How to Choose Your General Education (GE) Courses

Focus Area

Family Matters

Coursework in interpersonal dynamics, development, and cultural and social factors as they relate to the family

This document does not outline an Ohio State major or minor, nor is it a comprehensive description of the GE categories or courses required by your program. Rather, it is a guide to selecting General Education coursework based on your personal interests.

Writing and Communication II*:  
HDFS 2367 – American Family Issues  
Sociol 2367.03H – Work and Family in the United States

Social Science:  
HDFS 2200 – Family Development  
HDFS 2350 – Parenting  
HDFS 2400 – Life Span Human Development  
HDFS 2410 – Child Development  
HDFS 3440 – Human Sexuality  
RurlSoc 1500 – Introduction to Rural Sociology  
Sociol 2320 – Sociology of Education  
SphHrng 3330(H) – Language Acquisition  
SphHrng 3350 – Speech-Language Communication Across the Life Span: Issues and Problems in Our Communities

Literature:  
CompStd 3603(H) – Love in World Literature  
EduTL 2368 – Introduction to Children’s Literature

Historical Study:  
History 2270 – Love in the Modern World  
History 2275 – Children and Childhood in the Western World  
History 3650 – Families in Historical Perspective

* Some 2nd Writing courses may also fulfill other GE categories.