b>Spring Semester</b>		
BIOL 1000	Introduction to Biology	4	BIOL 1010	A Survey of Life	4
ENGL 2200	World Literature I*	3	ENGL 2210	World Literature II*	3
FINE ARTS	Fine Arts Core*	3	ELECTIVES	Free Electives	3
<b>NUFS 2000</b>	<b>Nutrition and Health*</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>HDFS 2030</b>	<b>Professional Development and Ethics</b>	<b>3</b>
SOC SCI	Social Science Core Group II* <sup>1</sup>	3	PHIL CORE	* <sup>1</sup>	3
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JUNIOR YEAR

<b>Fall Semester</b>			<b>Spring Semester</b>		
PROFESSIONAL CONCENTRATION COURSES			PROFESSIONAL CONCENTRATION COURSES		
<b>HDFS 3010</b>	<b>Child Development in the Family</b> <u>OR</u>	<b>7</b>	<b>HDFS 3080</b>	<b>Development of Interpersonal Skills</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>HDFS 3030</b>	<b>Adolescent and Adult Development</b>	<b>3</b>	STAT 2010	Statistics for Social and Behavioral Sciences	4
<b>HDFS 3060</b>	<b>Patterns of Family Interaction</b>	<b>3</b>	<hr style="border-top: 1px solid black;"/>		
ELECTIVES	Free Electives	2			
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SENIOR YEAR

<b>Fall Semester</b>			<b>Spring Semester</b>		
PROFESSIONAL CONCENTRATION COURSES			PROFESSIONAL CONCENTRATION COURSES		
<b>HDFS 5300</b>	<b>Family and Social Policy</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>HDFS 4920</b>	<b>Internship in HDFS<sup>4</sup> <u>OR</u> The Joseph S. Bruno Auburn Abroad in Italy Program<sup>5</sup></b>	<b>12</b>
			UNIV4AA0	HS1 Undergraduate Graduation <sup>2</sup>	0
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**Total: 120 Semester Hours**

<sup>1</sup> Select courses that will provide the prerequisite for HDFS Professional Concentration Required and Elective courses. For example, Political Science courses will require POLI 1090. See the AU Bulletin for details on prerequisites.

<sup>2</sup> Seniors must register for UNIV4AA0-HS1 the term they plan to graduate (non-credit class for clearing graduation).

<sup>3</sup> Students must receive grade of "C" or better in all 3000 and 4000 level Required HDFS Major Core Classes.

<sup>4</sup> You must attend a mandatory orientation meeting and submit your internship application two semesters in advance of the semester you intend to complete the HDFS internship. An ungapped 2.25 GPA is required to enroll in the course.

<sup>5</sup> Students must coordinate Joseph S. Bruno Auburn Abroad in Italy with the Office of Academic Affairs, 266 Spidle Hall.

<sup>6</sup> The list below provides recommendations for appropriate Professional Course Electives, but other courses may be completed. You may select HDFS courses not completed as part of the Required HDFS Major Core, as well as courses from other departments. All Professional Course Electives should be selected to compliment your Concentration and to strengthen your preparedness for internship. Consult your Faculty Advisor about selecting appropriate Professional Course Electives. Courses not identified in the list below MUST be approved by your Faculty Advisor. If you are interested in earning the NCFR CFLE credential, see the CFLE course requirement handout.

**During your first semester as a HDFS major, you must obtain and submit your ABI and FBI Fingerprint and Background check to 203 Spidle Hall. Failure to do so will result in a registration hold on your account.**

**All students sophomore level and higher will be assessed \$14.50 yearly for student professional liability insurance.**

Note: Required major courses and College core courses are in bold. Grades in these courses are used to calculate your GPA in the major.