MAJOR SEQUENCE
Only Spanish courses numbered 145 or above may be taken for major credit. If a student’s background is not sufficient to begin the major with SPAN 145, all courses taken below 145 will be counted as electives. SPAN 146 or equivalent is a prerequisite for all other Spanish 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 Spanish 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 Spanish is valid for K-12.

Spanish Major – 8 of the following courses:
___Spanish Conversation & Composition I (SPAN 145) required (3)
___Spanish Conversation & Composition II (SPAN 146) required (3)
___Advanced Grammar and Phonetics (SPAN 331) required (3)
___Translation (SPAN 332) required (3)
___Business Spanish (SPAN 336) (3)
___Spanish Language Media (SPAN 338) (3)
___Spanish Civilization I (SPAN 441) * (3)
___Spanish Civilization II (SPAN 442) * (3)
___Mexican Civilization and Culture (SPAN 443)* (3)
___Survey of Spanish Literature (SPAN 451) * (3)
___Survey of Spanish American Literature (SPAN 453)* (3 )
___Selected Topics in Spanish & Spanish American Studies (SPAN 491) (3)

24 credits

* Candidates are required to take either SPAN 441 or 442: Spanish Civilization I or II and SPAN 453: Survey of Spanish American Literature OR SPAN 443: Mexican Civilization and Culture and SPAN 451: Survey of Spanish Literature.

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.