

**Grade Point for Graduation: Minimum 2.5 in Major Studies - Minimum of 2.0 Overall**  
**HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES**  
**Guide Sheet, June 2009 to June 2010**

	Credits		Credits
<b>I. GENERAL EDUCATION COMPONENT</b>		<b>II. MAJOR STUDIES</b>	
<b>A. Communication Skills (8 credits)*</b>		<b>Human Development &amp; Family Studies</b>	
Select 8 credits from approved courses.			
ENGL-101 Freshman English: Composition <b>OR</b>	3	HDFS-101 Intro HDFS	1
ENGL-111 Freshman English: Honors		HDFS-115 Individual and Family Relations**	3
ENGL-102 Freshman English: Reading & Related Writing		HDFS-124 HD: Early Childhood**	3
<b>OR</b>		HDFS-215 Dynamics of Family Development**	3
ENGL-112 Freshman English: Honors	3	HDFS-225 Skill Training for Individual/Family Intervention**	3
SPCOM-100 Fundamentals of Speech	2	HDFS-257 Lifespan Sexuality**	3
<b>B. Analytical Reasoning (6 credits)*</b>		HDFS-270 Seminar in Self Growth	3
_____		HDFS-325/525 HD: Mid Childhood/Adolescence**	3
_____		HDFS-330/530 HD: Early/Middle Adulthood**	3
<b>C. Health Enhancement and Physical Well-Being (2 credits)*</b>		HDFS-335/535 Seminar – Culturally Diverse Individuals and Families	2
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<b>D. Humanities and the Arts (9 credits)*</b>		HDFS-340/540 HD: Late Adulthood**	3
Select 9 credits from 3 or more areas		HDFS-345/545 Family Health Care/Dilemmas and Decisions for Families	3
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<b>E. Social/Behavioral Sciences (12 credits)*</b>		HDFS-365/565 Family Resource Management**	3
<u>Required</u>		HDFS-420 Family Research & Methodology	3
PSYC-110 General Psychology	3	HDFS-450/650 Family Policy**	3
SOC-110 Introductory Sociology	3	HDFS-456 Abuse and the Family	3
POLS-210 American Government	3	HDFS-490 Professional Issues**	2
<i>Remaining 3 credits can be taken from anthropology, economics, geography, political science, psychology and sociology.</i>		HDFS-491 Practicum: HDFS (min. 4 credits)**	4
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<b>F. Natural Sciences (4 credits)*</b>		<b>TOTAL: 56 Credits</b>	
Select 4 credits, including a lab course			
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<b>G. Technology (2 credits)*</b>			
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<b>H. General Education Electives (2 credits)*</b>		- Continued on Back -	
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<b>TOTAL: 45 Credits</b>			

\***MUST BE FROM APPROVED GENERAL EDUCATION LIST**

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### III. MINOR, CERTIFICATION, OR STUDENT-DESIGNED CONCENTRATION

*18 credits required*

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1. Students may select an existing minor or certification/specialization (e.g., Gerontology Specialization). The following sites will link you to minors: [www.uwstout.edu/programs/minor.shtml](http://www.uwstout.edu/programs/minor.shtml) and specializations: [www.uwstout.edu/programs/spec.shtml](http://www.uwstout.edu/programs/spec.shtml).

**OR**

2. Students may choose a student-designed concentration and select **18 credits** in consultation with their advisor. Suggested courses for working with children, adolescents, adults, and families in a variety of settings may be found at: [www.uwstout.edu/programs/bshdfs/cs.html](http://www.uwstout.edu/programs/bshdfs/cs.html). These courses may be selected to fulfill the 18 credit requirement of the student-designed concentration.

**NOTE: AS PART OF YOUR CONCENTRATION**, you may wish to take coursework for:

The **Wisconsin Social Work Training Certificate** is highly recommended if considering working in a human services agency. Academic requirements may be found at: [www.uwstout.edu/programs/bshdfs/cs.html](http://www.uwstout.edu/programs/bshdfs/cs.html). For more information about the requirements for the Social Work Training Certificate as well as the application procedure, go to: <http://drl.wi.gov/prof/soct/bpo.htm>.

Academic requirements for the **Provisional Certified Family Life Educator** may be found at: [www.uwstout.edu/programs/bshdfs/cs.html](http://www.uwstout.edu/programs/bshdfs/cs.html). For more information about the Provisional Certified Family Life Educator and for the application process, go to: [www.ncfr.org](http://www.ncfr.org).

A **Graduate School**. University of Wisconsin-Stout graduate program requirements may be found at: [www.uwstout.edu/programs/grad.shtml](http://www.uwstout.edu/programs/grad.shtml).

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### IV. FREE ELECTIVES

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Students may select any additional 5 credits for degree completion.

#### TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED FOR A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES

GENERAL EDUCATION	45
MAJOR STUDIES	56
CONCENTRATION, MINOR OR CERTIFICATION	18
FREE ELECTIVES	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>124</b>

