

HUMAN ECOLOGY (FAMILY SOCIAL SCIENCES), B.H.ECOL.

Degree Requirements

Faculty Program Requirements

The following are the guidelines for the program requirements in the Degree Program. The courses outlined in the sections which follow, meet these basic requirements.

All students complete a Degree Program core of 9 credit hours consisting of:

Course	Title	Hours
HEAL 2600	Integration of Health Determinants of Individuals	3
HNSC 2000	Research Methods and Presentation ¹	3
HEAL 3000	Introduction to Social Epidemiology ²	3

¹ Formerly HMEC 2000.

² Formerly HMEC 3000.

- Plus a minimum of 51 additional credit hours within the Degree Program;
- Plus a minimum of 27 additional credit hours outside the Degree Program of which at least 6 credit hours must be from the Faculty of Science and six from the Social Sciences;
- Plus a minimum of 12 additional credit hours of free electives leading to a degree requirement of 120 (123) credit hours.

Notes:

Students admitted before September, 2005 and graduating after May, 2005, will make the following program adjustments:

- Family Social Sciences students must complete an additional 3 credit hours of FMLY electives at the 3000-4000 level.

Students admitted between September 2005 and September 2015 are urged to seek academic advising assistance for advice regarding completion of core course requirements.

Program Electives

Courses within each program fall into one of three categories:

- Program electives must be chosen from within the program department.
- Outside electives must be chosen from a Faculty other than the Bachelor of Human Ecology Family Social Sciences Degree Program.
- Free electives may be chosen from within or outside the Degree Program.

Courses to be taken by all Family Social Sciences students:

Course	Title	Hours
STAT 1000	Basic Statistical Analysis 1	3
One of the following:		3
STAT 2000	Basic Statistical Analysis 2	
Any other Science course		
One of the following: ¹		3-6

ECON 1010	Introduction to Microeconomic Principles	
ECON 1020	Introduction to Macroeconomic Principles	
ECON 1210	Introduction to Canadian Economic Issues and Policies	
ECON 1220	Introduction to Global and Environmental Economic Issues and Policies	
HNSC 2000	Research Methods and Presentation ²	3
HEAL 2600	Integration of Health Determinants of Individuals	3
HEAL 3000	Introduction to Social Epidemiology ³	3
FMLY 1000	Families in Contemporary Canadian Society	3
FMLY 1010	Human Development in the Family	3
FMLY 1012	Introduction to Social Development	3
FMLY 1420	Family Management Principles	3
FMLY 2400	Family Financial Health	3
FMLY 2500	Diversity and Families	3
FMLY 3750	Fundamentals of Health Promotion	3
FMLY 3780	Introduction to the Development of Programs for Children and Families	3
FMLY 3790	Introduction to the Evaluation of Programs for Children and Families	3
PSYC 1200	Introduction to Psychology	6
24 credit hours in Program Electives		24
3 credit hours in FMLY Electives ⁴		3
12-15 credit hours in Outside Electives		12-15
27 credit hours in Free Electives		27
Total Hours		117-123

¹ If students choose ECON 1010 and ECON 1020 (formerly ECON 1200) or ECON 1210 and ECON 1220, 12 credit hours of outside electives are required.

² Formerly HMEC 2000.

³ Formerly HMEC 3000.

⁴ Any non-required FMLY course is a Bachelor of Human Ecology (Family Social Sciences) program elective. At least one of the non-specified program electives must be at the 3000-4000 level. For more information, students are asked to contact the Academic Advisor for the Bachelor of Human Ecology Family Social Sciences Degree Program.

Note:

- All courses listed in the general Family Social Sciences section (above) are required. In addition, students must choose at least one area (Option) in which to focus their studies. In the following section, the courses required to fulfill each Option are listed. They will partially meet department, outside and free elective requirements. More courses will be required to complete the 120 credit hour degree. Students are encouraged to take more than one Option. Each Option must consist of 18 non-overlapping credit hours; that is, no course can satisfy the requirement of more than one Option.