Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Sciences, Major in Family and Consumer Sciences (with Consumer Science Option and Minor in Mass Communication)

Minimum required: 120 semester hours

### PALO ALTO COURSE OF STUDY

**Freshman Year-1st Semester**

- ENGL 1301 (ENG 1310) ………………………………. 3
- HIST 1301 (HIST 1310) ………………………………. 3
- MATH 1314 or 1324 (MATH 1315 or 1319) …………. 3
- SPCH 1321 (COMM 1310) ……………………………… 3

**Total** ………………………………………………… 12

**Freshman Year-2nd Semester**

- ENGL 1302 (ENG 1320) ………………………………. 3
- HIST 1302 (HIST 1320) ………………………………. 3
- KINE activity course (PFW course) …………………….. 1
- PHIL 1301 or 2306 (PHIL 1305 or 1320) …………. 3
- Electives ………………………………………………… 3-4

**Total** ………………………………………………… 13-14

### TEXAS STATE COURSE OF STUDY

**Junior Year-Fall Semester**

- ACC 2301 ……………………………………………… 3
- FCS 1341 ……………………………………………… 3
- FCS 1347 ……………………………………………… 3
- ECO 2301 ……………………………………………… 3
- Departmental elective ……………………………………. 3
- US 1100* ……………………………………………… 1

**Total** ………………………………………………… 16

**Junior Year-Spring Semester**

- FCD 3355 or 4351 ………………………………………… 3
- FCS 3391 ……………………………………………… 3
- FCS 4100 ……………………………………………… 1
- FCS 4303 ……………………………………………… 3
- Select two courses from: MC1301, 3375, 4303, 4308, 4309, 4310, 4318, 4319, 4376A, 4382L, 4382M, 4382N, 4382O, 4382P ………….. 6

**Total** ………………………………………………… 16

**Senior Year-Fall Semester**

- FCS 3341 ……………………………………………… 3
- FCS 3342 ……………………………………………… 3
- MC 3355 (Minor) …………………………………………. 3
- MC 3343 (Minor) …………………………………………. 3
- ID 3329 ……………………………………………… 3
- FCS 4341 ……………………………………………… 3

**Total** ………………………………………………… 18

**Senior Year-Summer**

- FCS 4301 ……………………………………………… 3

**Total** ………………………………………………… 3

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1. Select two courses from the Natural Science component area (030) of Palo Alto’s Core Curriculum.
2. Select one course from the Visual and Performing Arts component area (050) of Palo Alto’s Core Curriculum.
3. Select one ENGL course from the Humanities component area (040) of Palo Alto’s Core Curriculum.
4. May be required, depending on the number of core curriculum hours transferred and should be chosen in coordination with an academic advisor.
5. If US 1100 is not required, a one-hour elective may be required in order to meet the minimum hours required for the degree.

**NOTES:**

1. *Italicized* courses satisfy both Palo Alto and Texas State Core Curriculum requirements. Courses in (parentheses) indicate the course transfer equivalents at Texas State.
2. Texas State will apply to a degree up to 66 hours from an accredited two-year college (6-8 hours may be added with college dean approval.)
3. Students may elect to complete courses in a different sequence where possible, but should consult a counselor/advisor before doing so.
4. If two years of the same foreign language were not completed in high school, students must take 6-8 hours of the same foreign language.
5. Upon completion of certain course requirements at Texas State, students may elect to send these hours back to Palo Alto to be applied toward an associate’s degree. This is commonly referred to as “reverse transfer.”
UNIVERSITY ADMISSION:

1. Submit completed Texas Common Application, $60 application fee, and all credentials to the Undergraduate Admissions Office by the stated admission deadline (Fall-July 15, Spring-November 15, Summer I-May 1, Summer II-June 15).

2. Submit an official transcript from each institution attended to the Undergraduate Admissions Office.

3. A minimum 2.25 grade point average (GPA) in all transferable courses is required.

Students transferring directly to Texas State University-San Marcos from a two-year college may elect to follow the Texas State catalog in effect at the time they entered the two-year college, or any subsequent catalog upon approval of the Dean of their College. Students are reminded to refer to their designated catalog for information relating to the University and College requirements for curriculum, graduation, probation/suspension, and other general information.

For more information, contact:
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Texas State reserves the right to withdraw courses at any time, to change its fees or tuition, calendar, curriculum, degree requirements, graduation procedures, and any other requirements affecting students. Changes will become effective whenever authorities determine and will apply to both prospective students and those already enrolled.