

**UNDERGRADUATE COUNCIL
Request for Change(s)**

Originating unit requesting change

Type of Change requested:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Course number(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> | Course prerequisite(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> | Program description |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Course title | <input type="checkbox"/> | Drop course(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> | Program requirements |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Course description | <input type="checkbox"/> | Drop program(s) | | |

Semester and year change(s) take effect:

Appropriate computer abbreviation if
course title is more than 30 spaces:

Briefly summarize the change requested:

Programs Only

Program Name: _____

Current Code: _____ Proposed New Code (list 2): _____ or _____
(ex: INDE-BFA)

Can have second major: ____ Yes ____ No

Current 6-digit CIP Code: _____

Does the change require a new or change in CIP code? ____ Yes ____ No

If yes, what is the proposed 6-digit CIP code? _____

*for reference, please visit: <https://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/cipcode/resources.aspx?v=56>

Catalog copy

Present catalog copy (paste-up from catalog is acceptable).

Proposed change(s). (Include exact catalog copy as desired. Underline changes)

1. What is the justification for the change(s) requested?
2. If applicable, explain how the change(s) will affect the current program outcomes and assessment mechanisms.
3. **Faculty Resources:** How will the unit provide faculty support for this change and any other impact this change may have on other current departmental listings.

4. **Educational Resources:** Will this change require additional resources not currently available (e.g. space, equipment, library, other)? YES
If yes, list additional resources needed. NO

5. If this change affects other units of the University, include a statement signed by the chairperson(s) of the affected unit(s).

6. If cross-listed, provide evidence of approval by all curriculum committees appropriate to both the originating and cross-listed units.

Approval signature of chairperson of originating unit

Current:

The child development major and minor are administered by the Department of Psychology.

Child development is available as a major and a minor on both the BA and BS degrees.

The child development major is a multidisciplinary program drawing upon the strengths of four colleges and nine disciplines:

- Child Development
- Communication Sciences and Disorders
- Sociology
- Criminal Justice and Anthropology
- Education
- Nutritional Sciences
- Nursing
- Psychology
- Social Work

Its interdisciplinary focus is designed for students who wish to go into jobs or areas of study in child development, such as children's mental health, preschools or Head Start, as well as provide comprehensive insight into the issues of child development. The major will also work well for students who wish to double major in areas such as psychology, social work, criminal justice, communication sciences and others. This major provides students who want to work with children in these disciplines an edge in their chosen field of study.

Students who wish to major in child development must have either a minor OR a second major and must apply to the program. Program requirements include a sophomore standing, a minimum 2.5 GPA, a criminal background check and a completed application. Applications are available at www.child.tcu.edu or in the Department of Psychology, Winton-Scott Hall Room 240.

New:

The child development major and minor are administered by the Department of Psychology; students should contact the Karyn Purvis Institute of Child Development for information about these programs.

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- Criminal Justice
- Education
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- Nursing
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- Social Work

Its interdisciplinary focus is designed for students who wish to go into jobs or areas of study in child development, such as children's mental health, child welfare, education, juvenile justice, and non-profit organizations that serve children. The major provides comprehensive insight into the issues of child development, as well as knowledge and skills in developmental trauma and intervention. The major also works well for students who double major in areas such as psychology, social work, criminal justice, communication sciences and others. This major provides students who want to work with children in these disciplines an advantage in their chosen field of study due to the global influence and impact of the Purvis Institute's Trust-Based Relational Intervention® (TBRI®).

Students who wish to major in child development should first declare a child development pre-major (CHDP) and then apply for the major after their first year. To apply to the major, students must have either a minor OR a second major. Major requirements include having a sophomore standing, a

minimum 2.5 GPA, a clear criminal background check (sent to students after the application is screened) and a completed application. Applications are emailed to child development pre-majors at the beginning of the fall and spring semesters.

BS Current

Elective Courses (15 hours)

Choose 5 electives:

ARED 40970	Special Problems	1.00- 21.00
CHDV 30223	Fundamentals of Play	3
CHDV 40223	Fundamentals of Child Life Practice	3
CHDV 40263	Child Development Internship	3
COSD 10303	Survey of Communication Disorders	3
COSD 30203	Language Development for Non-Majors	3
CRJU 30453	Juvenile Justice	3
EDEC 30073	Critical Literacy and Children's Literature	3
EDEC 30103	Introduction to Early Childhood Education	3
EDUC 30143	Child and Adolescent Development	3
EDUC 30603	Study of Exceptional Students	3
FNRT 20903	Children, Creativity and the Fine Arts	3
NTDT 30113	Infant and Child Nutrition	3
PSYC 30363	Abnormal Psychology	3
PSYC 30473	Comparative Psychology	3
PSYC 30483	Human Neuropsychology	3
PSYC 30633	Social and Emotional Development	3
PSYC 40403	Psychology of Counseling	3
PSYC 40443	Child Development in a Cultural Context	3
PSYC 40453	Behavior Disorders of Childhood	3
PSYC 40463	Applied Behavior Analysis	3
SOCI 30303	Marriage and the Family	3
SOWO 30433	Social Work Practice with Children	3
SOWO 30573	Child Welfare	3
SOWO 30843	Human Behavior and Social Environment I	3
SOWO 40413	Animal Assisted Therapy and Social Work	3
SOWO 40563	Grief and Loss	3
	Special Topics/Problems (CHDV, COSD, EDUC, PSYC, SOWO, SOCI or CRJU)	
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BA current

Elective Courses (18 hours)

Choose 2 electives

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CHDV 40223	Fundamentals of Child Life Practice	3

CHDV 40263	Child Development Internship	3
COSD 10303	Survey of Communication Disorders	3
COSD 30203	Language Development for Non-Majors	3
CRJU 30453	Juvenile Justice	3
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