

UCF Degree Programs

Spanish (B.A.)

College of Arts and Humanities

Department of Modern Languages and Literatures,

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Placement in language courses is based on one year of high school language being equivalent to one semester of college work. For example, four years of high school Spanish place the student in the first semester of the third year. Native Spanish speakers, near-native Spanish speakers, or students who have received advanced education abroad must substitute select classes.

Admission Requirements

- None

Degree Requirements

- 36 credits in Spanish must be taken at the 3XXX level or above.
- At least 6 of the 36 Spanish credits must be at the 4XXX level.
- At least 30 credit hours must be taken in Modern Language courses taught in Spanish.
- Students must earn at least a "C" (2.0) in each upper division Spanish course.
- Departmental Residency Requirement consists of at least 18 semester hours of regularly scheduled 3XXX-4XXX level courses taken from the UCF Department of Modern Languages and Literatures.
- Language credit by exam will not be given in courses lower in level than those in which students are presently enrolled. Native speakers will be allowed Credit by Examination in literature courses only.
- Co-op or internship credit cannot be used in this major.
- Students must see their departmental advisor to obtain proper counseling and have their schedule approved before registering for courses in their major.
- Courses designated in 1 (General Education Program) and 2 (Common Program Prerequisites) are usually completed in the first 60 hours.

1. UCF General Education Program (GEP) (36 hrs)

A: Communication Foundations (9 hrs)

B: Cultural & Historical Foundations (9 hrs)

C: Mathematical Foundations (6 hrs)

Math (6 hrs)

Suggested	MGF 1106	Finite Mathematics or	3 hrs
Suggested	MGF 1107	Explorations in Mathematics	3 hrs

Statistics - Computers (3 hrs)

Select a course from GEP C.2 list
You may substitute a higher level math with appropriate scores on the Math Placement Test (3 hrs)

D: Social Foundations (6 hrs)

E: Science Foundations (6 hrs)

2. Common Program Prerequisites (CPP)

- See "Common Prerequisites" in the Transfer and Transitions Services section for more information.

¹	SPN 1120C	Elementary Spanish Language and Civilization I	4 hrs
¹	SPN 1121C	Elementary Spanish Language and Civilization II	4 hrs
¹	SPN 2200	Intermediate Spanish Language and Civilization I	3 hrs
¹	SPN 2201	Intermediate Spanish Language and Civilization II	3 hrs

¹ May be met by proficiency test or completion of SPN 3234

3. Core Requirements: Basic Level

- None

4. Core Requirements: Advanced Level (15 hrs)

Select the three following courses (9 hrs)

¹	SPN 3300	Advanced Spanish Grammar and Composition	3 hrs
¹	SPN 3420	Spanish Composition	3 hrs
¹	SPN 3760	Advanced Spanish Oral Communication	3 hrs

Select two of the following literature courses: (6 hrs)

	SPW 3100	Survey of Spanish Literature I or	3 hrs
	SPW 3101	Survey of Spanish Literature II or	3 hrs
	SPW 3130	Survey of Latin-American Literature I or	3 hrs
	SPW 3131	Survey of Latin-American Literature II	3 hrs

¹ A native or near-native Spanish speaker must substitute an alternate upper division Spanish course in consultation with a departmental advisor.

5. Restricted Electives (21 hrs)

Select one linguistics course from the following (3 hrs)

	SPN 4780	Spanish Phonetics	3 hrs
	SPN 4800	The Syntax of Spanish	3 hrs
	SPN 4801	Spanish Morphology	3 hrs
	SPN 4850	Structure of the Spanish Language	3 hrs
	SPN 4852	Bilinguismo	3 hrs

Spanish literature beyond the survey level (3 hrs)

- Any 4XXX level SPW course not already used in the major

Select one Culture and Civilization (3 hrs)

	SPN 4510	Spanish Civilization and Culture or	3 hrs
	SPN 4520	Latin American Civilization and Culture	3 hrs

Additional Spanish electives (12 hrs)

- Select any 3XXX, 4XXX, 5XXX SPN, SPW, SPT courses not already used in the major *Maximum of 9 hours of 5XXX level courses accepted

6. Capstone Requirements

- None

7. Foreign Language Requirements

Admissions

- Met by Graduation requirements.

Graduation

- Met by Common Program Prerequisites.

8. Electives

- Select primarily from upper level courses after meeting with a departmental advisor. Courses may be outside the department with the approval of the Spanish section director.

9. Additional Requirements

- None

10. Required Minors

- None

11. Departmental Exit Requirements

- Earn a grade of "C" (2.0) or higher in at least 36 credit hours of upper division Spanish courses.
- Students are required to satisfactorily complete a departmental exit exam, entirely in Spanish. The exam is offered each September and February and students need the approval of their advisor to take the exam. Students should discuss the optimal test date with their advisor and the Spanish Section Director. Students may take the Spanish Exit Exam up to a maximum of two times. Students are eligible to take the exam after they complete the literature survey sequence and the linguistics requirement. Exceptions must be approved by the student's Spanish advisor and by the Spanish Section Director.

12. University Minimum Exit Requirements

- A 2.0 UCF GPA
- 60 semester hours earned after CLEP awarded
- 48 semester hours of upper division credit completed
- 30 of the last 39 hours of course work must be completed in residency at UCF.
- A maximum of 45 hours of extension, correspondence, CLEP, Credit by Exam, and Armed Forces credits permitted.
- Complete the General Education Program, the Gordon Rule, and nine hours of Summer credit.

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Total Semester Hours Required

- 120

Honors In Major

■ Students interested in completing Honors in the Major should contact their program advisor. More information about Honors in the Major can be found at

<http://research.honors.ucf.edu/honors-in-the-Major>.

Related Programs

- French

Certificates

- Spanish for Health Professionals
- Spanish for the Legal World
- Translation and Interpretation

Related Minors

- French
- Italian
- Judaic Studies
- Latin American Area Studies
- Spanish

Advising Notes

- None

Transfer Notes

- Lower division courses do not substitute for upper division courses.
- Courses transferred from private and out-of-state schools must be evaluated by the department chair for equivalency credit. The student must provide all supporting information.
- Native speakers, or students who have received advanced education in Spanish-speaking societies, may not take lower division Spanish courses. They must substitute Third-year level, composition, grammar and conversation courses.

Acceptable Substitutes for Transfer Courses

- None

Plan of Study

- One of numerous possible plans of study. See program description for all requirements. Courses with an asterisk (*) may be replaced by alternates in the same requirement. Consult a departmental advisor for alternate, new, or more appropriate selections.

Freshman Year - Fall 16 hrs

ANT 2000	General Anthropology	3 hrs
ENC 1101	Composition I	3 hrs
MGF 1106	Finite Mathematics	3 hrs
SPN 1120C	Elementary Spanish Language and Civilization I	4 hrs
	Elective / Minor	3 hrs

Freshman Year - Spring 14 hrs

ENC 1102	Composition II	3 hrs
SPN 1121C	Elementary Spanish Language and Civilization II	4 hrs
	Elective / Minor	4 hrs
GEP C.2	Math Foundation	3 hrs

Sophomore Year - Fall 15 hrs

AMH 2010	U.S. History: 1492-1877	3 hrs
ARH 2050	History of Western Art I	3 hrs
POS 2041	American National Government	3 hrs
PSC 1121	Physical Science	3 hrs
SPN 2200	Intermediate Spanish Language and Civilization I	3 hrs

Sophomore Year - Spring 15 hrs

BSC 1005	Biological Principles	3 hrs
MUL 2010	Enjoyment of Music	3 hrs
COM 1000	Introduction to Communication	3 hrs
SPN 3234	Advanced Directed Readings	3 hrs
	Elective / Minor	3 hrs

Junior Year - Fall 15 hrs

SPN 3300	Advanced Spanish Grammar and Composition	3 hrs
SPN 3420	Spanish Composition	3 hrs
SPN 3760	Advanced Spanish Oral Communication	3 hrs
	Elective / Minor	3 hrs
	Elective / Minor	3 hrs

Junior Year - Spring 15 hrs

SPW 3101	Survey of Spanish Literature II	3 hrs
SPN 4780	Spanish Phonetics	3 hrs
SPN 3141	Business Spanish II	3 hrs
	Elective / Minor	3 hrs
	Elective / Minor	3 hrs

Senior Year - Fall 15 hrs

SPW 3100	Survey of Spanish Literature I	3 hrs
SPN 4510	Spanish Civilization and Culture	3 hrs
SPN 5705	Spanish Psycholinguistics	3 hrs
	Elective / Minor	3 hrs
	Elective / Minor	3 hrs

Senior Year - Spring 15 hrs

SPW 3101	Survey of Spanish Literature II	3 hrs
SPW 4604	Cervantes	3 hrs
SPN 4410	Advanced Spanish Conversation	3 hrs
	Elective / Minor	3 hrs
	Elective / Minor	3 hrs

Program Academic Learning Compacts

- Program Academic Learning Compacts (student learning outcomes) for undergraduate programs are located at: http://www.oegas.ucf.edu/alc/academic_learning_compacts.htm