

SPANISH CONCENTRATION

World Languages and Literature, Bachelor of Arts with a Concentration in Spanish Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS - 34 hours required		
Minimum of "C-" required		
Fundamental Skills		15
Writing – 6 hrs.		
ENGL 1150	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	
ENGL 1160	COLLEGE RESEARCH AND INFORMATION LITERACY	
Oral Communication – 3 hrs.		
CMST 1110	PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS	
or CMST 2120	ARGUMENTATION AND DEBATE	
Quantitative Literacy – 3 hrs.		
MATH 1120	INTRODUCTION TO MATHEMATICAL AND COMPUTATIONAL THINKING	
or MATH 1130	QUANTITATIVE LITERACY	
or MATH 1140	QUANTITATIVE REASONING FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS	
or MATH 1300	COLLEGE ALGEBRA WITH SUPPORT	
Data Literacy – 3 hrs.		
Select one from the following:		
STAT 1100	DATA LITERACY AND VISUALIZATION	
STAT 1530	ELEMENTARY STATISTICS	
Until Fall 2028, students can satisfy this requirement with an approved data literacy course, or any approved natural or social science general education course.		
Breadth of Knowledge		13
Social Science – 3 hrs.		
Humanities – 3 hrs.		
Natural & Physical Science (must complete a lab) – 4 hrs.		
Arts – 3 hrs.		
Individual and Social Responsibility		6
Cultural Knowledge – 3 hrs.		
Civic Knowledge and Engagement – 3 hrs.		
MAJOR REQUIREMENTS		
**Course will satisfy UNO's General Education requirement		
^Course requires pre-requisite(s)		
Concentration in Spanish - 30 Hours Required		
Required Coursework		12
SPAN 3030	SPANISH CONVERSATION (^)	
or SPAN 3010	SPANISH FOR HERITAGE SPEAKERS I	
SPAN 3040	SPANISH GRAMMAR AND COMPOSITION (^)	
or SPAN 3020	SPANISH FOR HERITAGE SPEAKERS II	
SPAN 3060	READINGS IN SPANISH (^)	
SPAN 4040	ADVANCED COMPOSITION AND STYLISTICS (^)	

Select one course from the following Literature and Film courses 3

SPAN 3170	SURVEY OF SPANISH LITERATURE I (^)
SPAN 3180	INTRODUCTION TO SPANISH LITERATURE (^)
SPAN/LLS 4140	INTRODUCTION TO LATIN AMERICAN FILM (^)
SPAN 4170	INTRODUCTION TO LATIN AMERICAN LITERATURES (^)
SPAN 4190	REPRESENTATIONS OF THE SPANISH CIVIL WAR IN FILM AND POPULAR CULTURE (^)
SPAN 4950	PRO-SEMINAR: LITERATURE AND/OR FILM (^)

Select one course from the following Culture and Society courses 3

SPAN 3050	LATIN AMERICA IN CONTEXT: HEALTH, BUSINESS, ENVIRONMENT, AND SOCIETY THROUGH ORAL PRACTICE (^)
SPAN 3070	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SPANISH (^)
SPAN/ENVN 3310	SUSTAINABILITY AND THE ENVIRONMENT IN THE SPANISH-SPEAKING WORLD (^)
SPAN 3410	SPANISH CIVILIZATION (^)
SPAN/LLS 3420	LATIN AMERICAN CIVILIZATION (^)
SPAN/LLS 4510	ILLNESS AND DISEASE IN SOUTHERN CONE LATIN AMERICAN LITERATURES AND CULTURES (^)
SPAN 4960	PRO-SEMINAR: CULTURE AND SOCIETY (^)

Select one course from the following Linguistics and Language for the Professions 3

SPAN 3570	SPANISH FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS (^)
SPAN 3580	BUSINESS SPANISH (^)
SPAN 4020	LANGUAGE ENHANCEMENT THROUGH VOCABULARY LEARNING (^)
SPAN 4060	INTRODUCTION TO TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETATION (^)
SPAN 4070	HISPANIC BILINGUALISM (^)
SPAN 4080	INTRODUCTION TO HISPANIC LINGUISTICS (^)
SPAN 4120	HISPANIC SOCIOLINGUISTICS (^)
SPAN 4130	SPANISH IN THE UNITED STATES (^)
SPAN 4220	THE STRUCTURE OF SPANISH (^)
SPAN 4330	LINGUISTIC JUSTICE AND LATINO HEALTH (^)
SPAN 4760	FORENSIC LINGUISTICS
SPAN/WLL 4800	INTERNSHIP FOR LANGUAGE IN CONTEXT (^)
SPAN 4970	PRO-SEMINAR: LINGUISTICS AND LANGUAGE FOR THE PROFESSIONS (^)

Select three courses in any combination from the above categories for a total of nine hours. SPAN 4030 (Advanced Spanish Conversation) may also count toward these nine hours. 9

College Breadth (choose one option) 15-30+

Option 1: Complete any UNO minor or undergraduate certificate - 15+ Hours

Option 2: Additional General Education Requirements - 18+ Hours

Additional quantitative literacy - 3 hours	
Additional Social Science Gen. Ed. from another Discipline - 3 hours	
Additional Humanities Gen. Ed. from another Discipline - 3 hours	
HIST 1000 and HIST 1010 - 6 hours	
Additional Nat. and Physical Science w/ or without Lab - 3-5 hours	
Option 3: CAS comprehensive major (50+ hours) OR any second UNO major (30+ hours)	
Bachelor of Arts Language Requirement	16
FREN, GERM, Or SPAN, 1110, 1120, 2110, 2120	
ELECTIVES	
Elective hours as required to reach a total of 120 hours	

World Languages and Literature, Bachelor of Arts with a Concentration in Spanish Four Year Plan

Freshman

Fall		Credits
SPAN 1110	ELEMENTARY SPANISH I	5
ENGL 1150	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3
CMST 1110	PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS	3
or CMST 2120	or ARGUMENTATION AND DEBATE	
General Education Course or Elective		3
Attend Durango Days; other campus events. Set up a Handshake account and take the Pathway U career assessment. Attend the Student Involvement & Volunteer Fair to explore student organizations. Make advising appointment for spring: Sept-Oct. Work with your advisor to develop your Pathway in Stellic.		

Spring		Credits
SPAN 1120	ELEMENTARY SPANISH II	5
ENGL 1160	COLLEGE RESEARCH AND INFORMATION LITERACY (**)	3
MATH 1120	INTRODUCTION TO MATHEMATICAL AND COMPUTATIONAL THINKING	3-4
or MATH 1130	or QUANTITATIVE LITERACY	
or MATH 1140	or QUANTITATIVE REASONING FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS	
or MATH 1300	or COLLEGE ALGEBRA WITH SUPPORT	
General Education Course or Elective		3

Attend campus events such as major exploration week to get an idea of interests and career paths. Schedule a resume review with UNO Career Services. Visit faculty office hours and ask about undergraduate research opportunities. Make advising appointment for summer and fall: February – March.

Sophomore		Credits
Fall		14-15
SPAN 2110	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH I	3
General Education Course or Elective		3
General Education Course or Elective		3
General Education Course or Elective		3
Elective		3

Attend the Career & Internship Fair to start networking with employers. Look for volunteer, research, or part-time work to gain experience. Join a student organization or club related to your field or interests. Make advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct.

Spring		Credits
SPAN 2120	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH II	3
General Education Course or Elective		3-4
General Education Course or Elective		3
Elective		3
Elective		3

Attend a career fair for informational and networking purposes. Update your resume and LinkedIn profile with new experiences. Investigate and apply for summer internships, research, or study abroad programs. Make advising appointment for summer and fall: February – March.

Junior		Credits
Fall		15-16
SPAN 3030	SPANISH CONVERSATION	3
or SPAN 3010	or SPANISH FOR HERITAGE SPEAKERS I	
SPAN 3060	READINGS IN SPANISH	3
Elective		4
Elective		3
Elective		3

Apply for a paid internship or research assistantship. Attend a mock interview workshop or use online interview tools with Career Services. Start researching and visiting graduate programs or professional schools. Visit Career Center, continue updating resume. Make advising appointment for spring: Sept-Oct.

Spring		Credits
SPAN 3040	SPANISH GRAMMAR AND COMPOSITION	3
or SPAN 3020	or SPANISH FOR HERITAGE SPEAKERS II	
Upper division Spanish elective		3
Elective		3
Elective		3
Elective		3

Request letters of recommendation from faculty for jobs or grad school. Attend the All-Majors Career Fair with a plan to network. Meet with your advisor or submit for a graduation check-in to review remaining degree requirements. Make advising appointment for summer and fall: February – March.

Senior		Credits
Fall		15
One SPAN Literature & Film class		3
Upper division Spanish course		3
One SPAN Culture & Society class		3
Elective		3
Elective		3

Check in with Career Center for networking tips. Finalize graduate school applications or job search strategy. Attend a career fair and start applying for full-time jobs. Prepare for interviews and salary negotiations with Career Services. Make advising appointment for spring: Sept. - Oct.

Credits 15

Spring

SPAN 4040	ADVANCED COMPOSITION AND STYLISTICS	3
One SPAN Linguistics and Language class		3
Upper division Spanish elective		3
Elective		3
Elective		3

Complete your final advising check before graduation. Polish your resume, cover letters, and LinkedIn profile. Stay connected by joining alumni networks and professional organizations. Apply for graduation via MavLink.

Credits 15

Total Credits 119-121

College Breadth: Students should plan on using at least 15 hours of "Electives" to fulfill Option 1, 2, or 3, of the College of Arts and Sciences' breadth requirement.

Upper Level Credits: Students need 27 upper level credits throughout the degree with at least 18 upper level credits within the major. Electives may need to be selected at the 3000-4000 level to reach these minimums.

Additional Information About this Plan:

University Degree Requirements: The minimum number of hours for a UNO undergraduate degree is 120 credit hours. Please review the requirements for your specific program to determine all requirements for the program. In order to graduate on-time (four years for an undergraduate degree), you need to take 30 hours each year.

Placement Exams: For Math, English, World Language, a placement exam may be required. More information on these exams can be found at <https://www.unomaha.edu/enrollment-management/testing-center/placement-exams/information.php>

Transfer credit or placement exam scores may change suggested plan of study

GPA Requirements: 2.0

Note: This plan provides a general guide, but your specific courses, experiences, and career goals may differ. Work with your academic advisor to ensure you're meeting degree requirements and consult with career advisors to explore internships, research opportunities, and post-graduation plans. Regular check-ins will help you stay on track and make the most of your time at UNO!