

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

Family and Consumer Sciences Education

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- What is the best part of being an FCS ED major at Ohio State?
The absolute best part of being in the FCS ED major at Ohio State is the individual attention and assistance that you receive from being part of such a small program. If someone's reservation about going to Ohio State for FCS ED is because of its size then put that thought behind you and get there. The professors really get to know you inside and outside of class and will know you as a person.
- How did LFCSE (Leaders in Family and Consumer Sciences Education) contribute to your experience at Ohio State?
Leaders in Family and Consumer Sciences Education gave me and the other FCS ED majors the opportunity to do hands on activities and events together that were similar to things that we might do in our classroom. This organization gives you the ability to exercise your leadership potential and work creatively with the other FCS ED majors and professors. You also got to utilize the various facilities around OSU that you may have not otherwise experienced.
- What was your experience in getting a FCS teaching position after graduating from Ohio State?
The need for FCS teachers is great, you need to be on the lookout for openings, proactive in filling out job applications, and flexible with the type of school, subjects you will teach and the location. It was the most nerve racking part of my senior year but all the people that graduated with me got jobs.
- What do you teach in Family and Consumer Science?
I teach in an area just 20 minutes south of Louisville, Kentucky called Shepardsville. I teach 5 classes total – Child & Human Development, Parenting, Relationships and Child Care Services I & II.
- Describe what you think is the most compelling aspect of being a FCS teacher.
The best part about being an FCS teacher is being able to teach students life skills they need and will inevitably use, possibly even the afternoon they get home from school. Students in our classes learn how to be productive and contributing members to their family, school and community.



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