

COLLEGE OF ED. AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
2025-2026 FAMILY SCIENCES (FAMILY & CHILD SCIENCES TRACK)
BS DEGREE PLAN

FIRST YEAR - FRESHMAN								
Fall Semester				Spring Semester				
Dept.	Crse#	Course Name	Hrs.	Dept.	Crse#	Course Name	Hrs.	
BIB	121	Life of Christ ¹	2	BIB	122	Acts of the Apostles ¹	2	
ENG	101	English Composition I ¹	3			Natural Sciences ¹	3	
MAT		Mathematics ¹	3	COM	140	Speech Communication ¹	3	
SOC	241	General Sociology ²	3	ENG	102	English Composition II ¹	3	
		Electives	3	FAM	201	Child Development & Lab	3	
			14				14	
SECOND YEAR - SOPHOMORE								
Fall Semester				Spring Semester				
Dept.	Crse#	Course Name	Hrs.	Dept.	Crse#	Course Name	Hrs.	
BIB		Bible	3	BIB		Bible	2	
FAM	230	Marriage and the Family	3	FAM	315	Marriage & Relationship Dev.	3	
HIS		History ¹	3			Critical & Creative Works	3	
FAM	205	Introduction to FS Careers	1					
		Electives	6			Electives	8	
			16				16	
THIRD YEAR - JUNIOR								
Fall Semester				Spring Semester				
Dept.	Crse#	Course Name	Hrs.	Dept.	Crse#	Course Name	Hrs.	
BIB	346	Foundations of Faith ¹	3	BIB		Bible	2	
FAM	288	Personal Finance	3	FAM	331	Parenting and Family Rel.	3	
FAM	325	Stress & Resilience in I & F	3	FAM	335	Human Sexuality	3	
FAM	310	Developmental Psychology	3	FAM		FAM Elective (Upper Division)	3	
		Electives	5			Electives	6	
			17				17	
FOURTH YEAR - SENIOR								
Fall Semester				Spring Semester				
Dept.	Crse#	Course Name	Hrs.	Dept.	Crse#	Course Name	Hrs.	
BIB		Bible	2	BIB	495	Values in Human Thought ¹	3	
FAM	365	Family Life Education	3	SWK	362	Social Welfare Policies II	3	
FAM		FAM Elective (Upper Division)	3			Electives	9	
SOC	445	Ethnic Cultures	3					
		Electives	6					
			17				15	
							Total	126

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²Liberal Arts Core Requirements in *Undergraduate Catalog*

³Course has prerequisite. See corresponding *Undergraduate Catalog*

ADDITIONAL ITEMS RELATED TO THE MAJOR

Student should consult with the Family Sciences program coordinator.

The following guidelines are important. Failure to follow these guidelines may delay graduation.

1. Plan schedules carefully. Plan to fulfill prerequisites for future courses.
2. Do not alter the sequence of courses without consulting with your academic adviser as not all classes are offered every semester.
3. Before the enrollment period, check to make sure holds will not prevent you from registering.
4. Register for classes early during the registration period to secure classes.

The Four-Year Degree Plan is a suggested plan of study. This plan does not replace the *Undergraduate Catalog*. The *Undergraduate Catalog* provides the official listing of program requirements.

2025-26 Undergraduate Liberal Arts Core Requirements

I. Biblical Values		III. Broadened Perspectives	
A. Bible		A. Behavioral Sciences	
BIB 121 & 122 & 346 OR 446	7	FAM/BIB 230 OR PSY 210 OR SOC 241 OR SWK 251	3
II. Basic Skills		B. Natural Sciences	
A. Written Communication		BIO 100 OR BIO 105 OR BIO 110 OR BIO 111 OR BIO 112 OR BIO 211 OR CHE 121 OR PHS 111 OR PHS 112 OR PHS 201 OR PHS 211	
ENG 101 AND ENG 102	6		
B. Oral Communication		C. Arts and Humanities	
COM 140	3	HISTORY: HIS 111 OR HIS 112 OR HIS 221 OR HIS 222 OR POL 251	
C. Quantitative Reasoning		CRITICAL AND CREATIVE WORKS: ART 110 OR ART 201 OR ART 234 OR ENG 215 OR ENG 225 OR ENG 235 OR ENG 299A/399A OR MUS 110 OR MUS 214 OR PHI 243 OR PHI 245 OR PHI 246 OR THE 160 OR THE 265 OR THE 299A/399A	
MAT 100 OR MAT 101 OR MAT 120 OR MAT 122 OR MAT235		HUMANITIES CAPSTONE: BIB/HUM 495	
Complete course names and descriptions for the Liberal Arts Core Requirements are located in the Undergraduate Catalog.			
		Total	