

BACHELOR of ARTS in FRENCH (#665) With Teacher Certification

Department of Modern Languages
Potter College of Arts and Letters
Western Kentucky University

The suggested program of study shown below should be used in consultation with your advisor(s). Every student will finish with a unique plan of his/her own depending on the electives selected.

Placement: You should begin the curriculum at the right level based on your previous knowledge. Read about placement options at www.wku.edu/modernlanguages/placement. If you begin in 101, you should take bi-term classes when available.

Study Abroad: A full semester abroad - or at a minimum 1-2 shorter term study abroad experiences - are strongly recommended. Consult with your advisor and plan ahead.

Success Markers

SAMPLE - 4 year plan

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FIRST YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Visit The Learning Center for free	FREN 101 – Elementary French I	3	FREN 102 – Elementary French II	3
tutoring	ENG 100 Intro to College Writing (F-W1)	3	HIST 101 World History I OR HIST 102 World History II (F-SB)	3
Join a Language Club Go to the International	COMM 145 Fund of Public Speaking & Communications OR COMM 161 Business & Professional Speaking (F-OC)	3	Natural & Physical Science (E-NS)	3
Film Series	MATH 109 General Mathematics OR MATH 116 College Algebra (F-QR)	3	PSY 100 Intro to Psychology (E-SB)	3
	Arts and Humanities (E-AH)	3	General elective	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15

SECOND YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Volunteer or Join a Student Organization	FREN 201 – Intermediate French I (bi-term)	3	FREN 320 – French and Grammar Composition OR FREN 420 – Advanced French Composition and Stylistics	3
	FREN 202 - Intermediate French II (bi-term)	3	FREN Elective (300/400)	3
Attend the Study Abroad Fair Visit Career Services and the Office of Scholar Development	Natural and Physical Sciences with Lab (E-NS, SL)	3	PSY 310 – Educational Psychology: Development and Learning	3
	ENG 200 Introduction to Literature, (F-AH)	3	Connections, Social and Cultural – (K-SC)	3
	EDU 250 – Introduction to Teacher Education	3	General elective	3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15

THIRD YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Apply for Departmental Study Abroad	FREN Elective (300/400)	3	FREN 421 Advanced French Conversation	3
Scholarships	FREN Elective (300/400)	3	FREN Elective (300/400)	3
Plan for an internship experience / get a summer job using your major skills	COMM 200 Communications Foundations or ENG 300 Writing in the Disciplines (F-W2)	3	Connections, Local to Global (K-LG)	3
Visit <u>Career Services</u>	SPED 330 – Introduction to Exceptional Education: Diversity in Learning	3	SEC 453 – Management of Instruction	3
	SEC 351 – Teaching Strategies for Secondary Schools	3	MLNG 410 – Second Language Acquisition	3
			General elective (2 or 3 credits, to plan for 120 by graduation a year away)	2
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	17

FOURTH YEAR	Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Conduct your job search or apply to graduate programs	FREN 323 – French Civilization and Culture	3	EDU 489 – Student Teaching Seminar	3
	FREN Upper Division Literature	3	SEC 490 – Student Teaching	10
Apply for Graduation	FREN Elective (300/400)	3		
Celebrate!	Connections, Systems (K-SY)	3		
	MLNG 474 – Teaching Foreign Language	3		
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	13

Total Credit Hours:120

PLEASE NOTE: Prerequisites, Course Numbers, and Course Titles are subject to change. Consult your advisor each semester.

For more Information:

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Course Descriptions: http://www.wku.edu/undergraduatecatalog/