

B.S. in Child & Family Studies - Family Life Education

Degree Offered 100% Online

2025-2026 MCC-Tarleton State Advising Guide (w/ TCCNS Equivalents)

First two years is the MCC to Tarleton Course Mapping.

First two years course sequence is at the discretion of MCC in coordination with MCC advisors and faculty.



YEAR	TYPICAL FIRST SEMESTER					
F I R S T	MCC Course	Core Category	TCCNS Equivalent	MCC SCH	MCC Prereq or Coreq	Tarleton Course
	ENGL 1301 - Composition I	90	ENGL 1301	3	n/a	ENGL 1301 - Composition I
	Math elective	20	See Options	3	n/a	TSU Core - Mathematics ¹
	Speech elective: SPCH 1311 or SPCH 1315 or SPCH 1321	10	See Options	3	n/a	COMM 1311 - Introduction to Speech Communication or COMM 1315 - Public Speaking or COMM 2302 - Business and Professional Speaking
	Elective: TECA 1311 - Educating Young Children	-	TECA 1311	3	n/a	TECA 1311 - Educating Young Children ^{2,3}
	Component Area Option elective	90	See Options	3	n/a	TSU Component Area Option - General Education Elective
	Total Hours			15		
TYPICAL SECOND SEMESTER						
	MCC Course	Core Category	TCCNS Equivalent	MCC SCH	MCC Prereq or Coreq	Tarleton Course
	ENGL 1302 - Composition II	10	ENGL 1302	3	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1302 - Composition II
	Life & Physical Science elective	30	See Options	3	n/a	TSU Core - Life and Physical Science ¹
	Social/Behavioral Sciences elective: SOCI 1301 - Introduction to Sociology	80	SOCI 1301	3	n/a	SOCI 1301 - Introductory Sociology
	HIST 1301 - United States History I	60	HIST 1301	3	n/a	HIST 1301 - United States History I
	Elective: PSYC 2301 - General Psychology	-	PSYC 2301	3	n/a	PSYC 2301 - General Psychology
Total Hours			15			

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S E C O N D	MCC Course	Core Category	TCCNS Equivalent	MCC SCH	MCC Prereq or Coreq	Tarleton Course
	HIST 1302 - United States History II	60	HIST 1302	3	n/a	HIST 1302 - United States History II
	GOVT 2305 - Federal Government	70	GOVT 2305	3	n/a	GOVT 2305 - Federal Government
	Life & Physical Science elective	30	See Options	3	n/a	TSU Core - Life and Physical Science ¹
	Language, Philosophy & Culture elective	40	See Options	3	n/a	TSU Core - Language, Philosophy, & Culture ¹
	Course not offered at MCC - Student will need to take course with Tarleton*	-	PSYC 2315	3	n/a	PSYC 2315 - Psychology of Adjustment
	Total Hours			15		
	TYPICAL SECOND SEMESTER					
MCC Course	Core Category	TCCNS Equivalent	MCC SCH	MCC Prereq or Coreq	Tarleton Course	
Creative Arts elective	50	See Options	3	n/a	TSU Core - Creative Arts ¹	
GOVT 2306 - Texas Government	70	GOVT 2306	3	n/a	GOVT 2306 - Texas Government	
Elective: BIOL 1322 - Nutrition & Diet Therapy	-	HECO 1322 / BIOL 1322	3	n/a	HECO 1322 - Nutrition and Diet Therapy	
Elective: PSYC 2314 - Lifespan Growth & Development	-	PSYC 2314	3	n/a	PSYC 2314 - Lifespan Growth & Development	
Elective: TECA 1303 - Families, School & Community	-	TECA 1303	3	n/a	TECA 1303 - Families, School, & Community ^{2,3}	
Total Hours			15			
	Total MCC Hours:			60		

****Student should speak with their MCC Advisor about what additional courses they need to complete in order to earn their associates degree.****

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YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER					
T H I R D	TSU Requirement	Core Category	TCCNS Equivalent	Credit Hours	Pre-Req or Co-Req	Semester offered
	CHFS 1304 - Infant & Toddler Development ^{2,3}	-	-	3	None	F, SP
	CHFS 3300 - Child Development ^{2,3}	-	-	3	None	F, SP, SU
	CHFS 3310 - Methodology of Family Life Education ³	-	-	3	None	F
	CHFS 3333 - Family Financial Management ³	-	-	3	None	F, SU
	SOCW 3303 - Social Work with Diverse Populations	-	-	3	None	F, SP, SU
	Total Hours			15		
	SECOND SEMESTER					
S E C O N D	TSU Requirement	Core Category	TCCNS Equivalent	Credit Hours	Pre-Req or Co-Req	Semester offered
	EDUC 2301 - Introduction to Special Populations ²	-	EDUC 2301	3	None	F, SP, SU
	CHFS 3316 - Human Intimacy ³	-	-	3	None	SP
	CHFS 4309 - Parenting ³	-	-	3	None	F, SP, SU
	PSYC 2308 - Child Psychology	-	PSYC 2308	3	None	SP, SU
	PSYC 3303 - Educational Psychology	-	-	3	None	F, SP, SU
	Total Hours			15		

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F O U R T H	TSU Requirement	Core Category	TCCNS Equivalent	Credit Hours	Pre-Req or Co-Req	Semester offered
	CHFS 4320 - Early Intervention Services ³	-	-	3	None	F, SP
	PSYC 3307 - The Human Lifespan	-	-	3	None	F, SP
	CHFS 4356 - Research Methods in Human Sciences(WI) ³	-	-	3	Prereq: CHFS 3300	F, SP
	CHFS 3353 - Child & Youth Guidance ^{2,3}	-	-	3	None	F, SP
	CHFS 4360 - Preprofessional Development ³	-	-	3	None	F, SU
	Total Hours			15		
	SECOND SEMESTER					
TSU Requirement	Core Category	TCCNS Equivalent	Credit Hours	Pre-Req or Co-Req	Semester offered	
F I F T H	SOCW 4311 - Child Welfare	-	-	3	None	F, SP, SU
	CHFS 4085 - Internship Seminar ^{2,3}	-	-	3	Prereq: CHFS 3300	F, SP
	CHFS 4350 - Policies & Ethical Standards (WI) ³	-	-	3	Prereq: CHFS 3300	F, SP
	CHFS 3322 - Fragile Family Systems ³	-	-	3	Prereq: CHFS 3300	SP
	COMM 3304 - Interpersonal Communication	-	-	3	Prereq: COMM 1311, COMM 1315, or COMM 2302	F, SP, SU
	Total Hours			15		
	Total MCC-Tarleton Program Hours:			120		

Footnotes:

1 - See Tarleton Website for options for this core category - <https://www.tarleton.edu/generaleducation/core-categories/>

2- Field experience required

3 - Grade of C or higher is required

4 - See Tarleton's Course Index for options for this course: <https://catalog.tarleton.edu/courses/>