Family and Consumer Sciences, Youth Development specialization lowa State University

For students who began program Fall 2021 AND AFTER

Block	ISU Course (all 3 credits)	Master's Degree	Youth Development Specialist Graduate Certificate	Youth Program Management and Evaluation Graduate Certificate		
Block I:	YTH 502: Foundations of Positive Youth Development	Required	Required	Required		
Foundational Skills (required in first 1-2 semesters)	YTH 540: Youth Professionals as Consumers of Research	Required				
	YTH 634: Youth Development	Required	Required			
Remaining required courses may be taken in any order (unless where noted).						
Block II:	YTH 510: Adolescents & Families	Required	Elective			
Relational Dynamics	YTH 560: Youth-Adult Relationships	Required	Elective			
& Positive Youth	*Will become available Fall 2022					
Development	YTH 530: Youth in Cultural Contexts	Elective	Elective			
	YTH 570N: Understanding Normative Behavior in Immigrant & Minority Youth *Will not be offered beyond Fall 2021	Elective				
	YTH 570R: Youth, Sports & Society	Elective	Elective			
	YTH 570U: Adolescent Health & Sexuality *Will become available Fall 2022	Elective	Elective			
Block III: Contexts of Youth Practice & Policy	YTH 520: Positive Youth Development in Community Settings	Required	Elective	Elective		
	YTH 550: Youth Policy	Required	Elective	Elective		
	*Should be taken in last semester					
	YTH 570L: Youth Mental Health	Elective	Elective	Elective		
	YTH 570T: Systems of Care for Youth at Risk *Will become available Spring 2023	Elective	Elective			

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Block IV:	YTH 580: Youth Development Personnel and Program	Required		Required
Youth Program	Management			
Management,	YTH 585: Design and Evaluation of Youth Programs	Required		Required
Evaluation, and	YTH 589: Grants Development and Management	Elective		Elective
Administration	YTH 570P: Youth, Families, & Technology	Elective		Elective
Block V:	YTH 691 Internship or YTH 599 Creative Component or	Required		
Culminating	YTH 598 Capstone			
Experience				
TOTAL REQUIRED CREDITS		36 credits (9 required courses, choice of 2 elective courses, and culminating experience)	12 credits (2 required courses and choice of 2 electives as listed)	12 credits (3 required courses and choice of 1 elective as listed)