How to apply

To apply, send completed application, $30.00 application fee, two letters of recommendation, your resume, and a letter of intent to:

Registration Coordinator

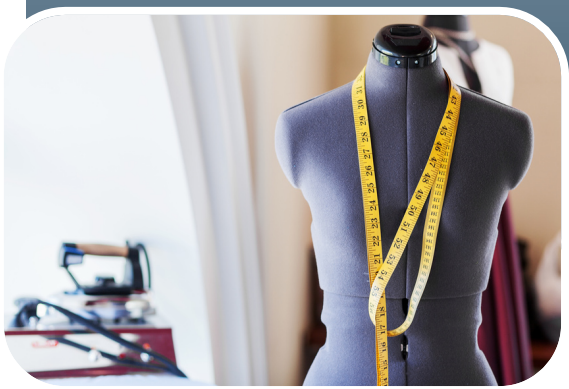
Office of Academic and Professional Development

School of Continuing Education

600 Lincoln Avenue

Charleston, IL 61920

Applications are due March 1st



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Online Master's in FCS at EIU

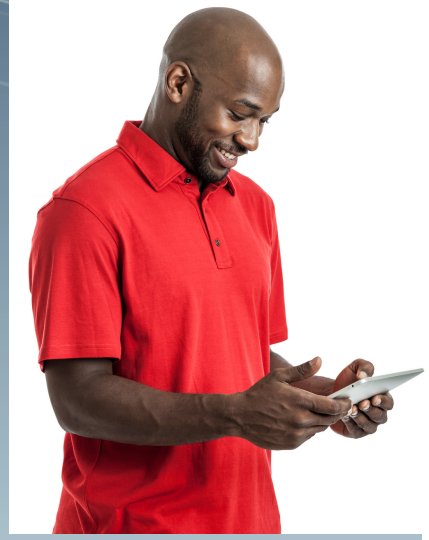
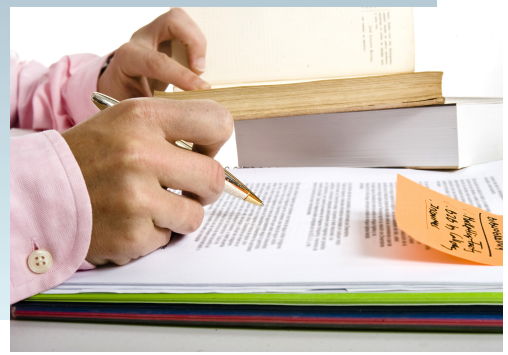
The online Master's in Family and Consumer Sciences graduate program at Eastern Illinois University is a 36-hour program that is affordable, flexible, and practical. It is also the only program in the U.S. that was designed specifically for FCS teachers and allows students to continue teaching full-time while attending graduate school. The program takes seven semesters (a little over two years) to complete. EIU has a textbook rental system, making the program even more affordable for its students.

The online Master's in FCS graduate program at Eastern Illinois University offers current FCS teachers the flexibility they need to continue working full-time while taking courses. The program requires a two-week residency requirement in the summer at the beginning of the program and discounted housing is offered on EIU's campus during this period of time. While students are on campus, they participate in an orientation and earn four credits. All additional coursework is taken online.

The MS in FCS graduate program is accredited by the Illinois Board of Higher Education and the American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences

Curriculum

Required courses:

FCS 4753	Nutrition and the addicted person*
FCS 4770	Family budgeting and debt management
FCS 4838	Pattern development and design*
FCS 4854	Parent-child study and community involvement
FCS 4926	Public presentation techniques
FCS 5157	Disordered eating behaviors
FCS 5158	Childhood obesity
FCS 5301	Consumer and management problems of older people
FCS 5460	Current issues and trends in FCS
FCS 5850	Readings in human development and family studies
FCS 5852	Adolescence and the family
FCS 5900	Research methods in FCS
FCS 5901	Statistics in FCS
FCS 5990	Independent study/thesis/internship
	Comprehensive exams

**Asterisked courses are only offered on campus during the required two-week residency period*