

College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences Department of Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures

SPANISH MINOR CHECKSHEET

For students graduating in calendar year 2022 and for student date of entry under UG Catalog 2020-2021

Students must earn 18 SPAN credits regardless of initial course placement. If you have AP or IB Spanish credit, see your Spanish Advisor.

Spanish Minor Requirements: 18 hours (at least 12 must be at 3000 level or above), including:

All of the following:
SPAN 2105 Intermediate Spanish (3 cr.; prerequisite: 1106) ¹ SPAN 2106 Intermediate Spanish (3 cr.; prerequisite: 2105) ¹ SPAN 3105 Grammar Conversation & Composition (3 cr.; prerequisite: 2106) ² SPAN 3106 Grammar Conversation & Composition (3 cr.; prerequisite: 3105) ² SPAN 3304 Introduction to Hispanic Literature (3 cr.; prerequisite: 3106) ²
Plus <u>ONE</u> of the following:
SPAN 3404 Early Peninsular Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304) ² SPAN 3414 Modern Peninsular Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304) ² SPAN 3444 Early Spanish American Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq: 3304) ² SPAN 3464 Modern Mexican and Central American Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304) ² SPAN 3474 Modern Spanish-Caribbean Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304) ² SPAN 3484 Modern Andean and Southern Cone Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304) ² SPAN 3494 Introduction to Hispanic Linguistics (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304) ² SPAN 3514 Spanish for the Medical Professions (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304) ² SPAN 3524 Introduction to Spanish Translation (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304) SPAN 3534 Spanish for the Business Professions (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304) ² SPAN 3544 Sounds of Spanish (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304) ² SPAN 3554 Teaching Spanish (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)
SPAN 3564 Community through Service: Latino NRV (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304) ²

Notes

- 1. Students who place out of SPAN 2105 and/or 2106 should take any Spanish courses at the 3000 or 4000 level to satisfy those credit requirements.
- 2. Courses may count toward Pathways, depending on students' enrollment date at Virginia Tech.

Additional Information

- A minimum grade of "C" must be earned in each course completed for the Spanish minor. A minimum in-minor GPA of 2.0 is required. Only courses listed on this checksheet or approved substitutions are to be included in the Spanish minor GPA. Courses for the major, minor, or Curriculum for Liberal Education cannot be taken Pass/Fail (exception: SPAN 3125 & 3126).
- AP exam credit or IB diploma credit may possibly be used to satisfy certain requirements for the minor; please see your Spanish Advisor as soon as possible to make these substitutions.
- Priority is given to Spanish majors and minors for registration in Spanish courses.

Transfer Credit

- Students may transfer no more than 18 of the last 45 cr. of coursework. Study Abroad credits fall under this rule if they are not VT-sponsored study abroad programs.
- At least 25% of the 120 hours required for the degree and 25% of the 18 hours required for the minor must be completed at VT. For a Spanish minor, that is at least 5 credits (2 classes, essentially).
- A form titled "Authorization to Take Courses Elsewhere" must be filled out and signed by the student, the student's Spanish Advisor, and the Director of the Office of Education Abroad before the student departs on the study abroad program.
- A maximum of 50% of the required credits for a degree program may be earned at a two-year college.