MINOR IN SPANISH

Units required for Minor: 20, 12 of which must be upper division courses
Minimum total units required for BA: 120

Program Description
A working knowledge of Spanish will enable students to communicate
with one of America’s rapidly growing minority groups, as well as to
benefit extensively from travel to foreign countries. Most coursework
lends itself to a practical acquisition of the necessary language skills for
effective communication.

Coursework at the upper division and graduate level is equally distributed
among four areas: linguistics, culture, Peninsular literature, and Hispanic
American literature. Students with career plans in teaching, bilingual
programs, translation and diplomatic services, as well as careers in public
service requiring knowledge of Spanish, will find a balanced curriculum
available at Sacramento State. The programs in Spanish also serve those
students who plan on continuing their studies at the doctorate level by
providing a thorough academic background in the language.

Students interested in Bilingual/Crosscultural programs should also
contact the College of Education (916) 278-6840 for more details.

Many students find that the acquisition of skills in Spanish is a
valuable adjunct to their career goals in other areas such as business
administration, public administration, international relations, etc.

Study Abroad Programs
Students having a 2.75 GPA average overall are eligible to apply for
admission to the CSU International Programs in a Spanish-speaking
country such as Chile, Mexico, or Spain for their junior or senior years or
during graduate studies. Spanish skills must be sufficiently developed
to permit satisfactory performance in a Spanish-language university;
planning from the beginning of the freshman year is advisable. Programs
are also available for beginning students in Spain and Mexico. For details,
contact International Programs and Global Engagement and consult a
member of the Spanish faculty about developing your language skills.

Minimum Grade Requirement
All Spanish minors must earn a grade of "C" or better in all courses
counted toward the minor.

Program Requirements

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Total Units 12