**College of Behavioral and Social Sciences**  
**Advisement Center**  
**Major:** B.S. Child and Family Development, Concentration: Family Services  
**Start:** 2017  

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**Tips:** Meet with your Academic Advisor before your registration date so that you can register on time. Attend a Success Workshop to learn about time management and study skills.

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**Tips:** Visit the Major and Career Exploration center to learn more about potential career paths for your major. Invest in a planner and use it.

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**Tips:** Explore Study Abroad, Internship, and Graduate School opportunities. Create a résumé - visit the Office of Career and Professional Development for help.

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**Tips:** Courses not completed in Fall or Spring can be taken over Summer (if available) to stay on track. Explore campus activities and organizations.

**Target credit hours 32/124**  
**Total credit hours earned 32**

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**Tips:** Check DegreeWorks and confer with your advisor to verify you are on track to graduate. Use the Writing Center to help create polished senior papers.

**Target credit hours 124/124**  
**Total credit hours earned 124**

**Bolded font** indicates classes only offered that semester.  
* A grade of “C” or better is required.  

**Ultimately, it is the student’s responsibility to ensure that they meet all program requirements.**  
**Taking any coursework that does not fit within your chosen program of study may impact your financial aid.**

**Updated 4/30/2018**
### CORE & Additional Requirements

**Area A1: Communication Skills (6 credits)**
- *ENGL 1101 Composition I (3)
- *ENGL 1102 Composition II (3)

**Area A2: Quantitative Skills (3 credits)**
- *MATH 1001 or higher (3)
  - MATH 1001, 1011, 1111, 1112, 1113, or 1441

**Area B: Global Perspectives (7 credits)**
- **CORE 2000 CORE Capstone Course (1)**
- **HIST 1111/HIST 1112 World History/Civ. I or II (3)**
- **Area B Elective (3)**

**Area C: Humanities/Arts/Ethics (6 credits)**
- **Area C Literature / Philosophy (3)**
  - ENGL 2100, ENGL 2111, ENGL 2112, PHIL 2010, or PHIL 2030
- **Area C Elective (3)**

**Area D: Science/Math/Technology (11 credits)**
- **Area D Science #1 (3)**
- **Area D Science #1 Laboratory (1)**
- **Area D Science #2 (3)**
- **Area D Science #2 Laboratory (1)**
- **Area D Elective (3-4)**
  - ASTR 1000, BIOL 1320, BIOL 1330, BIOL 1331, BIOL 1335, CHEM 1030, ENGR 1112, GEOG 1111, GEOG 1122, GEOL 1430, GEOL 1530, IT 2531, HONS 1133, MATH 1112, MATH 1113, MATH 1232, MATH 1441, MATH 2242, MATH 2243, PHYS 1010, PHYS 1135, SCI 1100, STAT 2231, or TCGT 1530

**Area E: Social Sciences (9 credits)**
- **Area E Elective (3)**
  - ASTR 2900, ANTH 1102, ECON 1101, ECON 1150, ECON 2105, HONS 1131, PSYC 1101, SOCI 1101, or WGS 2200

**Additional Requirements (4 credits)**
- **FYE 1220 First Year Seminar (2)**
- **KINS 1525 Concepts of Health & PE (2)**

**Other Requirements (6-9 credits)**
- Significant International Content / Foreign Language 2001 (3)
- Free Elective (3)
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### Child and Family Development

**Family Services Concentration**

**CHFD Major Requirements** (pre-reqs are indicated in parentheses)

**CHFD Area F Courses (18 credits)**
- *CHFD 1131 Intro to Family Science
- *CHFD 2130 Family Economic Environment (CHFD Majors Only)
- *CHFD 2135 Child Development
- *CHFD 2136 Intro to Family Services ("C" in CHFD 1131)
- *COMM 1110 Public Speaking ("C" in ENGL 1101 or WRIT 1101)
- *PSYC 1101--or--SOCI 1101

**CHFD Major Core Courses (27-30 credits)**
- *CHFD 3131 Birth to 5 Methods ("C" in CHFD 1131 & CHFD 2135, and completion of criminal background check & finger printing procedure)
- *CHFD 3133 Diversity in Human Devel. ("C" in CHFD 1131 & CHFD 2135)
- *CHFD 3135 Youth Development ("C" in CHFD 1131 & CHFD 2135)
- *CHFD 3136 Adult Devel./Later Life ("C" in CHFD 1131)
- *CHFD 3139 Parent Edu. & Guidance ("C" in CHFD 1131 & CHFD 2135)
- *CHFD 4138 Professional Development ("C" in CHFD 1131, CHFD 2135, CHFD 3131, CHFD 3133, CHFD 3135, CHFD 3136 & CHFD 3139)
- *CHFD 4790 Internship in CHFD (A minimum grade of "C" in CHFD 1131, 2130, 2135, 3131, 3133, 3135, 3136, 3139, and 4138. Students must have a 2.5 total institutional GPA the semester prior to applying for the internship. Students who do not meet the 2.5 GPA requirements will complete 9-12 credit hours of approved course work as substitute for the internship.)

**Family Services Concentration Courses (15)**
- *CHFD 3232 Sexuality in Human Development ("C" in CHFD 1131 & CHFD 2135)
- *CHFD 4132 Death & Bereavement Across Lifespan (Fall/Summer-"C" in CHFD 1131)
- *CHFD 4133 Programming & Evaluation for Family Services (Spring only-"C" in CHFD 1131, CHFD 2135 & CHFD 2136)
- *CHFD 4134 Family Life Education (Spring only-"C" in CHFD 1131, CHFD 2135 & CHFD 3139)
- *CHFD 4237 Legal & Public Policies Affecting Families (Fall only-"C" in CHFD 2135 & CHFD 2136)

**Guided Major Electives** (9 credits / 3 classes from options below)
- CHFD 2137 Lifespan Development
- CHFD 3130 Research Methods (Spring only-"C" in CHFD 1131 & CHFD 2135)
- CHFD 3234 Young Children with Special Needs ("C" in CHFD 3133)
- CHFD 4090 Selected Topics in CHFD
- CHFD 4899 Directed Individualized Study (Permission of Instructor)
- PSYC 3101 Abnormal Psychology ("C" in PSYC 1101)
- PSYC 3101--or--SOCI 1101
- CHFD 3139 Parent Edu. & Guidance ("C" in CHFD 1131 & CHFD 2135)
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### Program Admissions Criteria

- A total institution GPA of 2.0 or better on all course work attempted (transfer course work and work completed at Georgia Southern are considered).
- Completed a minimum of 30 credit hours.
- A minimum grade of "C" in all Area F course work attempted.
- Completion of criminal background check and finger printing procedure.

### Program Progression Requirements

- Earn a minimum grade of "C" in all courses in Area F, the Child & Family Development Core, the selected emphasis area, and guided major electives.
- Earn a minimum grade of "C" in a prerequisite course prior to registering for an advanced course.
- Have a 2.5 GPA to apply for the CHFD internship. Students who don’t meet the 2.5 GPA requirement will complete 9-12 credit hours of approved course work as a substitute.
- Students completing a Summer internship (9 hrs.) must take a 3 hour advisor approved course prior to enrolling in the internship.

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### College of Behavioral and Social Sciences Advisement Center

### Advisement

You are required to meet with your advisor at least once each semester before you can register for classes. You will be contacted through your GS student email account with details regarding how to set up an advisement appointment. Georgia Southern University email is the only official means of communication from the university. It is your responsibility to check your GS student email account regularly and respond to all emails in a professional and respectful manner.

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### Withdrawal Policy

As an undergraduate at Georgia Southern University, you may withdraw from a maximum of six (6) courses for your entire enrollment at the University. Once you have reached your maximum number of withdrawals you may elect to receive a “withdraw-failing” (WF) grade in a course, which is calculated as an “F” for GPA purposes.

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### First Day Attendance Policy

University policy requires that you attend the first class meeting of a course for which you are registered. If you do not attend the first class meeting of a course for which you are registered, you will be dropped from the course. It is your responsibly to verify course drops and check that fees are adjusted.