

UPDATED SPRING 2019

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES-FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION PROJECT

An individual project completed and implemented by the student in conjunction with their internship site supervisor. Students work with the faculty university supervisor and their internship site supervisor to identify a need within their placement agency/organization/business and the community. The student must then develop and deliver a family life education project during the time they are working in the internship placement. Upon completion of the internship, the family life education program project remains with the agency or organization for their future use.

The Family Life Education project should reflect at least one of the Family Life Education content areas:

1. Families and Individuals in societal contexts
2. Internal Dynamics of Families
3. Human Growth and Development Across the Lifespan
4. Human Sexuality
5. Interpersonal Relationships
6. Family Resource Management
7. Parent Education and Guidance
8. Family Law and Public Policy
9. Professional Ethics and Practice
10. Family Life Education and Methodology

The Family Life Education project should give the student the opportunity to interact directly with the population served by the agency or organization

Potential Family Life Education projects include are not limited to:

1. Developing and delivering a workshop on parenting skills, discipline, communication skills, etc.
2. Working with people individually or in small or large groups teaching goal setting, decision making, money management skills, etc.
3. Enriching/teaching skills development to individuals in a support group
4. Developing and delivering a lecture or presentation on an educational topic related to individuals or families

The faculty internship supervisor is available to answer any questions regarding the Family Life Education project the student or internship site supervisor may have. The student is required to present the Family Life Education project during a poster presentation on the campus of Winthrop University with a specific time and location to be announced at a later date.