

SPANISH FOR HEALTH SCIENCES CONCENTRATION

World Languages and Literature, Bachelor of Arts with a Concentration in Spanish for Health Sciences 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 for Health Sciences - 31 Hours Required		
Required Coursework		19
SPAN 1140	INTRODUCTION TO SPANISH FOR HEALTH SCIENCES	
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 3570	SPANISH FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS (^)	
or SPAN 3050	LATIN AMERICA IN CONTEXT: HEALTH, BUSINESS, ENVIRONMENT, AND SOCIETY THROUGH ORAL PRACTICE	
or SPAN 3070	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SPANISH	
SPAN 4330	LINGUISTIC JUSTICE AND LATINO HEALTH (^)	
or SPAN 4510	ILLNESS AND DISEASE IN SOUTHERN CONE LATIN AMERICAN LITERATURES AND CULTURES	
or SPAN 4970	PRO-SEMINAR: LINGUISTICS AND LANGUAGE FOR THE PROFESSIONS	
SPAN/WLL 4800	INTERNSHIP FOR LANGUAGE IN CONTEXT (^)	
Select four 3-credit courses from the following		12
SPAN 3050	LATIN AMERICA IN CONTEXT: HEALTH, BUSINESS, ENVIRONMENT, AND SOCIETY THROUGH ORAL PRACTICE (^)	
or SPAN 3070	SPECIAL TOPICS IN SPANISH	
or SPAN 3570	SPANISH FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS	
SPAN 3420	LATIN AMERICAN CIVILIZATION (^)	
SPAN 4020	LANGUAGE ENHANCEMENT THROUGH VOCABULARY LEARNING	
SPAN 4030	ADVANCED SPANISH CONVERSATION (^)	
SPAN 4060	INTRODUCTION TO TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETATION (^)	
SPAN 4130	SPANISH IN THE UNITED STATES (^)	
SPAN 4330	LINGUISTIC JUSTICE AND LATINO HEALTH (^)	
or SPAN 4970	PRO-SEMINAR: LINGUISTICS AND LANGUAGE FOR THE PROFESSIONS	
SPAN/LLS 4510	ILLNESS AND DISEASE IN SOUTHERN CONE LATIN AMERICAN LITERATURES AND CULTURES (^)	
SPAN 4960	PRO-SEMINAR: CULTURE AND SOCIETY (^)	
SPAN 4950	PRO-SEMINAR: LITERATURE AND/OR FILM (^)	
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		

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Freshman

Fall		Credits
SPAN 1110 or SPAN 1100	ELEMENTARY SPANISH I or ELEMENTARY SPANISH I FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS	5
SPAN 1140	INTRODUCTION TO SPANISH FOR HEALTH SCIENCES	1
ENGL 1150	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3
General Education Course or Elective		3
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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.		
Credits		15

Spring

SPAN 1120 or SPAN 1200	ELEMENTARY SPANISH II or ELEMENTARY SPANISH 2 HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS	5
MATH 1120 or MATH 1130 or MATH 1140 or MATH 1300	INTRODUCTION TO MATHEMATICAL AND COMPUTATIONAL THINKING or QUANTITATIVE LITERACY or QUANTITATIVE REASONING FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS or COLLEGE ALGEBRA WITH SUPPORT	3-4
ENGL 1160	COLLEGE RESEARCH AND INFORMATION LITERACY	3
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.		
Credits		14-15

Sophomore

Fall		Credits
SPAN 2110 or SPAN 2300	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH I (*) or INTERMEDIATE SPANISH I FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS	3
CMST 1110 or CMST 2120	PUBLIC SPEAKING FUNDS or ARGUMENTATION AND DEBATE	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.		
Credits		15

Spring

SPAN 2120	INTERMEDIATE SPANISH II	3
General Education Course or Elective		3
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.		
Credits		15

Junior

Fall		Credits
SPAN 3030 or SPAN 3010	SPANISH CONVERSATION or SPANISH FOR HERITAGE SPEAKERS I	3
SPAN 3060	READINGS IN SPANISH	3
Elective		3
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.		
Credits		15

Spring

SPAN 3040 or SPAN 3020	SPANISH GRAMMAR AND COMPOSITION or SPANISH FOR HERITAGE SPEAKERS II	3
ONE 3000/4000 LEVEL APPROVED SPANISH ELECTIVE		3
General Education Course or 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.		
Credits		15

Senior

Fall		Credits
SPAN 3050 or SPAN 3570	LATIN AMERICA IN CONTEXT: HEALTH, BUSINESS, ENVIRONMENT, AND SOCIETY THROUGH ORAL PRACTICE or SPANISH FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS	3
SPAN 4060	INTRODUCTION TO TRANSLATION AND INTERPRETATION (or other approved 3000-4000 level SPAN course)	3
SPAN 4330	LINGUISTIC JUSTICE AND LATINO HEALTH (or other approved 3000-4000 level SPAN course)	3
Elective		3
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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 4970	PRO-SEMINAR: LINGUISTICS AND LANGUAGE FOR THE PROFESSIONS (or other approved 3000-4000 level SPAN course)	3
SPAN 4030 or SPAN 3420	ADVANCED SPANISH CONVERSATION (or other approved 3000-4000 level SPAN course) or LATIN AMERICAN CIVILIZATION	3
SPAN/WLL 4800	INTERNSHIP FOR LANGUAGE IN CONTEXT	3
General Education Course or Elective		3-4
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		15-16
Total Credits		119-121

Minimum 30 total 3000/4000 level credits in Spanish required, 31 total major credits.

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!