

SPANISH MINOR

Minor - Spanish (Minor)

College Humanities & Sciences

Degree Specific Credits: 36

Required Cumulative GPA: 2.5

Catalog Year: 2017-2018

Summary

Lower Division Core	18
Upper Division Core	6
Expression	
Literature	
Upper Division Electives	12
Literature and Linguistics	
Additional Electives	
Total Hours	36

Lower Division Core

Rule: Must complete all of the following courses:

SPNS 101	Elementary Spanish I	4
SPNS 102	Elementary Spanish II	4
SPNS 201	Intermediate Spanish I	4
SPNS 202	Intermediate Spanish II	4
Total Hours		16

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Upper Division Core

Rule: Must complete all of the following subcategories

6 Total Credits Required

Expression

Rule: Must complete the following course

SPNS 301	Spanish: Oral and Written Expr	3
Total Hours		3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Literature

Rule: Must complete 1 of the following courses

SPNS 326	Contemporary Spanish Lit	3
or SPNS 331	Contemp Latin Amer Lit	
Total Hours		3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Upper Division Electives

Rule: Must complete the following subcategories

12 Total Credits Required

Literature and Linguistics

Select one of the following:

SPNS 400	Spanish: Applied Linguistics	3
SPNS 432	Latin American Literature	
SPNS 465	Spanish Lit:Renaiss/Goldn Age	
SPNS 466	Spanish Lit:Modern & Contemp	

Total Hours 3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Additional Electives

Rule: Must complete 9 credits of additional upper division SPNS electives

Teaching Spanish Concentration

A teaching minor is an academic minor which may contain different course requirements designed to meet state standards. Those interested in teaching in K-12 schools must complete a teaching major in a content area plus the teacher preparation program through the Department of Teaching and Learning. Additional teaching areas can be added through completion of either a teaching major or a teaching minor in that content area.

- Secondary Education Licensure Program (<http://www.coehs.umt.edu/departments/currinst/undergradprograms/seced/default.php>)
- Licensure Degree Requirements (<http://catalog.umt.edu/past-catalogs/2017-2018/colleges-schools-programs/education-human-sciences/teaching-learning/lic-secondary-licensure>)

Minor Teaching Field of Spanish

For an endorsement in the minor teaching field of Spanish, a student must complete

SPNS 101	Elementary Spanish I (or equivalent)	4
SPNS 102	Elementary Spanish II (or equivalent)	4
SPNS 201	Intermediate Spanish I (or equivalent)	4
SPNS 202	Intermediate Spanish II (or equivalent)	4
SPNS 301	Spanish: Oral and Written Expr	3
SPNS 305	Spanish Phonetics	3
SPNS 400	Spanish: Applied Linguistics	3
Select one of the following:		3
SPNS 326	Contemporary Spanish Lit	
SPNS 331	Contemp Latin Amer Lit	
MCLG 410	Methods Teaching Foreign Language	3

Study in a Spanish-language country, provided either through the University's Study Abroad Program or an experience considered to be equivalent, also is required.

The term 'minor' for this teaching option refers to courses that need to be completed. To sign up for this option, you need to contact the Teaching and Learning Department. Do not fill out a minor form for graduation or the minor section of the major change form. Approvals for this option must come from the Teaching and Learning Department.

Teaching Licensure Requirements

Note: Individuals completing a teaching minor must also complete a teaching major in another content area. Students must be formally admitted to the Teacher Education Program and complete all of the professional education licensure requirements. See the Department of Teaching and Learning (<http://catalog.umn.edu/past-catalogs/2017-2018/colleges-schools-programs/education-human-sciences/teaching-learning>) in the College of Education and Human Sciences for more information. A minor GPA of 2.75 is required to be eligible for student teaching.

Teaching Methods Course

Rule: Complete the following course

MCLG 410	Methods Teaching Foreign Language	3
Total Hours		3

Minimum Required Grade: C-