



# FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED  
HUMAN SCIENCES

**KANSAS STATE**  
UNIVERSITY

College of Health and  
Human Sciences

## OUR PROGRAM

Family and consumer sciences educators teach teens and adults the skills they need to be healthy individuals and build strong families. This licensure program is for students who plan to teach family and consumer sciences at the secondary or postsecondary levels. Our program focuses on parenting education, consumer economics, healthy lifestyle choices, nutrition and food decisions, food science, human relations skills, personal development, textiles and fashion choices, and balancing family and work.

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Strong demand for family and consumer sciences teachers in middle and senior high schools • 100% job placement (2018-2019) • Professional development experiences within public schools • Internationally recognized faculty who are dedicated and committed to providing high-quality undergraduate education • Undergraduate research opportunities • Dedicated student organization • Graduate as a licensed-eligible teacher in the State of Kansas

## POTENTIAL CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Family and Community Services
- Middle Schools
- High Schools
- Consumer Services
- Public Advocacy
- Industry Representative
- Teaching and Training
- Hospitality Services
- Cooperative Extension

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Sample course sequence guide

### Fall

General Chemistry & Lab  
Expository Writing I  
College Algebra  
Foundations of Education  
Introduction to Well-being  
Community Well-being  
Teacher Orientation

**14 hours**

# 1

### Spring

Expository Writing II  
General Psychology  
Public Speaking  
Basic Nutrition  
Introduction to Human Development  
Social Well-being  
Financial Well-being  
Physical Well-being  
Career Well-being

**16 hours**

### Fall

Principles of Biology  
Introduction to Statistics  
Design & Behavior in the Interior  
Environment  
Dress and Human Behavior  
Teaching as a Career  
Early Field Experience

**15 hours**

# 2

### Spring

Principles of Macroeconomics  
History Elective  
Textiles  
Early Childhood  
Family Relationships & Gender Roles

**15-16 hours**

### Fall

Introduction to Human Sexuality  
Personal Wellness  
Human Needs  
Personal Financial Planning  
Career Pathways in Family and  
Consumer Sciences Education  
Principles & Philosophy of Career &  
Technical Education

**16 hours**

# 3

### Spring

Science of Food  
Educational Psychology  
Educational Technology for Teaching &  
Learning  
Exceptional Student Secondary Education  
Core Teaching Skills & Lab  
Program Planning in Career & Technical  
Education

**15-16 hours**

### Fall

Health and Human Sciences Elective  
Family & Consumer Sciences Methods for  
Secondary & Middle Schools  
Family & Consumer Sciences Methods &  
Practicum  
Interpersonal Relations in the Schools  
Middle Level Education  
Teaching in a Multicultural Society  
Content Area Literacies & Diverse Learners  
Seminar in Human Ecology

**16-17 hours**

# 4

### Spring

Teaching Internship in Secondary Schools

**12 hours**

120 hours are required for degree completion. The College of Health and Human Sciences requires a "C" or higher in Professional Studies courses, and the K-State 8 requirements must be met.