

TEXAS WOMAN'S UNIVERSITY
Department of Family Sciences/College of Professional Education

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE – Family and Consumer Sciences (120 hours)
Specialized Certification – Hospitality, Nutrition, and Food Science

(Preparation for Teacher Certification in Family and Consumer Sciences: Specialized certification – Hospitality, Nutrition, and Food Science) **NOTICE: Persons receiving the Family and Consumer Sciences degree with composite certification will be prepared to teach only hospitality, nutrition, and food science courses offered at grades 8-12 in Family and Consumer Sciences Education.**

Catalog date _____

Name _____ ID# _____ Date _____

Permanent Address _____ Phone _____

Local Address _____ Email _____

Expected date of graduation _____ TEXAS ACADEMIC SKILLS PROGRAM: Complete

UNIVERSITY CORE (42 hrs minimum; "C" average required)	
ENGLISH (9 hours)	<input type="checkbox"/> Completed
ENG 1013	
ENG 1023	
HUMANITIES (3 hours required)	<input type="checkbox"/> Completed
HISTORY (6 hours required)	<input type="checkbox"/> Completed
HIST 1013	
HIST 1023	
POLITICAL SCIENCE (6 hours required)	<input type="checkbox"/> Completed
GOV 2013	
GOV 2023	
MATHEMATICS (3 hours required)	<input type="checkbox"/> Completed
MATH (CORE APPROVED)	
NATURAL SCIENCE (6-8 hours required)	<input type="checkbox"/> Completed
CHEM 1011/1013 – <i>suggested</i>	
CHEM 1021/1023 – <i>suggested</i>	
VISUAL/PERFORMING ARTS (3 hours required)	<input type="checkbox"/> Completed
SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (3 hours required)	<input type="checkbox"/> Completed
QUANTITATIVE LITERACY & MULTICULTURAL / WOMEN'S STUDIES	<input type="checkbox"/> Completed
MATH 1013 Quantitative Literacy (3 hours required)	
WS 2013 Women: Images & Perspectives (3 hours required)	
<i>Suggested to meet global perspectives requirement ***</i>	

SPECIALIZED FCS CERTIFICATION	Completed
FAMILY SCIENCES (9 hours)	
GPA of 2.75; "C" or better required for each course	
FS 3513 Childhood and Adolescence	
FS 3723 Field Experience in FCS Occupations **	
FS 4703 Methods of Teaching FCS	
NUTRITION & FOOD SERVICE (32 hours) (GPA of 2.75: "C" or better required for each course).	
NFS 1301/1302 Food Preparation and Lab	
NFS 2323 Introduction to Nutrition	
NFS 3033 Life Cycle	
NFS 3043 Community Nutrition	
NFS 3321/3323 Food Science and Lab	
NFS 3713/3722 Quantity Foods & Lab	
NFS 4744 Food Service Systems	
NFS 4023 Food Product Development	
NFS 4473 Therapy & Educ. Methods OR NFS 4943 Trends and Controversies	
NFS 4701 Dietetics as a Profession OR NFS 3041 Food Protection Management	
RELATED STUDIES: (15 hours) (GPA of 2.75: "C" or better required in each course).	
BACT 2011/2013 Food Microbiology and Lab	
BUS 3003 Principle of Management OR FS 4773 Family Resource Management	
CSCI 3002 Technology	
EDSP 4203 Learners with Exceptionalities	
READ 3013 Literacy & Learning Across the Curric.	
MINOR (for all certifications – 20 hours) (GPA of 2.75; "C" or better required in each course).	
EDUC 2003 Schools/Soc.	
EDUC 3003 Learning Theory & Development	
EDUC 3482 Teaching the Diverse Learner Through Technology Integration	
EDUC 4113 Design & Implement. of Assess. & Instr.	
EDUC 4243 Classroom Env. & Management	
EDUC 4 6 Student Teaching	

Tests Required:

TEXES - Secondary Pedagogy & Professional Responsibility (130) **AND**
AAFCS/CFC - Texas Teacher Certification Version – FCS – Hospitality, Nutrition, & Food Science (HN & DS – 201) Concentration Examination.

**Meets core competency for oral communication
 *** Course applies toward 6 hrs. of global perspectives requirement, regardless of core completeness.

Electives may be required to meet 120 hour degree total.

NOTES:

1. By state law the candidate must have credit for six (6) semester hours of American History. Texas History may substitute for three (3) semester hours.
2. By state law the candidate must have credit for six (6) semester hours of federal and state constitutions. ROTC credit at a senior institution may be substituted.
3. Majors: Majors are defined as a minimum of thirty (30) semester hours. One-half (1/2) of these hours must be advanced. A Minimum of 36 advanced hours is required for any baccalaureate degree.
4. Minors: Most minors at Texas Woman’s University include a minimum of eighteen (18) hours. A minor includes a minimum of 6 credit hours at the advanced level. Students should consider the state excess hours rule when considering earning a minor.
5. At least one-half (1/2) of the upper level courses in the major and at least one-half of the upper level courses in the minor must be completed at TWU.
6. A Minimum of 25% of the credit hours must be taken at TWU. Correspondence and credit-by-examination courses do not satisfy residence requirements for graduation.
7. A student who holds a valid bachelor’s degree from another accredited college or university and who wishes to earn a second bachelor’s degree at TWU must complete the following legal requirements: Six (6) semester hours of American History, six (6) semester hours of national and state governments, and thirty-six (36) semester hours of advanced studies, and meet departmental and residential requirements.
8. Students may transfer no more than 84 semester hours from junior or community colleges. There is no limit for transfer credit from senior institutions.

REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATION:

1. Admission to Teacher Education requires:
 - GPA 2.75 (minimum)
 - TASP/THEA (R = 260; M = 240; W = 240)
 - Demonstration of Oral Communication Proficiency
2. Teacher certification candidates must pass a basic literacy (TASP/THEA) test, the TExES test in Secondary Pedagogy and Professional Responsibility, and the AAFCS/CFC – Texas Teacher Certification Version - for the content field in which the candidate intends to teach.
3. No grade below a C will be accepted for course work completed in major or minor.
4. Submission of a degree plan, approved and signed by your advisor, is required for successful completion of EDUC 3003.
5. Successful completion of student teaching is a requirement for Family and Consumer Science majors.

NOTE:

The requirements and recommendations in this document may differ from those in the General and/or Graduate Catalog because they have been designed to be in accord with the most recent policies and procedures of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board for Educator Certification.



In accordance with Leg. House Bill 1922, an individual is entitled to: request to be informed about the information collected about them; receive and review their information; and correct any incorrect information.

Disclosure of your social security or student ID number is required to access your transcripts and contact information at Texas Woman's University. Your social security or student ID number will be used as a unique number to identify you. Any further disclosure of your social security number will be governed by the Public Information Act (Chapter 552 of the Texas Government Code).

