Colorado State University  
**Human Development and Family Studies (B.S.)**  
**Prevention and Intervention Science**

This Major Completion Map is designed to help students and their advisors build a semester-by-semester course schedule that will enable students to complete their degree within the minimum number of semesters established by the program of study. The columns on the left list the full Program of Study, with a hyperlink to CSU’s Online Catalog. The middle section lists Benchmarks, which are typically pre-requisites for subsequent coursework, minimum grades or GPA, courses offered on a limited basis, or degree conditions such as portfolio review or accreditation requirements. Benchmarks must be completed by the end of the term in which they are listed for the student to have a clear path to timely graduation. In most cases, it will be wiser for students to complete benchmarks before the semester in which they are listed in the Benchmarks column. When that is the case, a benchmark will appear earlier in the section on the right listing Strongly Recommended. When building a course schedule for an individual term, students are advised to schedule courses from the Benchmarks and Strongly Recommended columns first. The remaining courses can be more flexibly scheduled over time. Students should average a full credit load each term (typically an average of 15 credits per term) in order to graduate in the minimum number of semesters.

**Distinctive Requirements for Degree Program**

Human Development and Family Studies is an open-entry major for freshmen. For sophomores and above, students must complete and/or be enrolled in HDFS101, PSY 100 or SOC 100 in order to declare HDFS. HDFS prefix courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher. Students will be required to pass a criminal arrest record background check through the Colorado State University Police Department prior to participating in the internship course their senior year. The internship comprises the HDFS 477 and HDFS 488 courses which must be taken together. Students will complete a graduation contract with an HDFS Academic Advisor during the first two weeks of the semester in which they are graduating.

### Freshman Semester 1

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**CO 150 & AUCC 1B**
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POS: FA15

(F) - Fall only course offering

(S) - Spring only course offering

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