

BA in Child & Family Studies - *Option in Family Science & Community Services*
 Major Requirements Worksheet
 2026-2027 Catalog

Name: _____ Student ID: _____

All CDFS courses are blocked to declared majors only (not pre-majors) unless otherwise specified in the prerequisites column

Grade	Course Number & Title (units)	Prerequisites†
Complete ALL of the following support courses:		
	ANTH 120: Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (3) GE Area: 4C	none
	PSY 100: General Psychology (3) GE Area: 4C	GE composition ready
	CAFF 321: Family & Consumer Resource Management (3) GE Area: 4UD	GE foundations
	ONE (1) of the following: <input type="checkbox"/> GERN 400: Perspectives on Gerontology (3) GE Area: 4UD; GWAR Writing Intensive <input type="checkbox"/> HDEV 357: Adulthood & Aging in a Diverse World (3) GE Area: 4UD	GERN 400: GE foundations; upper division standing HDEV 357: GE foundations; a 'C' or better in ANTH 120 or HDEV 180 or PSY 100 or SOC 100
	HSC 425: Human Sexuality & Sex Education (3) GE Area: 4UD	GE foundations; upper division standing

Complete ALL of the following major courses:

	CDFS 111: Child Growth & Development (3)	open to Pre-CDFS majors
	CDFS 310: Diversity in Child Development (3) GE Area: 4UD	GE foundations; upper division standing; open to Pre-CDFS majors
	CDFS 311: Prenatal Development, Infancy, & Toddlerhood (3)	a 'C' or better in CDFS 111
	CDFS 312: Family & Personal Development (3) GE Area: 4UD	GE foundations; ANTH 120 or PSY 100 or SOC 100; open to Pre-CDFS majors
	CDFS 314: The Older Child (3)	a 'C' or better in CDFS 111
	CDFS 319: Family Stress & Coping (3) GE Area: 4UD; GWAR Writing Intensive	GE foundations; ANTH 120 or PSY 100 or SOC 100; upper division standing; open to Pre-CDFS majors
	CDFS 402: Child & Family Law (3)	a 'C' or better in CDFS 312; upper division standing
	ONE (1) of the following: <input type="checkbox"/> CDFS 408: Transition to Parenthood & Family Dynamics (3) <input type="checkbox"/> CDFS 412: Family Interaction (3)	CDFS 408: open to Pre-CDFS majors CDFS 412: a 'C' or better in CDFS 312; upper division standing
	CDFS 410: International Families: Families in Cross-Cultural Perspectives (3)	a 'C' or better in CDFS 312
	CDFS 413: Child & Family in the Community (3)	a 'C' or better in CDFS 312; upper division standing
	CDFS 418: Parent Education (3)	CDFS 111; upper division standing
	CDFS 419: Serving Individuals and Families in the Community (3)	CDFS 312
	ONE (1) of the following (SYE = Senior Year Experience): <input type="checkbox"/> CDFS 405: A Practical Approach to Social Science Research (3) GE Area: 2UD/5UD <input type="checkbox"/> CDFS 492B: Internship in Child & Family Services (3)	CDFS 405: upper division standing; open to Pre-CDFS majors CDFS 492B: senior standing; 2.5 overall GPA or a 3.0 major GPA; pre/corquisites: CDFS 413 and 419; may not be taken concurrently with CDFS 492A; see CDFS Area Coordinator for permit (application required)

†Prerequisites are subject to change; consult the University Catalog (www.csulb.edu/catalog) for the most recent updates

✓A 'C' or better is required in all courses

✓GE credit is granted based on the term you take the course and is subject to change

- See the current GE course list at www.csulb.edu/general-education-requirements

✓Total units required for FSCS option: 54