

## FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE

The Family and Consumer Science associate degree major is a cultural core program that provides transfer opportunities in five possible areas: clothing and textiles, child development and family relations, food and nutrition/food services, design and housing, and general family and consumer science.

A degree in Family and Consumer Science endorses a foundation for paid employment in many entry-level jobs in the above-mentioned fields. Advanced education, depending on the area of specialization, opens the door to jobs in industry, business, government, education, and private agencies.

**Learning Outcomes:** Upon successful completion of the program, students will be able to:

- Recognize the development of individuals who are effective family members, citizens, and income earners.
- Recognize the relationships among the physical, social, emotional, and intellectual environments in and of the home and family.

### Associate in Arts Degree (Career Technical)

Associate Degree Major Requirements	Units
<b>REQUIRED CORE:</b>	<b>31.5</b>
ARTB 2 Visual Fundamentals: Two-Dimensional Design (3)	
BUSI 60 Financial Planning and Money Management (3)	
CHEM 10 Everyday Chemistry (3)	
CHEM 10L Everyday Chemistry Lab (1)	
ECED 1 Child Growth and Development (3)	
FACS 56 Life Management (3)	
FASH 15 Textiles (3)	
FASH 61 Garment Construction I (1.5)	
INTD 50A Introduction to Interior Design (3)	
NUTF 1 Nutrition (3)	
NUTF 3 Nutrition Issues (2)	
SOCI 40 Sociology of Marriage and Families (3)	
<b>Select three courses from the following:</b>	<b>1.5-2.5</b>
HOSP 77 Bakeshop: Yeasted and Non-Yeasted Breads (.5)	
HOSP 78 Bakeshop: Basic Baking Techniques (1)	
HOSP 81 Bakeshop: Pies and Tarts (.5)	
HOSP 82 Bakeshop: Cakes, Tortes and Decorating Tech. (1)	
HOSP 83 Bakeshop: French Pastries/Rest.-Style Desserts (.5)	
HOSP 84 Chocolate I: Introduction to Chocolate (.5)	
HOSP 88 Chocolate II: Chocolates and Confections (.5)	
HOSP 180 Food Safety Certification (.5)	
<b>Select three units from the following:</b>	<b>3</b>
BUSI 22 Human Behavior/Leadership (3)	
FASH 68 Flat Pattern Design I (3)	
PSYC 25 Lifespan Development (3)	
PSYC 40 Human Sexuality (3)	
SPCH 3 Interpersonal Communication (3)	
<b>TOTAL MAJOR UNITS</b>	<b>36-37</b>
<b>Associate Degree Requirements (as described above)</b>	<b>36-37</b>

Complete Competency Requirements and MPC General Education Pattern for a total of 60 degree-applicable units (see pages 72-73, 76 in the 2017-18 MPC Catalog).

