

## HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

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The Home Economics Department aims to develop the knowledge, appreciation and skills essential to successful personal living and to home and family life. It also prepares for various professional careers: teachers of homemaking; home demonstration agents with the agricultural extension service; dietitians in hospital or institutional food service; nutritionists; home economists in social welfare, journalism, radio or television, or in businesses concerned with the production or merchandising of food products, textiles, clothing, home furnishings, or household equipment.

The courses in home economics fall into the following areas: child development; family relations; food and nutrition; dietetics and institutional management; clothing and textiles; housing, furnishing, and equipment; management of time, energy and finance; home economics education. A program may be planned to stress a particular area, but all curricula are planned to provide the background needed for intelligent and successful everyday living and to provide the base for professional career training.

## MAJORS

The minimum requirement for a bachelor of arts degree major in home economics consists of 24 units of home economics, 12 of which must be upper division. The courses to be taken must be arranged with the department chairman and include work in each of the home economics areas. This minimum major is planned for the student who wishes to take extensive work in other departments but is interested in developing the capacity to establish and maintain an attractive and happy home.

In preparation for various careers in the field of home economics, the following areas of emphasis may be programmed. A complete suggested sequence of courses for each program may be obtained from home economics advisers.

**Home Economics in Business:** A home economics major of maximum breadth and depth supplemented by appropriate courses chosen from business, art, journalism, and speech.

**Home Economics in Journalism:** A broad major in home economics plus selected journalism courses in reporting, editing, feature writing, and public relations.

**Home Economics in Radio and Television:** Home economics courses in all areas with selected courses in speech, radio and television.

**Home Economics and Dietetics:** A home economics major including such courses as quantity cookery, institutional management and dietetics, and meeting the American Dietetics Association requirements in such fields as chemistry, bacteriology, and economics. A year of internship in an approved institution upon completion of the bachelor's degree is required for membership in the American Dietetics Association.

**Home Economics in Social Welfare:** A double major in home economics and social welfare with a psychology minor.

**Home Economics in Agriculture Extension Service:** A special secondary credential major in homemaking education with additional work in radio and television production.

**Home Economics Education:** A credential major in homemaking education supplemented by other credential requirements for junior high school, special secondary, or general secondary credential.

## MINORS

In addition to its regular minor, the department offers minors for elementary education, business, and general secondary credential (page 116). These minors may be varied with permission to meet individual needs and interests.

Home Economics General Minor	Units	Home Economics for Elementary Educ.	Units	Home Economics for Bus. Major	Units
Home Ec. 1	2	Home Ec. 1	2	Home Ec. 38	1
Home Ec. 11	3	Home Ec. 11	3	Home Ec. 40	2
Home Ec. 12a	2	Home Ec. 12a	2	Home Ec. 43	1
Home Ec. 39	2	Home Ec. 39	2	Home Ec. 132	2
Home Ec. 40	2	Home Ec. 40	2	Home Ec. (l.d.)	2
Home Ec. 41	2	Home Ec. 41	2	Home Ec. (u.d.)	4
Home Ec. 43	1	Home Ec. 101	2		
Home Ec. 132	2	Home Ec. 133	2		
Home Ec. 133	2	Home Ec. 139	3		
Home Ec. 139	3				
	21		20		12

## SPECIAL SECONDARY CREDENTIAL IN HOMEMAKING EDUCATION

The special secondary credential in homemaking education authorizes the holder to teach homemaking subjects in elementary and secondary schools. Candidates for this credential must complete the requirements for a bachelor's degree (page 72), have full approval for admission to the credential program (page 148), and complete the following major and professional requirements.

Credential Major in Homemaking Education	Units
Home Ec. 1, Introduction to Home Economics	2
Home Ec. 10a-b, Food Study	6
Home Ec. 11, Textiles	3
Home Ec. 12a-b, Clothing Construction	5
Home Ec. 38, Problems in Home Furnishing	1
Home Ec. 39, The Child in the Family	2
Home Ec. 100, Advanced Clothing	3
Home Ec. 110, Home Management	5
Home Ec. 130, Advanced Foods	2
Home Ec. 131, Marriage and the Family	2
Home Ec. 132, Family Finance	2
Home Ec. 133, Home Furnishings	2
Home Ec. 137, Nutrition	3
Home Ec. 139, Child Development	3
Select from: Home Ec. 21, 43, 50, 101	1-3
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In addition to the above courses the following should be included in the student's program: Art 3, Physiol. 1, Chem. 2a-b. For further information and additional recommended courses, see the department credential adviser.

Professional Requirements	Units
Educ. 109, Audio-Visual Education	2
Educ. 133, Student Teaching: Junior High or Secondary	6
Educ. 173, Secondary Education	2
Educ. 174, Principles and Techniques in Guidance	3
Educ. 185, Development and Learning	4
Home Ec. 140, Methods of Teaching Home Economics	3