

FRENCH MAJOR WITH EDUCATION CERTIFICATION

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MAJOR SEQUENCE

Only French courses numbered 145 or above may be taken for major credit. If a student's background is not sufficient to begin the major with FREN 145, all courses taken below 145 will be counted as electives. FREN 146 or equivalent is a prerequisite for all other French courses. For permission to student teach, a G.P.A. of 3.0 in major courses is required. To obtain certification candidates must pass the required French Praxis exams and receive the Advanced-Low rating in the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI). In addition the student must meet all Education Department requirements. Certification in French is valid for K-12.

French Major – 8 of the following courses:

___ French Conversation & Composition I (FREN 145) required	(3)	
___ French Conversation & Composition II (FREN 146) required	(3)	
___ Advanced Grammar and Phonetics (FREN 331) required	(3)	
___ Translation (FREN 332) required	(3)	
___ Business French (FREN 336)	(3)	
___ French Language Media (FREN 338)	(3)	
___ French Civilization I (FREN 441) *	(3)	
___ French Civilization II (FREN 442) *	(3)	
___ Survey of French Literature I (FREN 451)*	(3)	
___ Survey of French Literature II (FREN 452)*	(3)	
___ Selected Topics in French Studies (FREN 491)	(3)	
		24 credits

* Candidates are required to take either FREN 441 or 442: French Civilization I or II and either FREN 451 or 452: Survey of French Literature I or II.

The following course is also required:

___ The English Language (ENGL 326)	(3)	
		3 credits

EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

___ Education Philosophy, Ethics, and Issues (EDUC 202)	(3)	
___ Development, Cognition & Learning I (EDUC/SPED 215)	(3)	
___ Secondary Multicultural, Linguistic & Instruction Methods (EDUC 240)	(3)	
___ Introduction to Special Education (EDUC/SPED 270)	(3)	
___ Secondary Foreign Language Methods (EDUC 304)	(3)	
___ Classroom Management (EDUC 350)	(3)	
Pre-professional field experience embedded		
No field experience placement without passing all PPST's		
___ Secondary Methods for Teaching Diverse Students (EDUC 366)	(3)	
		21 credits

Updated Child Abuse & Criminal Record & FBI Clearances required for EDUC 304 & 350

PROFESSIONAL SEMESTER REQUIREMENTS

___ Inclusive Education (EDUC/SPED 440)	(3)	
___ Observation and Student Teaching (EDUC 467)	(10)	
___ Student Teaching Seminar (EDUC 468)	(2)	
		15 credits

Students must take & pass PRAXIS I & II

NOTE: Pennsylvania Certification requires six (6) credits of college level Mathematics & six (6) credits of college level English.