2021–22 Family and Consumer Studies–Child Development and Family Studies Academic Map
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An academic map is a suggested four-year schedule of courses based on degree requirements in the undergraduate catalog. This sample schedule serves as a general guideline to help build a full schedule each term. Milestones, courses, and special requirements necessary for timely progress to complete a major are designated to keep you on track to graduate in four years. *Missing milestones could delay your program.*

This map is not a substitute for academic advisement—contact your advisor if you have any questions about scheduling or about your degree requirements. Also see the current undergraduate catalog **(catalog.mtsu.edu)** for a complete list of requirements and electives. *Note: Requirements are continually under revision, and there is no guarantee they will not be changed or revoked; contact the department and/or program area for current information.*

You may choose to attend a summer term to reduce your load during fall or spring terms but still stay on track to graduate in four years (see back). NOTE: Learning Support courses will alter the sequences on this map.

Suggested Fall/Spring Four-Year Schedule

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
Course	**Hours**	**Milestones/Notes**	**Course**	**Hours**	**Milestones/Notes**
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3	Must earn C- or higher	ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3	Must earn C- or higher
Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3		Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3	
Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 1)	3		Nat Sci (Rubric 1)	4	
Elective	3		CDFS 3320 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher
HSC 1010	1		MATH 1010 (Math)	3	recommended
Elective	1				
SUBTOTAL	**14**		**SUBTOTAL**	**16**	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3		Nat Sci (Rubric 2)	4	
COMM 2200 (Comm)	3		CDFS 3310 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher
CDFS 3330 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher; prereq: CDFS 2350	PSY 1410 (Soc/Beh Sci)	3	recommended
HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		HSC 4410 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher
NFS 1240	3		Minor course	3	
SUBTOTAL	**15**		**SUBTOTAL**	**16**	
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		PSY 4600 or HLTH 4360 (CFLE courses)*	3	Must earn C- or higher
CDFS 4310 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher	CDFS 4140 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher; pre-req: CDFS 3320 or SOC 2500
CDFS 4340 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher; prereq: CDFS 3320	CDFS 4350 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher; pre-req: CDFS 3320 or PSY 4190
CDFS 4390 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher; prereq: CDFS 3320	CDFS 4391 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher; prereq: CDFS 4390
Minor course	3		Minor course	3	
SUBTOTAL	**15**		**SUBTOTAL**	**15**	File UD and Intent to Graduate forms
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
CDFS 4710 (CFLE course)*	3	Offered fall/summer only; Must earn C- or higher; prereq: CDFS 3320	CDFS 4790 (CFLE course)*	3	Prereqs: CDFS 3310, 3320, 3390, 4310, 4340, 4350, 4390, 4710 with C- or higher
CDFS 3390 (CFLE course)*	3	Offered fall only; Must earn C- or higher; junior standing; POD	HSC 4101 (CFLE course)*	6	Spring/summer only; 2.25 GPA required
Choose 1: CDFS 3300, 4391*, 4400, 4720*; HSC 4420; NFS 4210, 4251	3–4	CDFS 4391/4720 CFLE (Must earn C- or higher); prereq: CDFS 3300 POD	Minor course	3	
Minor course	3		Elective	0-1	
CDFS 4740	3				
HSC 4000	1				
SUBTOTAL	**16–17**		**SUBTOTAL**	**12-13**	
***NOTE:** Must earn C- or higher for the Certified Family Life Educator (CFLE) certification*					
TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120					

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Suggested Fall/Spring/Summer Four-Year Schedule

Refer to **www.mtsu.edu/financial-aid/scholarships** for information regarding use of the Lottery Scholarship for the summer term.

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
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Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3		CDFS 3320 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher
Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 1)	3		Nat Sci (Rubric 1)	4	
Elective	3		MATH 1010 (Math)	3	
HSC 1010	1				
Elective	1				
SUBTOTAL	**14**		**SUBTOTAL**	**13**	

FRESHMAN SUMMER					
NFS 1240	3		Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3	
SUBTOTAL	**3**		**SUBTOTAL**	**3**	

SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3		Nat Sci (Rubric 2)	4	
COMM 2200 (Comm)	3		CDFS 3310 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher
CDFS 3330 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher; prereq: CDFS 2350	PSY 1410 (Soc/Beh Sci)	3	
HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		HSC 4410 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher
SUBTOTAL	**12**		**SUBTOTAL**	**13**	

SOPHOMORE SUMMER					
Minor course	3		Minor course	3	
SUBTOTAL	**3**		**SUBTOTAL**	**3**	

JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		PSY 4600 or HLTH 4360 (CFLE courses)*	3	Spring/summer only; 2.25 GPA required
CDFS 4310 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher	CDFS 4140 (CFLE course)*	3	Must earn C- or higher; pre-req: CDFS 3320 or SOC 2500
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SUBTOTAL	**12**		**SUBTOTAL**	**12**	File UD and Intent to Graduate forms

JUNIOR SUMMER					
CDFS 4710 (CFLE course)*	3	Offered fall/summer only; Must earn C- or higher; prereq: CDFS 3320	Minor course	3	
SUBTOTAL	**3**		**SUBTOTAL**	**3**	

SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
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Minor course	3		Minor course	3	
HSC 4000	1		Elective	0-1	
CDFS 4740	3				
SUBTOTAL	**13–14**		**SUBTOTAL**	**12-13**	

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