



SACRAMENTO
STATE

Course Change Proposal Form A



Academic Group (College): Education	Academic Organization (Department): Child Development	Date: 5/3/07
Type of Course Proposal: New ___ Change <u>X</u> Deletion ___	Department Chair: Karen Horobin	Submitted by: Karen O'Hara
Does this course fulfill a requirement for single-subject or multiple subject credential students? Yes ___ No <u>X</u>	For Catalog Copy: Yes <u>x</u> No ___ CCE: Yes ___ No <u>x</u>	Semester Effective: Fall <u>x</u> Spring ___, 2008

This course replaces experimental course Subject Area (prefix) and Catalog Number (course number):	
This Catalog Number (course number) is being replaced:	

Change from:

Subject Area (prefix) & Catalog No. (course no.): CHDV 132	Title: Fieldwork in Child Development	Units: 2
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Change to:

Subject Area (prefix) & Catalog No. (course no.): CHDV 132	Title: Fieldwork in Child Development	Units: 3
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JUSTIFICATION:

The addition of an extra unit to the course will help us to expand the learning opportunities that students have in this course, especially the amount of hands-on practical experience they get in the field. Extra field work will help students to spend more time in the "real-world" applying the concepts they learn in this class and other child development classes. This will enhance their career exploration, which is one of the main objectives of the course. Additionally, students can be exposed to more material on professional development and professional ethics. On a more practical note, this extra unit is required for the Child Development Permit Matrix, which many students complete before or after graduation.

NEW COURSE DESCRIPTION: (Not to exceed 80 words, and language should conform to catalog copy. See <http://www.csus.edu/acaf/univmanual/crspsl.htm> - Guidelines for Catalog Course Description)

Directed field experiences in settings selected to meet students' experience and needs. Students are required to work at the selected setting and attend an on-campus seminar to explore developmental content and issues. Discussion will also focus on attention to professional development and ethics in community and educational settings working with children and families. May be taken as a core requirement and repeated as an elective. **Prerequisite:** CHDV 030 or CHDV 035, and for CHDV-Integrated, CHDV-Precredential, or Liberal Studies majors only, CHDV 035F. CHDV 133 or CHDV 123, may be taken concurrently. 3 units.

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Corequisite:

CAN (California Articulation Number):

Graded: Letter X Credit/No Credit ___ **Instructor Approval Required? Yes ___ No X**

Course Classification (e.g., lecture, lab, seminar, discussion): **Title for SIS+/CMS (not more than 30 characters)**

Cross Listed? Yes ___ No X **If yes, do they meet together and fulfill the same requirement, and what is the other course.**

How Many Times Can This Course be Taken for Credit? 2

Can the course be taken for Credit more than once during the same term? Yes ___ No X

FOR NEW COURSE PROPOSALS OR SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES ONLY:

Description of the Expected Learning Outcomes: Describe outcomes using the following format: "Students will be able to: 1), 2), etc."
See the example at <http://www.csus.edu/acaf/example.htm>

Students will be able to:

1. Obtain specific knowledge about careers available to someone with a degree in Child Development;
2. Increase their knowledge about what is expected of professionals in the field of Child Development;
3. Increase their knowledge about how to behave ethically as a professional in the field of Child Development;
4. Obtain additional hours of practical experience in a career related to Child Development; and
5. Become more marketable for careers in the field of Child Development with the addition of extra hours of experience and extra knowledge gained.

****Attach a list of the required/recommended course readings and activities [Note: it is understood that these are updated and modified as needed by the instructor(s).] This attachment should be forwarded only to your Dean's office, not Academic Affairs.**

Assessment Strategies: A description of the assessment strategies (e.g., portfolios, examinations, performances, pre-and post-tests, conferences with students, student papers) which will be used by the instructor to determine the extent to which students have achieved the learning outcomes noted above:

- 1) Attendance and participation both at the fieldwork site and in class
- 2) Performance evaluations/ feedback of site supervisor
- 3) In-class discussion
- 4) Student papers/ reflective journals

For whom is this course being developed?

Majors in the Dept Majors of other Depts ___ Minors in the Dept ___ General Education ___ Other ___

Is this course required in a degree program (major, minor, graduate degree, certificate)? Yes No ___

If yes, identify program(s): Child Development

Does the proposed change or addition cause a significant increase in the use of College or University resources (lab room, computer facilities, faculty, etc.)? Yes ___ No

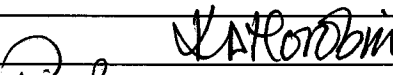
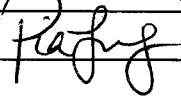
If yes, attach a description of resources needed and verify that resources are available.

Indicate which department or programs will be affected by the proposed course (if any). _____ None _____

The Department Chair's signature below indicates that affected programs have been sent a copy of this proposal form.

Approvals: If proposed change, new course or deletion is approved, sign and date below. If not approved, forward without signing to the next reviewing authority, and attach an explanatory memorandum to the original copy.

Signatures:

	Date
Department Chair: 	5/22/07
College Dean or Associate Dean: 	8/20/07
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Associate Vice President and Dean for Academic Programs	

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