

Curricular Plan French BA



A curricular plan provides a roadmap for completing this academic program and the UB Curriculum in four years. Your actual plan will vary according to your point of entry to the University, any earned alternative or college transfer credit you bring in, waivers based on standardized test scores, and notably, the level at which you begin French study at UB. You should begin at the highest level for which you are prepared. For many students this will be the intermediate level (FR 151 and 152) or above, but starting at a lower level will not prevent you from completing your degree in four years. If you start your French major in FR 101 or 104, you will follow the same path as those who start at a higher level, except that in your junior and senior years, when you are completing your French requirements, you will take fewer general electives.

You should test your preparation using a self-assessment tool on the website of the Department of Romance Languages & Literatures, and consult departmental advisors for any needed follow-up assistance in choosing a course.

You are encouraged to adapt this sample plan as appropriate in consultation with your academic advisor and with the help of other academic planning resources such as the Academic Advisement Report (on HUB), My Planner and the Path Finder tool.

Freshman Year – Fall Semester		
Course	Category	Credit
UB Seminar	UBS	3
FR 151 or FR 211 or FR 213	M/P	3
Scientific Literarcy	SLI 1	4
Pathway or ENG 105	P or CL 1	3 or 4
	Total Credits:	13 or 14

Freshman Year – Spring Semester		
Course	Category	Credit
FR 152 or FR 212	M/P	3
Scientific Literacy	SLI 2	3
Pathway	Р	3
Pathway or ENG 105	P or CL 1	3 or 4
Elective	E	3
	Total Credits:	15 or 16

Sophomore Year – Fall Semester		
Course	Category	Credit
FR 211 or FR 213 or FR 301	M/P	3
Math and Quantitative Reasoning	MQR	4
Diversity Learning	DL*	3
Elective	E	3
Elective	E	4
	Total Credits:	17

Sophomore Year – Spring Semester		
Course	Category	Credit
FR 212 or FR 302	M	3
FR 343	M/CL 2	3
Pathway	Р	3
FR Elective	E	3
Elective	E	3
	Total Credits:	15

Junior Year – Fall Semester		
Course	Category	Credit
FR 301	М	3
FR Elective	Е	3
FR Elective	E	3
Elective	E	3
UBC 399	CAP	1
OR		-
Recommended option: Study abroad	M and E	15
	Total Credits:	13 to 15

Junior Year – Spring Semester		
Course	Category	Credit
FR 343	M/CL 2	3
FR 302	M	3
FR Elective	M	3
FR Elective	М	3
Elective	E	3
_	Total Credits:	15

Senior Year – Fall Semester		
Course	Category	Credit
FR Elective	M	3
FR Elective	M	3
RLL 496 or FR 496	M	3
Elective	E	3
Elective	E	3
OR		
Recommended option:	NA and E	15
Study abroad	M and E	15
	Total Credits:	15

Senior Year – Spring Semester		
Course	Category	Credit
FR Elective	М	3
FR Elective	М	3
RLL 496 or FR 496	М	3
Elective	E	3
Elective	E	3
	Total Credits:	15

Total Credits Required for Degree: 120 to 122

*Approved Diversity Learning course if not met through approved major, elective, or UBC course.

Category Legend:

M = Course Required for Major (including pre-requisites needed for admission to the major)

E = Elective (course not required for major or UB Curriculum)

The following are all components of the UB Curriculum (UBC) For more information on the UBC and course options visit: https://catalog.buffalo.edu/policies/ubcurriculum.html

- · UBS = UB Seminar
- · CL1/CL 2 = Communication Literacy (2 required)
- CAP = UB Capstone
- DL = Diversity Learning
- · MQR = Math and Quantitative Reasoning
- P = Pathway Course (6 required: 3 Global, 3 Thematic)
- SLI1/SLI2 = Scientific Literacy and Inquiry (2 required)

Note: Some classes may count toward both a major (M) and UB Curriculum (UBC) requirement. Courses that count towards more than one requirement are indicated by a "/" (slash) in the category column indicating which categories the course will satisfy.