

**TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY  
HDFS MASTER OF SCIENCE SPECIALIZATION  
COURSE SUBSTITUTION**

<b><u>REQUIRED COURSES: 19 hours</u></b>	<b><u>Semester</u></b>	<b><u>Hours</u></b>
HDFS 5110 Colloquium in HDFS	_____	1
HDFS 5321 Family Theory	_____	3
HDFS 5349 Quantitative Methods I (Intro to Statistics)	_____	3
HDFS 5310 Theories of Human Development	_____	3
HDFS 5351 Research Methods	_____	3
HDFS 6000 Thesis	_____	3
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**SPECIALIZATION AND ELECTIVE REQUIREMENTS COURSES (15 hours):**

At least 3 courses from inside the HDFS specialization and 2 elective courses from inside or outside the HDFS specialization are required.

	<b><u>Semester</u></b>	<b><u>Hours</u></b>
HDFS 5302 Introduction to Gerontology	_____	3
HDFS 5311 Problems in HDFS	_____	3
HDFS 5313 Psychosocial Development	_____	3
HDFS 5314 Infant Development	_____	3
HDFS 5317 Adolescent Development	_____	3
HDFS 5319 Adult Development	_____	3
HDFS 5320 Interpersonal and Family Dynamics	_____	3
HDFS 5341 Socialization and Addiction	_____	3
HDFS 5344 Aging and the Family	_____	3
HDFS 5352 Sex and Gender Roles	_____	3
HDFS 5353 Issues and Research in HDFS	_____	3
(5353 may be taken multiple times and includes these courses: Grant Writing, Writing for Publication, Other topics as needed).		
HDFS 5361 Parent-Child and Peer Relationships	_____	3
HDFS 6363 Advanced Topics in Human Development	_____	3

(6363 may be taken multiple times and includes these courses: Language Development; Development and the Brain; Gender Role Development; Cognitive Development in Childhood; Cultural Issues in Child Development; Race, Poverty, and Ethnicity in Human Development; Other topics as needed)

Specialization and Elective Requirements (B. Cont ...)		<u>Semester</u>	<u>Hours</u>
HDFS 6373	Advanced Topics in Family Studies (6373 may be taken multiple times and includes these courses: Family Strengths and Diversity; Family Life Education & Ethics; Family Law and Public Policy; Biosocial Issues in the Family; Work and the Family: Other topics as needed)	_____	3
HDFS 5380	Relationship Development	_____	3
HDFS 6320	Introduction to Risk Taking	_____	3
HDFS 6330	Family Problems	_____	3
HDFS 6371	Practicum in HDFS	_____	3
HDFS 6390	Program Planning and Evaluation	_____	3
	Inside or Outside Elective	_____	3
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