

Romance Languages - French & Spanish Four Year Academic Plan

Year 1	Fall	Spring
Benchmark 1 Requirements		
Intermediate Proficiency - FREN 203 or SPAN 203	ENGL 101 (AW)* Math (MA)*	Natural Sciences (NS)** Analytic Reasoning (AR)
<i>Must be completed by the end of two semesters</i>	History/Social Sciences (HS)**	Humanities (HU)**
	SPAN 204	FREN 103
	ARHU 158	SPAN 207
	<i>*Must attempt by 30 cr.</i>	
Year 2		
Benchmark 2 Requirements		
Intermediate Proficiency - FREN 203 and SPAN 203	Humanities (HU)** FREN 203	Oral Communication (OC) Scholarship in Practice (SP) #1 **
<i>Must be completed by the end of four semesters</i>	SPAN 301	FREN 204
	Elective 1xx-4xx	SPAN 303
	Elective 1xx-4xx	Elective 1xx-4xx
Year 3		
Benchmark 3 Requirements		
Five courses in major	Natural Science Lab (NL)**	History/Social Sciences (HS)**
<i>Must be completed by the end of six semesters</i>	FREN 250	FREN 301
	SPAN 331, 332, 333 or 361, 362, 363	SPAN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)
	Elective 1xx-4xx	SPAN 331, 332, 333 or 361, 362, 363
	Elective 1xx-4xx	Elective 1xx-4xx
Year 4		
	Professional Writing (PW)	FREN 352
	Scholarship in Practice (SP) #2	FREN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)
	FREN 351	SPAN 331, 332, 333 or 361, 362, 363
	FREN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)	SPAN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)
	SPAN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)	Elective 3xx-4xx
	Total Credits for Degree: 120; 45 credits must be 3xx-4xx	
Note: Some courses for the major may also count toward the General Education requirements.		
**All students must complete two Distributive Studies courses that are approved for I-series courses. The Understanding Plural Societies and Cultural Competence courses may also fulfill Distributive Studies categories.		

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General Education Requirements				Benchmark Requirements		
Fundamental Studies				Year 1 - Benchmark Requirements		
<i>Requirements: 15 credits/5 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	Intermediate Proficiency (FREN 203 or SPAN 203)		
Academic Writing (AW)	ENGL101			Year 2 - Benchmark Requirements		
Professional Writing (PW)				Intermediate Proficiency (FREN 203 and SPAN 203)		
Oral Comm. (OC)				Year 3 - Benchmark Requirements		
Math (MA)				Five courses in major		
Analytic Reasoning (AR)				Major Requirements		
Distributive Studies				<i>Cumulative average of major requirements must be at least a 2.0</i>		
<i>Requirements: 25 credits/8 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	Requirements	Credits	Grade
Natural Science Lab (NL)				<i>I. French (21 credits)</i>		
Natural Sciences (NS)				FREN 204*		
History/Social Sciences (HS)				FREN 250		
History/Social Sciences (HS)				FREN 301		
Humanities (HU)				FREN 351		
Humanities (HU)				FREN 352		
Scholarship in Practice (SP)				FREN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)		
Scholarship in Practice SP (non major)				FREN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)		
I-Series				<i>II. Spanish (21 credits)</i>		
Normally double counted with Distributive Studies				SPAN 207**		
<i>Requirements: 6 credits/2 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	SPAN 301		
I-Series (IS)				SPAN 303		
I-Series (IS)				SPAN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)		
Diversity				SPAN 4xx (Literature or Civilization)		
(overlap permitted with Distributive Studies and/or I-series)				<i>Choice of Spanish or Latin American Focus</i>		
<i>Requirements: 4-6 credits/2 courses</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	SPAN 331 and		
Understanding Plural Soc. (UP)				SPAN 332 and		
Understanding Plural Soc. (UP) or				SPAN 333		
Cultural Competency (CC)				OR		
Experiential Learning- optional				SPAN 361 and		
(overlap permitted with other requirements/courses)				SPAN 362 and		
<i>Requirements: 0-3 credits</i>	Course	Credits	Grade	SPAN 363		
				<i>III. Elective</i>		
				FREN 4xx or SPAN 4xx		
Students must earn a minimum of 120 credits to complete a degree.				<i>*pre-requisites FREN 103 and 203, or equivalent</i>		
University Requirements for Graduation:				<i>**pre-requisites SPAN 103, 203, and 204 or equivalent</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> At least 30 credits must be earned at UMD						
<input type="checkbox"/> 15 of the final 30 credits must be earned at the 300-400 level						
<input type="checkbox"/> 12 upper level major credits must be earned at UMD						
ARHU Requirements for Graduation:						
<input type="checkbox"/> 45 upper level credits						
<input type="checkbox"/> ARHU 158 or equivalent (if applicable)						
<input type="checkbox"/> Global Engagement						