Online MS Degree Application Checklist

☐ Complete the online application and pay the $50 application fee to the Graduate School of the University of Florida.

☐ Request GRE scores be sent electronically to the University of Florida.

☐ Request two copies of your transcripts from all previously attended colleges or universities. One set of official transcripts must be sent to UF Admissions. The other set must be sent to the FYCS department (this set can be unofficial).

☐ Send official transcripts to the UF Admissions office at:

201 Criser Hall
Office of Admissions
University of Florida
P.O. Box 114000
Gainesville, FL 32611-4000

☐ Send either official or unofficial transcripts to:

Nicole Sloan
Family, Youth and Community Sciences
University of Florida
P.O. Box 110310
Gainesville, FL 32611-0310

☐ Have three letters of recommendation submitted electronically to UF via the online application process. At least one recommendation should be provided by a faculty member familiar with the candidate’s academic performance.

☐ Submit a Statement of Purpose through the online application process. Your Statement of Purpose should be 400-500 words in length and address the following questions

- What previous experience or educational background do you have that will contribute to your ability to achieve an advanced degree in Family, Youth, and Community Sciences?
- What contributions do you feel that you can make to this department and to the University of Florida as a member of our graduate student body?
- Considering the department’s specific coursework and/or individual faculty members’ research areas, what makes you a good fit for the master’s program?

☐ Submit a resume via the online application. Your resume should highlight your educational and professional experiences and be no more than two pages in length.