

CHILD AND COMMUNITY, MINOR (0045)

Western Sydney University Minor Code: 0045

Previous Code: SM1099.1

Available to students in other Western Sydney University

Programs: Yes. Check that your program has the available credit points required to complete the subjects in this field of study. Any requisite requirements must also be met. Consult your Program Advisor for further advice.

The Child and Community minor provides a comprehensive introduction to a range of social sciences related areas and a strong grounding in contemporary issues facing children and their families from a critical perspective. This minor provides a good foundation for people interested in a career in the human services with a particular interest in children.

Location

Campus	Mode	Advice
Liverpool Campus	Internal	Dr Neil Hall (n.hall@uws.edu.au)
Parramatta Campus - Victoria Road	Internal	Dr Neil Hall (n.hall@uws.edu.au)
WSU Online*	Online	Dr Neil Hall (n.hall@uws.edu.au)

* Curriculum delivered through an agreement with another party

Recommended Sequence

Qualification for this minor requires the successful completion of 40 credit points as per the below.

Liverpool and Parramatta Campuses

Subject	Title	Credit Points
Autumn session		
WELF 2002	Community Work & Development	
WELF 3006	Family Violence: Policy and Practice	
WELF 3021	Disability Rights, Policy and Governance	
Spring session		
WELF 1002	Context of Human Services	
CULT 1022	Working with Cultural Differences	
HUMN 2015	Community and Social Action	
HUMN 2025	Families and Intimate Life	
WELF 3001	Child Abuse as a Social Issue	
WELF 2001	Community Management and Organisations	

WSU Online

Subject	Title	Credit Points
Trimester 2		
WELF 1002	Context of Human Services	
CULT 1022	Working with Cultural Differences	
Trimester 3		
WELF 2002	Community Work & Development	
HUMN 2015	Community and Social Action	

Trimester 4

HUMN 2025	Families and Intimate Life
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Trimester 5

WELF 3006	Family Violence: Policy and Practice
WELF 3021	Disability Rights, Policy and Governance
WELF 2001	Community Management and Organisations

Trimester 6

WELF 3001	Child Abuse as a Social Issue
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Related Programs

Bachelor of Psychological and Social Sciences (1910) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2024-2025/programs/bachelor-psychological-social-sciences/>)

Bachelor of Psychology (Honours) (1865) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2024-2025/programs/bachelor-psychology-honours/>)

Bachelor of Social Science (1667) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2024-2025/programs/bachelor-social-science/>)

Diploma in Social Science/Bachelor of Social Science (6023) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2024-2025/programs/diploma-social-science-bachelor-social-science/>)