

CURRICULUM MAP



MERRIMACK COLLEGE

Human Development & Human Services, BA

YEAR ONE

FALL

Human Development 1 – HDE 1001	4 credits	Major Requirement
Intro to Human Services – HDE 1020	4 credits	Major Requirement
Religion Course	4 credits	FC Core Requirement (RTS)
First Year Seminar – FYS 1947	4 credits	FC Core Requirement (FYS)

Total Credits – 16

SPRING

Human Development 2 – HDE 1001	4 credits	Major Requirement
Ethics, Identity & Society – HDE 2130	4 credits	Major Requirement & FC Core Requirement (C&S)
FC Core Credential #1	4 credits	FC Core Requirement (Certificate or Minor)
Open Elective/Minor	4 credits	Open Elective

Total Credits – 16

YEAR TWO

FALL

Humanities Course	4 credits	FC Core Requirement (HUM)
FC Core Credential #2	4 credits	FC Core Requirement (Certificate or Minor)
Biological Bases of Development – HDE1600	4 credits	Major Requirement & FC Core Requirement (STEM)
Open Elective/Minor	4 credits	Open Elective

Total Credits – 16

SPRING

Social Science Course	4 credits	FC Core Requirement (SOSC)
FC Core Credential #3	4 credits	FC Core Requirement (Certificate or Minor)
Major Elective #1	4 credits	Major Requirement
Career Design - WIN1000	1 credit	Major Requirement
Open Elective/Minor	4 credits	Open Elective

Total Credits – 17

YEAR THREE

FALL

Research Methods – HDE 3000	4 credits	Major Requirement (Q, W)
Major Elective #2	4 credits	Major Requirement
FC Core Credential #4	4 credits	FC Core Requirement (Certificate or Minor)
Open Elective/Minor	4 credits	Open Elective

Total Credits – 16

SPRING

Major Elective #3	4 credits	Major Requirement
Mental Health Across the Lifespan - HDE2600	4 credits	Major Requirement
Open Elective/Minor	4 credits	Open Elective
Open Elective/Minor	4 credits	Open Elective
Career Readiness - WIN1050	1 credit	Major Requirement

Total Credits – 17

YEAR FOUR

FALL

Major Elective #4	4 credits	Major Requirement
Open Elective/Minor	4 credits	Open Elective
Open Elective/Minor	4 credits	Open Elective
Open Elective/Minor	4 credits	Open Elective

Total Credits – 16

SPRING

Field Experience - HDE4850/4851	4 or 8 credits	Major Requirement
Senior Seminar – HDE 4900	4 credits	Major Requirement
Open Elective/Minor	4 credits	Open Elective

Total Credits – 12 or 16

Notes: This is a sample curriculum map. Students may progress toward graduation using alternative pathways. In addition, 'FC Core Requirement' signifies that the course is required as part of the *Foundations and Connections Core* - the College's general education program.