

Bachelor of Science

Family and Consumer Sciences Education

College of Education and Human Ecology

The Family and Consumer Sciences Education (FCS ED) program prepares effective teachers who know and can use best teaching practice to make a difference in student learning. Family and Consumer Science (FCS) educators empower individuals and families to manage challenges of living and working in a diverse, global society. Our unique focus is on families, work, and their relationships.

Family and Consumer Sciences programs include courses directed by the State Standards for middle and high schools in Ohio. Course titles taught by licensed FCS teachers include Healthy and Safe Food, Consumer and Financial Literacy, Managing Transitions, Career Search, Healthy Living, and Child Development.

Family and Consumer Sciences Education is a major in the College of Education and Human Ecology that meets requirements for Ohio teacher licensure in Family and Consumer Sciences (FCS).

See more about this major at go.osu.edu/fcsed

Career Areas/Job Titles:

Education

Family and Consumer Sciences Teacher
Researcher
Librarian
4-H Extension Agent
School Administrator
Subject Area Supervisor
Guidance Counselor
Student Affairs Practitioner
Evaluation Specialist

Communication and Media

Grant Writer
Public Relations Coordinator
Textbook Editor
Publisher
Health Professions
Nutritionist
Management and Industry
Curriculum Developer
Consultant
Employee Trainer

Non-Profit/Advocacy

Fundraiser/Development
Activities Coordinator
Social Worker
Non-Profit Director
Community Program Director

Government/Politics

Political Analyst
Lobbyist

**Some careers may require licensure, certification, or further education. Talk to an advisor about specific requirements.*

Transferable Skills:

Expressing Ideas
Facilitating Group Discussion
Provide/Respond to Feedback
Use Technology Effectively
Verbal/Written Communication
Social Perceptiveness

Teamwork
Creativity/Imagination
Developing Evaluation
Strategies
Gathering Information
Identifying Problems

Judgment & Decision Making
Organization Skills
Planning
Prioritizing Tasks
Multi-tasking

*Eligible to Apply for Ohio Licensure

**This is not an extensive list of transferable skills. See larger list of skills you might develop here:*

<http://ccss.osu.edu>

Professional Links:

Leaders in Family and Consumer Sciences Education (LFCSE): <http://ehe.osu.edu/educational-studies/wde/fcsed/lfcse>

Ohio Association Teachers of Family and Consumer Sciences: <http://www.oatfacs.org/>

Ohio Association of Family and Consumer Sciences: <http://www.oafcs.org/>

Ohio Education Association: <http://ohea.org/>