Family and Consumer Sciences (M.S.)

Master of Science. Major in Family and Consumer Sciences.

A letter of intent, which includes a statement of goals, objectives, and academic interests, and three letters of recommendation are required for admission. Information may be obtained at the school.

1. Thesis Option: Thirty credits of course work including a 13-credit emphasis area in family and consumer sciences and related areas, two graduate seminars, courses in theory and research methods and analysis, and at least 6 credits of thesis research.

2. Non-thesis Option: Thirty-four credits of course work including a 17-19 credit emphasis area in family and consumer sciences and related areas, two graduate seminars, courses in theory and research methods and analysis, and a master’s project.

Please see the Family and Consumer Sciences graduate handbook (https://www.uidaho.edu/cals/family-and-consumer-sciences/graduate-handbook/) for details and program requirements on earning the Master’s in Family and Consumer Sciences degree.

1. Use interdisciplinary strategies to identify prevention or solutions for emerging issues for individuals, families, and communities.

2. Demonstrate competence in content area.

3. Work successfully on teams and contribute positively to interdisciplinary projects.

4. Articulate the philosophy, integration, and benefits of the Family and Consumer Sciences perspective.

5. Adhere to, model, and advocate for professional and ethical standards.