

KING'S UNIVERSITY COLLEGE
CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH STUDIES
Effective September 2026

HONOURS SPECIALIZATION IN CHILDHOOD & YOUTH STUDIES	MAJOR IN CHILDHOOD & YOUTH STUDIES	MINOR IN CHILDHOOD & YOUTH STUDIES
<p><u>Admission Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Completion of first-year requirements with no failures. <input type="checkbox"/> An average of at least 70% in 3.0 principal courses, including CYS 1025F/G, plus 2.5 additional courses, with no grade in these principal courses below 60%. <p><u>Module</u> 9.5 courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> 0.5 course from: Writing 1032F/G Intro to Writing for CYS Writing 2230F/G Discourses of Childhood <input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 courses: CYS 2212F/G Childhood and the Law CYS 2214F/G Introduction to Advocacy <input type="checkbox"/> 3.0 courses: CYS electives (2.5 at the 2200-level; 0.5 at the 3300-level or above) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.5 courses from Policy & Law: CYS 3320F/G Child Protection & Criminal Law CYS 3323F/G Street Youth CYS 3340F/G Children in Separation & Divorce CYS 3346F/G Youth Criminal Justice CYS 3360F/G Governing Girlhood CYS 3361F/G Childhood in Canadian History CYS 3365F/G Education Policy & Law CYS 3366F/G Biopolitics of Childhood & Youth CYS 3367F/G Youth, Borders & Migration CYS 3368F/G Childhood & Work CYS 4415F/G Critical Gender Studies <input type="checkbox"/> 1.5 courses from Advocacy & Rights: CYS 3350F/G Activism & Change CYS 3351F/G Facilitating Child Advocacy CYS 3352F/G Child Advocacy Offices CYS 3354F/G Children Saving the World CYS 3355F/G Rights Based Comm. Engagement CYS 3356F/G Child & Youth Climate Activism CYS 3357F/G Forest School Practical Seminar CYS 3370F/G A Right to Play CYS 3371F/G Drama as Inquiry CYS 3380F/G/Z Child Participation Approaches CYS 4413F/G Inquiries of Pedagogies CYS 4414F/G Situating Child-Centred Practice <input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 courses from Research & Analytics: CYS 3311F/G Participatory Methods CYS 3312F/G Life Worlds Research CYS 3313F/G Methods of Discourse Analysis CYS 3314F/G Governmentality Research <input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 courses from: CYS courses at the 4400-level 	<p><u>Admission Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Completion of first-year requirements, including CYS 1025F/G with a minimum grade of 60%. <p><u>Module</u> 6.5 courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> 0.5 course from: Writing 1032F/G Intro to Writing for CYS Writing 2230F/G Discourses of Childhood <input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 courses: CYS 2212F/G Childhood and the Law CYS 2214F/G Introduction to Advocacy <input type="checkbox"/> 2.0 courses: CYS electives (any CYS course at the 2200-level or above) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 courses from Policy & Law: CYS 3320F/G Child Protection & Criminal Law CYS 3323F/G Street Youth CYS 3340F/G Children in Separation & Divorce CYS 3346F/G Youth Criminal Justice CYS 3360F/G Governing Girlhood CYS 3361F/G Childhood in Canadian History CYS 3365F/G Education Policy & Law CYS 3366F/G Biopolitics of Childhood & Youth CYS 3367F/G Youth, Borders & Migration CYS 3368F/G Childhood & Work CYS 4415F/G Critical Gender Studies <input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 courses from Advocacy & Rights: CYS 3350F/G Activism & Change CYS 3351F/G Facilitating Child Advocacy CYS 3352F/G Child Advocacy Offices CYS 3354F/G Children Saving the World CYS 3355F/G Rights Based Comm. Engagement CYS 3356F/G Child & Youth Climate Activism CYS 3357F/G Forest School Practical Seminar CYS 3370F/G A Right to Play CYS 3371F/G Drama as Inquiry CYS 3380F/G/Z Child Participation Approaches CYS 4413F/G Inquiries of Pedagogies CYS 4414F/G Situating Child-Centred Practice <input type="checkbox"/> 0.5 course from Research & Analytics: CYS 3311F/G Participatory Methods CYS 3312F/G Life Worlds Research CYS 3313F/G Methods of Discourse Analysis CYS 3314F/G Governmentality Research <input type="checkbox"/> 0.5 course from: CYS at the 4400-level 	<p><u>Admission Requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Completion of first-year requirements, including CYS 1025F/G with a minimum grade of 60%. <p><u>Module</u> 4.0 courses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> 3.0 courses: CYS courses at the 2200-level or above <input type="checkbox"/> 1.0 courses: CYS courses at the 3000-level <div style="background-color: #008000; color: white; text-align: center; padding: 5px;">**IMPORTANT NOTES**</div> <p>If you take Writing 1020F/G, please take Writing 2230F/G; note: Writing 1020F/G and Writing 1032F/G are antirequisite!</p> <p>Students in the Major and HSP modules:</p> <p>Year 2 courses: Please complete both CYS 2212F/G and CYS 2214F/G in Year 2. These courses serve as prerequisites for the Policy & Law and Advocacy courses, respectively.</p> <p>Year 3 courses: Please complete the Research & Analytics course requirement in Year 3; 0.5 course for Majors, 1.0 courses for HSPs.</p>

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