



FRENCH MAJOR WITH A CONCENTRATION IN TRANSLATION

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This program offers our students a unique opportunity to acquire pragmatic skills with immediate use in the professional world while benefitting from a comprehensive study of the French culture, history and society. The courses are designed to strike a perfect balance between advanced communication in French, cultural mastery, and practical applications. In the literature and civilization courses, the students in this concentration will need to complete a translation project instead of one of the written assignments.

Courses taken on an approved study abroad program may be substituted for elective hours with departmental approval. The 27 hours required in the major exclude FRE 101 and 102. (21) of the (27) required hours must be in 300 level courses. Majors must earn a grade of C or better in all French courses needed to satisfy major requirements. Students who are placed directly in upper-level (5th semester and higher) need to apply for AP credit in order to have FRE 203 and 204 count as electives. Native, near-native, or heritage speakers of French need to take FRE 306, regardless of the level of proficiency.

Students are encouraged to participate in an approved off-campus program in France. In order to graduate with Honors in French, the student must fulfill these minimum requirements: (1) complete six upper-level French courses with at least a 3.6 grade average; (2) complete FRE 425 Senior Honors Thesis/Project with a grade of A; (3) have at least a 3.2 overall GPA.

If any substitutions of waivers of requirements are allowed, please list below and initial.

Course #	Title of Course	Hours Completed	Semester Completed	Grade

MAJOR: French Major with a Concentration in Translation

Student's Last Name	First	Middle Initial
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Advisor

Date Major Declared

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Required Courses (21 hrs):				
FRE 303	Advanced Conversation 3			
FRE 306	Advanced Grammar and Composition 3			
FRE 300	Translation I 3			
FRE 300	Translation II 3			
FRE 399	Translation III (Capstone Project) 3			
One Literature Course:				
FRE 358	The Individual in Society I (From Middle Ages to the French Revolution) 3			
<u>OR</u> FRE 359	The Individual in Society II (19th - 21st Centuries) 3			
One Civilization Course:				
FRE 362	Francophone Civilizations 3			
<u>OR</u> FRE 363	French Civilization 3			
Elective Courses (9 hours):				
	A second course in literature or civilization			
FRE 203	Intermediate French I 3			
FRE 204	Intermediate French II 3			
FRE 305	Commercial French I 3			
FRE 3XX	Commercial French II 3			
FRE 360	Literary Moments and Movements 3			
FRE 361	Topics in Literature and Culture 3			
Total hours (30 hours)				