

Dale Bumpers College of Agricultural, Food & Life Sciences
EIGHT-SEMESTER DEGREE COMPLETION PROGRAM
B.S.H.E.S. — Birth through Kindergarten (BRKD)
2017-2018

HDFS Requirements: 10 hours Communication; 1 hour University Perspectives; 3 hours History; 3 hours Mathematics; 8 hours Sciences; 6 hours Fine Arts/Humanities; 9 hours Social Sciences; 74 hours Birth Through Kindergarten Concentration; 7 hours general electives. See catalog for candidacy and retention requirements for initial teacher licensure.

Bold – Course meets University Core

Pre-requisites, co-requisites, or recommended courses are in parentheses.

Fall Semester Year 1		Spring Semester Year 1	
Course	Hours	Course	Hours
UNIV 1001 University Perspectives	1	HESC 2413 Family Relations	3
ENGL 1013 Composition I	3	PSYC 2003 General Psychology	3
HESC 1501 Issues & Trends in HESC	1	ENGL 1023 Composition II (Pre- ENGL 1013)	3
HDFS 1423 Observation & Foundations for Teaching Young Children	3	Science Core Elective	4
MATH Core Elective	3	COMM 1313 Public Speaking or COMM intensive	3
Fine Arts Core Elective	3		
General Elective	1		
Total Semester Hours	15	Total Semester Hours	16
Fall Semester Year 2		Spring Semester Year 2	
Course	Hours	Course	Hours
HDFS 2403/2401L Infant & Toddler Development and Lab	4	HDFS 2433 Child Development (Pre- HESC 1403 or PSYC 2003)	3
History Core Elective	3	HDFS 3453 Parenting and Family Dynamics (Pre- HESC 1403 or PSYC 2003, & COMM 1313)	3
Humanities Core Elective	3	Science Core Elective	4
NUTR 1213 Fundamentals of Nutrition	3	CIED 3023 Survey of Exceptionalities	3
SCWK 3633 Child Welfare: 21 st Century Perspectives	3	SOCI 2013 General Sociology or HESC 2603 Rural Families and Communities	3
Total Semester Hours	16	Total Semester Hours	16
Fall Semester Year 3		Spring Semester Year 3	
Course	Hours	Course	Hours
HDFS 2473/2471L Child Guidance and lab (Pre- HDFS 2433)	4	HDFS 4332/4332L Curriculum & Assessment Birth to Three Years and Lab (Pre- HDFS 2403/2401L)	4
HDFS 4763 Analytical Approaches to Research in HDFS I	3	HDFS 4773 Analytical Approaches to Research in HDFS II	3
CIED 3103 Children's Literature	3	CIED 499V Special Topics in Curriculum & Instruction Education ¹	3
CIED 3113 Emergent & Developmental Literacy	3	General Elective	4
HDFS 3333 Language and Literacy Pedagogy for Birth Through Kindergarten Educators	3		
Total Semester Hours	16	Total Semester Hours	14
Fall Semester Year 4		Spring Semester Year 4	
Course	Hours	Course	Hours
HDFS 4342/4342L Curriculum & Assessment Three Years through Kindergarten and Lab (Pre- HDFS 2473/2471L)	4	HDFS 4313 Building Family and Community Relations	3
HDFS 4463 Administration and Leadership in the Helping Professions	3	HDFS 4373 Field Experience in Birth Through Kindergarten Programs (Pre- HDFS 4332/4332L & HDFS 4342/4342L)	3
HIST 3383 Arkansas & The Southwest	3	HDFS 4383 Field Experience in Birth – Kindergarten Programs II (Pre- HDFS 4332/4332L & HDFS 4342/4342L)	3
General Electives	2	SPED 4413 ABA and Classroom Management	3
SPED 4493 Introduction to Students with Autism Spectrum Disorders	3		
Total Semester Hours	15	Total Semester Hours	12
		TOTAL HOURS	120

¹ Students must complete a CIED 499V (3 hours) in which the topic is in the area of Special Education.