

# UNIVERSITY STUDIES (B.S.) HUMAN DEVELOPMENT CONCENTRATION

Degree: Bachelor of Science

Major: University Studies

Concentration: Human Development

Total Hours: 120

## Concentration Overview

This University Studies concentration allows students to study human development, behavior, and interaction at different stages of the life cycle and from various academic viewpoints. This concentration is a viable option for students who wish to study “the human” holistically while striving for careers in counseling, human service, and education. Students interested in using this degree as a foundation for graduate school should consult their advisor(s) for methods to align coursework options for specific programs of advanced study.

## Degree Requirements

120 semester hours minimum; 2.000 cumulative GPA minimum:

- 42 hours within the general education core curriculum
  - Earning a letter grade of C or better in ENGL 1301 Composition I and ENGL 1302 Composition II is strongly encouraged.
  - BIOL 2401 Anatomy and Physiology I & BIOL 2402 Anatomy and Physiology II are preferred for the Life and Physical Sciences core requirement; PSYC 2301 General Psychology is preferred for the Social and Behavioral Sciences core requirement.
- 36 hours within general electives block
  - PEDG 2310 Introduction to Teacher Education, PEDG 2342 Diversity of Learners, PSYC 2315 Lifespan Development, FMST 1377 Intimate Relationships, FMST 2306 Historical Context of Families, FMST 2316 Community Resources, KINT 1301 Introduction to Kinesiology, NUTR 1322 Basic Nutrition, SOCI 2301 Marriage and Family, and SOWK 2361 Intro Social Work are preferred courses for the general electives block
- 42 hours within advanced electives block
  - All courses applied to the advanced electives block must have a letter grade of C or better.
  - A minimum of 12 hours of senior (4000) level coursework is required within the advanced electives block.
  - AASC 3301 Lifelong Learning and Portfolio Development, AASC 4301 Senior Seminar, and ENGL 3311 Professional Writing are required courses for the advanced electives block. Prerequisites for AASC 3301 Lifelong Learning and Portfolio Development include both ENGL 1301 Composition I and ENGL 1302 Composition II.
  - Human Development Academic Area: 18 hours chosen from ENGL 3320 Child & Adolescent Lit; FMST 3302 The Whole Child or FMST 3340 Human Development I; KINT 3350 Inclusive and Adaptive Physical Education or KINT 3370 Motor Development; PSYC 3370 Child & Adolescent Psychology; SOWK 3300 Human Behavior in the Social Environment I; FMST 3341 Human Development II; NUTR 4307 Nutrition Through the Life Cycle;

HLTH 3378 Human Sexuality or SOCI 3340 Sociology of Sexuality; PSYC 4360 Learning and Cognition; SOWK 4320 Seminar—Aging or SOCI 4325 Aging Population and Health; SOWK 3320 Human Behavior in the Social Environment II.

- Education and Family: 15 hours chosen from: FMST 4329 Family Interaction

Code	Title	Hours
<b>General Education Core Curriculum</b>		
<i>Communication</i>		
ENGL 1301	Composition I	3
ENGL 1302	Composition II	3
<i>Mathematics</i>		
MATH 1314	College Algebra(Non-Calculus)	3
MATH 1316	Trigonometry	
MATH 1324	Mathematics for Business and Social Sciences	
MATH 1332	Contemporary Mathematics I	
MATH 1342	Statistics	
MATH 1350	Fundamentals of Math for Elementary School Teachers	
MATH 2311	Precalculus I	
MATH 2312	Pre Calculus and Elementary Functions	
MATH 2413	Calculus and Analytical Geometry I	
MATH 2414	Calculus and Analytical Geometry II	
<i>Life and Physical Science</i>		
Select two of the following:		6
BIOL 2401	Anatomy and Physiology I	
BIOL 2402	Anatomy and Physiology II	
<i>Language, Philosophy and Culture</i>		
Select one of the following:		3
PHIL 1370	Philosophy of Knowledge	
PHIL 2306	Ethics	
DSDE 1374	Introduction to Deaf Studies	
ENGL 2300	Close Reading II	
ENGL 2322	British Literature	
ENGL 2326	American Literature	
ENGL 2331	World Literature	
ENGL 2376	African-American Literature	
FREN 2312	Intermediate French II	
SPAN 2312	Intermediate Spanish II	
<i>Creative Arts</i>		
Select one of the following:		3
ARTS 1301	Art Appreciation	
ARTS 1303	Art History I	
DANC 2304	Dance Appreciation	
MUSI 1306	Music Appreciation	
COMM 1375	Film Appreciation	
COSC 1324	The Art of Computer Game Development	
MUSI 1306	Music Appreciation	
MUSI 1309	Jazz History and Appreciation	
MUSI 1310	History of Rock and Roll	
PHIL 1330	Arts and Ideas	
THEA 1310	Theatre Appreciation	

<i>American History</i>	
Select two of the following:	6
HIST 1301 U S History I 1763-1877	
HIST 1302 U S History II Since 1877	
HIST 2301 Texas History	
<i>Government/Political Science</i>	
POLS 2301 Intro to American Government I	3
POLS 2302 Intro/American Government II	3
<i>Social and Behavioral Sciences</i>	
Select one of the following:	3
PSYC 2301 General Psychology	
<i>Component Area Options</i>	
Complete six unique hours from other core curriculum areas	6
<b>Required Courses</b>	
AASC 3301 Lifelong Learning and Portfolio Development	3
AASC 4301 Senior Seminar	3
ENGL 3311 Professional Writing	3
<b>Human Development Concentration</b>	
Select six from the following:	18
ENGL 3320 Child & Adolescent Lit	
FMST 3302 The Whole Child or FMST 3340 Human Development I	
FMST 3341 Human Development II	
KINT 3350 Inclusive and Adaptive Physical Education or KINT 3370 Motor Development	
PSYC 3370 Child & Adolescent Psychology	
PSYC 4360 Learning and Cognition	
SOWK 3300 Human Behavior in the Social Environment I	
SOWK 3320 Human Behavior in the Social Environment II	
SOWK 4320 Seminar <sup>1</sup>	
SOCI 3340 Sociology of Sexuality	
SOCI 4325 Aging Population and Health	
<b>Education and Family Concentration</b>	
Select five from the following:	15
ARTS 3371 Study in Visual Art or MUSI 3371 Music for Elementary Teachers	
ENGL 4310 Teaching of Writing	
SOCI 3390 Juvenile Delinquency	
SOCI 4320 Sociology of Education	
SOCI 4330 Comparative Family Studies	
COMM 3320 Communicating in Families	
FMST 4326 Family Violence	
FMST 4327 Parent-Child Relationships	
FMST 4329 Family Interaction	
FMST 4335 Contemporary Family Issues	
<b>Elective Courses</b>	
36 credit hours in 1000:4999	36
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>120</b>

<sup>1</sup> When topic applies.

Course	Title	Hours
<b>First Year</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
ENGL 1301	Composition I	3
Mathematics Core		3
American History Core		3
Communication Core		3
Electives		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
ENGL 1302	Composition II	3
Core Component Area		3
American History Core		3
Social & Behavioral Sciences Core		3
Electives		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Second Year</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
Political Science Core		3
Life & Physical Science Core		3
Language, Philosophy, & Culture Core		3
Creative Arts Core		3
Electives		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
Political Science Core		3
Life & Physical Science Core		3
Electives		3
Electives		3
Electives		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Third Year</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
AASC 3301	Lifelong Learning and Portfolio Development	3
Human Development Concentration Course		3
Human Development Concentration Course		3
Education & Family Concentration Course		3
Electives		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
ENGL 3311	Professional Writing	3
Human Development Concentration Course		3
Human Development Concentration Course		3
Education & Family Concentration Course		3
Electives		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Fourth Year</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
Human Development Concentration Course		3
Education & Family Concentration Course		3
Education & Family Concentration Course		3
Electives		3
Electives		3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
Human Development Concentration Course		3
Education & Family Concentration Course		3
AASC 4301	Senior Seminar	3
Electives		3

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Hours	15
Total Hours	120