FCS 314. Human Ecology of the Family  Credit 3(3-0)
This course is the study of the family as environment and within environment. Relations of values, goals, standards and decision-making in the management of the family. The unique role of the family in the social, economic, and political system. Prerequisite: SOCI 100. (DEMAND)

FCS 332. Cultural Aspects of Food  Credit 2(2-0)
A study of the influence of cultural and socioeconomic factors on food patterns and nutritional status of selected ethnic groups. Prerequisite: FCS 337. (S; DEMAND)

FCS 336. Contemporary Nutrition  Credit 3(3-0)
This course provides an introductory approach to the principles of nutrition as they relate to human requirements for nutrients during the life cycle; influences of nutrition on growth and development; and the influence of contemporary living as it impacts healthy lifestyle.

FCS 337. Introduction to Human Nutrition  Credit 3(2-2)
This course provides an introductory approach to the principles of nutrition as they relate to human requirements for nutrients during the life cycle; the significance of and mechanism through which nutrients meet these biological needs during the life cycle. Prerequisites: CHEM 106 and 116. Corequisite: BIOL 361. (F;S;SS)

FCS 344. Organizational Management in Food Service  Credit 3(3-0)
This course is designed to study the organizations, management and administration of various food service establishments and the inclusion of personnel management. Prerequisites: FCS 130, 246, and AGEC 446. (F)

FCS 380. Visual Merchandising  Credit 3(3-0)
This course explores the use of visual merchandising and promotional techniques for textile and non-textile products. Prerequisite: FCS 181, 280 or instructor’s permission. (F)

FCS 382. Creative Apparel Design I (Flat Pattern)  Credit 3(2-2)
This course examines the application of principles of creative design by the use of flat pattern techniques. Laboratory experience is required. Prerequisite: FCS 281. (S)

FCS 384. Historic Developments of Costumes and Textiles  Credit 3(3-0)
This course examines the evolution of dress through the study of western dress from ancient to modern times. Individual research is required. Prerequisites: FCS 181 and 183. (S)

FCS 398. Food and Nutritional Biochemistry  Credit 3(3-0)
This course is an introductory course for students in agricultrual, animal, food, and nutritional sciences. The course emphasizes the cellular metabolism, structure, and function of proteins, nucleic acids, carbohydrates, and lipids. Vitamins, mineral, enzymes, and hormones are covered also. Prerequisites: CHEM 106, 116, 107, 117.

FCS 400. Contemporary Housing  Credit 3(2-2)
This course is a study of problems in house planning to meet family needs. Emphasis is placed on the study of house designs, methods of financing and location. (DEMAND)

FCS 401. Family Systems  Credit 3(3-0)
The development of the family and the impact of environmental systems on the life cycle as families move from stages of effective status to crisis status. (S)

FCS 403. Family Economics  Credit 3(3-0)
This course is the study of financial budgeting and planning strategies during the various stages of the family life cycle. Consideration is given to multifaceted consumer problems and resources for problem resolution. (DEMAND)

FCS 410. Practicum in Child Care  Credit 6(2-8)
Six child-care competencies are required for the Child Development Associate credential to be awarded by the National Consortium Credentialing Office. The student will demonstrate mastery of each competency. Prerequisite: Only continuing education students may enroll. (DEMAND)