BIRTH THROUGH KINDERGARTEN TEACHER EDUCATION, B.S.

Overall Requirements
• 120 credit hours, to include at least 36 credits at or above the 300 course level.

Degree Program Requirements

University Requirements (https://catalog.uncg.edu/academic-regulations-policies/undergraduate-requirements/undergraduate-degrees-and-degree-requirements/)

General Education Requirements - Minerva’s Academic Curriculum (MAC) (https://catalog.uncg.edu/academic-regulations-policies/undergraduate-requirements/general-education-program/)

Major Requirements

Required
Code  Title    Credit Hours
HDF 111  Human Development Across the Life Span 46
HDF 112  Families and Close Relationships
HDF 202  Infant and Child Development
HDF 250  Introduction to Birth through Kindergarten Education and Programs
HDF 315  Assessment and Planning for Inclusive B-K Programs
HDF 330  Family Diversity
HDF 341  Social Emotional Competence in Inclusive Settings
HDF 390  Families and Children in Global Perspective
HDF 420  Birth to Kindergarten Teaching Practicum I
HDF 425  Infants and Toddlers: Development, Learning, and Curriculum
HDF 435  Preschool: Development, Learning, and Curriculum
HDF 436  Kindergarten: Development, Learning, and Curriculum
HDF 440  Birth to Kindergarten Teaching Practicum II
HDF 468  Diversity in Inclusive Early Care and Education
HDF 470  Leadership in Early Education

Option A
BIO 105 & 105L  Major Concepts of Biology and Major Concepts of Biology Laboratory

Option B
BIO 111  Principles of Biology I

Option C
CHE 101 & CHE 110  Introductory Chemistry and Introductory Chemistry Laboratory

Option D
GES 103 & 103L  Introduction to Earth Science and Earth Science Laboratory
or GES 108  Our Dynamic Planet

Option E
ATY 153 & 153L  Introduction to Biological Anthropology and Introduction to Biological Anthropology Laboratory

Teacher Education Requirements
To be admitted to Teacher Education, students must achieve a 3.0 overall GPA. Students are also required to be certified in First Aid and CPR prior to student teaching.

Required
Code  Title    Credit Hours
Student Teaching
HDF 460  Supervised Student Teaching 12
HDF 461  Student Teaching Seminar

Additional Courses
KIN 342  Teaching Motor Skills to Preschool Children
NUR 345  Basic Health Management of Children
SES 242  Introduction to Exceptional Children: Early Years
SPA 121  Basic Spanish for Teachers
TED 416  Emergent Literacy and Literature

Electives
Electives sufficient to complete 120 total credit hours required for degree.

Disciplinary Honors in Human Development and Family Studies

Requirements
• A minimum of 12 credit hours as defined below.
• UNC Greensboro cumulative GPA of 3.30 or better or, for transfer students, cumulative GPA of 3.30 or better from all prior institutions.

Required
Code  Title    Credit Hours
HSS 490  Senior Honors Project 3
6 credits of Honors course work in the major 6
3 credits of Honors course work in the major or another area 3

Recognition
Receive a Certificate of Disciplinary Honors in Human Development and Family Studies; have that accomplishment, along with the title of the Senior Honors Project, noted on the official transcript; and be recognized at a banquet held at the end of the spring semester.
Honors Advisor
Contact Sudha Shreeniwas at s_shreen@uncg.edu for further information and guidance about Honors in Human Development and Family Studies. To apply: http://honorscollege.uncg.edu/forms/disc-application.pdf