

# ***Specialty in Developmental Psychology***

## **Requirements Checklist**

Students majoring in Psychology (either B.A. or B.S. degree) may choose to complete a Specialty in Developmental Psychology. Specialty coursework can be used to fulfill major requirements (e.g. Domain and Elective requirements). Completion of a Specialty is recognized with a certificate from the Department, but does not show on a student's transcript. In exceptional circumstances, some flexibility in fulfilling requirements for the Specialty may be possible, with Advisor permission.

Students who complete the Specialty in Developmental Psychology are presented with a certificate recognizing their achievement. To obtain this certificate, submit this completed form to the Psychology Advising Coordinator, Room 312B Math-Psychology prior to the end of the semester in which you plan to graduate. (rev. 5/19 DP)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Campus ID \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Core Requirements** (*ALL of the following*):

PSYC 200 (Child Developmental Psychology)

PSYC 210 (Psychology of Learning)

PSYC 304 (Adolescent Psychology)

PSYC 307 (Psychology of Aging)

PSYC 407 (Advanced Child Psychology)

Semester Completed

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**Research/Internship** (*ONE of the following: 3-credit min. Advisor approval required*):

PSYC 397 (Research Experience)

PSYC 398 (Internship)

PSYC 490 (Independent Research)

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**Choose THREE courses from the list below, at least one from each Focus Group:**

***Special Populations Focus:***

PSYC 305 (Exceptional Child)

PSYC 308 (Child Maltreatment)

PSYC 357 (Psychology of Women)

PSYC 365 (Children with Disabilities)

PSYC 382 (Child and Adolescent Psychopathology)

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***Applied Focus:***

PSYC 320 (Psychological Assessment)

PSYC 330 (Child Development and Culture)

PSYC 409 (Development and Education)

PSYC 465 (Family Psychology)

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Note: With Advisor approval, Special Topics seminars (PSYC 393; 493) may fulfill a Focus Group requirement.