

## Family and Consumer Science

### CHILD DEVELOPMENT COURSE OFFERINGS:

#### **CHILD GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT**

Wonder what careers are available involving children? Take this course to find out! Discover why infants, toddlers, and preschoolers behave as they do and learn effective ways to deal with their behavior. Personal values, goal setting, and decision-making, as related to parenthood, are explored. Students can bring home a computerized baby doll for extra credit. Topics include: parenthood readiness factors & responsibilities, conception, childbirth, and the physical, intellectual, emotional, and social development of children.



#### **CHILDHOOD EDUCATION**

*This course may be elected for a ½ year course (2.5 credits) after completing the full year course.*

Interested in being a teacher? Interested in a future career with children? Then this course is for YOU! Working directly with school age children, primarily in grades 3-6, students act as a teacher's helper during the school day. Class time is spent at both the internship and DHS. Learn first-hand about children and how they learn. Demonstrate valuable job-related skills that will set you apart on a resume and the job hunt.

**Prerequisite:** None

*Please note: Length of internship is dependent upon number of available Supervisory Teachers.*

