

Department of Family and Consumer Sciences

Mission Supporting Documentation

Department Faculty Commitment

As a result of our teaching, we will send students who:

- Possess the skills to promote others' and their own well-being
- Celebrate the diversity and worth of all persons
- Treat others ethically
- View the world with compassion
- Encourage a healthful, holistic approach to life
- Act to serve and lead others

And shape students who are:

- Life-long learners
- Effective communicators
- Critical thinkers
- Models of integrity
- Champions of the underserved
- Responsible, responsive citizens of an ever-changing world
- Advocates who further the quality of life for individuals, families and communities
- Enduring proof of God's grace

Department Tradition of Excellence

The Department of Family and Consumer Sciences emphasizes the many dimensions of human functioning and the importance of studying all its aspects. The department seeks to prepare students for service and leadership in professions with strong family and consumer sciences skills to optimize the well-being of individuals, families, and communities. The faculty is committed to developing and maintaining a close relationship with the students in the department. Point Loma Nazarene University is one of a few small, private universities west of the Mississippi River to offer an accredited Dietetics program and majors in Child and Adolescent Development, Family and Consumer Sciences, Fashion Merchandising, Interior Design, and Nutrition and Health. The curriculum, combined with the faculty's dedication to being involved in students' lives, provides students with excellent opportunities to move into challenging graduate programs or their chosen profession.

Department Majors

Child and Adolescent Development

Dietetics - Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Registered Dietitian Tract

Family and Consumer Sciences

Fashion and Interiors

Concentration in Fashion Merchandising

Concentration in Interior Design

Nutrition and Food

Concentration in Food Service Management

Concentration in Nutrition and Health