



Calendar Year: 2026/2027

# PROGRAM PLANNING GUIDE

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## Bachelor of Arts

### French and Spanish



In today's globalized context, students of modern languages are being prepared for membership in a global community that extends far beyond the boundaries of the English-speaking world. Modern Languages is about far more than just learning how to communicate in another language. It's about exploring other identities and values through language, literature, history and culture in a global community. Students who study French/Spanish will gain awareness of other cultures through courses in language, literature, and culture and civilization, and through academic and living experiences in Canada or abroad.

#### What determines my program requirements?

Please refer to the Academic Calendar ([www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-calendar](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-calendar)) for complete program information.

**Calendar Year:** 2026/2027 - Your calendar year is set to the academic year you are admitted (or readmitted) and you should follow the requirements for that year for the duration of your program.

**Faculty/School:** Faculty of Arts and Science ([www.ulethbridge.ca/artsci](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/artsci))

**Program(s):** Bachelor of Arts

**Major(s):** French and Spanish

**Minor:** A defined set of courses, designed to provide depth in a particular discipline, study in an interdisciplinary area, or focus on a theme-related topic. To learn more about optional minors see [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/minors](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/minors).

#### Am I admissible to this program?

**Admission:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/undergrad](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/undergrad)

**Transfer:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/transfer-resources](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/transfer-resources)

#### When/How do I apply to the University?

**Deadlines:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/undergrad/deadlines](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/undergrad/deadlines)

**Step-by-Step:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/step-by-step](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/step-by-step)

#### Where can I find information on courses?

**Course Catalogue:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/courses](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/courses)

**Registration Guide:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/registration-guide](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/registration-guide)

#### When can I register for classes?

**Register early!** (March for Summer and Fall; November for Winter)

**Registration Dates:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/registration-dates](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/registration-dates)

#### How can I enhance my program?

**Career Bridge:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/career-bridge](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/career-bridge)

**Co-op Education:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/career-bridge/co-operative-education](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/career-bridge/co-operative-education)

**Honours Thesis:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/undergraduate-thesis](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/undergraduate-thesis)

**Double Major:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/double-major](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/double-major)

#### What supports are available to students?

**Student Services:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/campus-life/student-services](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/campus-life/student-services)

**Student Success Centre:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/student-success-centre](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/student-success-centre)

**Accessible Learning:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/alc](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/alc)

**Counselling Services:** [www.ulethbridge.ca/counselling](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/counselling)



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Contact an Academic Advisor ([www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-advising](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-advising)) for advising information

This is a planning guide and not a graduation check or guarantee of course offerings. You should have a program check done in your final year of studies. Students are responsible for ensuring they have met program requirements. This guide should be used in conjunction with the University of Lethbridge Academic Calendar, which is the final authority on program requirements and academic regulations.



## Required courses and notes

### Major Requirements (16 Courses)

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. French 2300 - Introduction to Modern Literature and Literary Analysis
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. French 3010 - Advanced Language I
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Spanish 2030 - Introduction to Writing and Reading Strategies
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. **One of:**
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Spanish 3001 - Advanced Language
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Spanish 3002 - Spanish for Professional Contexts
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5.-8. Four courses (12.0 credit hours) in French at the 3000/4000 level
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 6. \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 7. \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 8. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 9.-11. Three courses (9.0 credit hours) in Spanish at the 3000/4000 level
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 9. \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 10. \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 11. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12.-13. Two additional courses (6.0 credit hours) in French
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 12. \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 13. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 14.-16. Three additional courses (9.0 credit hours) in Spanish
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 14. \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 15. \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 16. \_\_\_\_\_

### Notes

Students may **not** count either French 1000 (Beginners' French I) or Spanish 1000 (Beginners' Spanish I) among the minimum requirements for the major.

Students may replace one course in Spanish with one course in Hispanic Studies.

Students registering in introductory language courses must complete the Student Information Form to determine whether they are registered in the appropriate course. Students may be asked to write the Student Placement Test. Advanced placement may be granted to students who have acquired language skills outside of a formal academic environment. Please refer to [www.ulethbridge.ca/artsci/modern-languages/departmen-modern-languages-placement-policy](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/artsci/modern-languages/departmen-modern-languages-placement-policy) for more information.

It is recommended that students majoring in French/Spanish complete either the French or Spanish Visiting Student Program. Please refer to [www.ulethbridge.ca/artsci/modern-languages/visiting-student-programs-vsp](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/artsci/modern-languages/visiting-student-programs-vsp) for information on the Visiting Student Program.

It is strongly recommended that a student attain a grade of 'C' or higher in any course used to satisfy prerequisites for courses in French and Spanish. For more information see an academic advisor in the Student Program Services Office.

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### Electives (24 Courses)

- \_\_\_\_\_ 17.-40. Twenty-four additional courses (72.0 credit hours) chosen to complete program requirements
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 17. \_\_\_\_\_
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  - \_\_\_\_\_ 40. \_\_\_\_\_



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**Liberal Education List Requirement**

Only four courses (12.0 credit hours) in total may be counted from any one discipline toward the Lib Ed Requirement. Disciplines are identified by separate course subject codes. Cross-listed courses count toward the limit for both disciplines (e.g. Geography 3225/Global Business 3225 counts toward the limit for Geography and Dhillon School of Business courses).

Only four courses (12.0 credit hours) in total from the Faculty of Education (EDUC), Faculty of Health Sciences (AMHC, HLSC, INHL, NURS, PUBH, and TREC), and the Dhillon School of Business (ACCT, AGEM, DGTR, FINC, GLBU, HRLR, IGBM, MGT, and MKTG) may be counted towards the Lib Ed Requirement.

To determine if a course has a Liberal Education designation, see School of Liberal Education in the 2026/2027 University of Lethbridge Undergraduate Calendar, [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-calendar](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-calendar).

\_\_\_\_\_ **1.-4. List I: Fine Arts and Humanities**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **5.-8. List II: Social Science**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 7. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 8. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **9.-12. List III: Science**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 9. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 10. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 11. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 12. \_\_\_\_\_

**General Requirements**

- \_\_\_\_\_ A minimum of 40 courses (120.0 credit hours) with a GPA of at least 2.00.
- \_\_\_\_\_ A maximum of five Independent Study courses (15.0 credit hours) may be completed for credit towards the degree.
- \_\_\_\_\_ A maximum of five Disciplinary Credit Applied Studies courses (15.0 credit hours) may be completed for credit towards the degree. Students may, in addition, complete Applied Studies 2000, 2001, 2010, and 2011.
- \_\_\_\_\_ A maximum of 24 courses (72.0 credit hours) may be completed from any one discipline for credit towards the degree. Disciplines are identified by a specific course label (e.g. KNES, ASTR, and HIST are separate disciplines).
- \_\_\_\_\_ A maximum of 6.0 credit hours in Activity courses (i.e. courses labelled PHAC and MUSE) may be completed for credit towards the degree, except for Kinesiology majors (not more than 15.0 credit hours) and Music majors (not more than 12.0 credit hours).
- \_\_\_\_\_ A maximum of six courses (18.0 credit hours) from disciplines offered outside the Faculty of Arts and Science, Faculty of Fine Arts, or School of Liberal Education may be completed for credit towards the degree (i.e. labelled ACCT, AGEM, AMHC, CDEV, CRED, DGTR, EDUC, FINC, GLBU, HLSC, HRLR, IGBM, INHL, MGT, MKTG, NURS, PUBH, and TREC). Courses cross-listed between the Faculty of Arts and Science and another Faculty or School do not count towards this limit.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Residence requirement: a minimum of 20 courses (60.0 credit hours) must be completed at the University of Lethbridge, including at least 10 courses (30.0 credit hours) from disciplines offered by the Faculty of Arts and Science, Faculty of Fine Arts, or School of Liberal Education at the 3000/4000 level. At least half of the courses required in the major must be completed at the University of Lethbridge.

A **maximum** of 12 courses (36.0 credit hours) may be completed at the 1000 level (or lower) for credit towards the degree, excluding Activity courses (labelled PHAC and MUSE) and courses numbered in the range of 0520 to 0530.

\_\_\_\_\_ **1.-12. Introductory Course Limit**

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- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_
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A **minimum** of 15 courses (45.0 credit hours) from disciplines offered by the Faculty of Arts and Science, Faculty of Fine Arts, or School of Liberal Education at the 3000/4000 level, excluding Activity courses (labelled PHAC and MUSE). Out-of-faculty courses (i.e. labelled ACCT, AGEM, AMHC, CDEV, CRED, DGTR, EDUC, FINC, GLBU, HLSC, HRLR, IGBM, INHL, MGT, MKTG, NURS, PUBH, and TREC) will not meet this requirement.

\_\_\_\_\_ **1.-15. Senior Course Requirement**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. \_\_\_\_\_
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- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_
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**Optional Minor:** \_\_\_\_\_

For information about minors see **Minors** in the 2026/2027 University of Lethbridge Calendar, [www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-calendar](http://www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-calendar). Consult with an Academic Advisor if you wish to add a minor to your program.

\_\_\_\_\_ **1.-6. Required Courses**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_
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Shown below is the recommended sequence of courses for your degree. Consult timetables for course offerings, prerequisites, and corequisites before registering each term as some courses may have limited offerings (ie. once a year, alternating years, or only offered in the Fall or Winter terms). Consult with an Academic Advisor in your faculty if you wish to alter this sequence with regard to the specifically listed courses.

**Note that this sequence was prepared based on course scheduling at the time of publication and may change during your studies.**

### First Year

- <sup>1</sup> **French 2010**
- <sup>2</sup> **French 2020**
- <sup>2</sup> **Spanish 1100**
- Lib Ed Requirement course

### Second Year

- French 2300**
- French 3010
- Spanish 2010**
- Spanish 2020**
- Lib Ed Requirement course
- Elective
- Elective
- Elective
- Elective
- Elective

### Third Year

- French 3000 level
- French 3000 level
- Spanish 2030
- One of: Spanish 3001 or Spanish 3002
- Spanish 3000 level
- Elective 3000/4000 level
- Elective 3000/4000 level
- Elective
- Elective
- Elective

### Fourth Year

- French 3000/4000 level
- French 4000 level
- Spanish 3000/4000 level
- Spanish 3000/4000 level
- Elective 3000/4000 level
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1. Students who have completed French 30 or French 31 (or equivalent) should complete French 2010 and French 2020 in their first year of studies. Students who have completed French Language Arts 30 or Français 30 (or equivalent) should initially register in French 2020 (but may be placed in French 2010, 2020, or 3010). Students who have completed none of the previously mentioned courses should begin with French 1000 or 1100 (as indicated by the placement test) and should seek advice on course sequencing from the Department Advisor in Modern Languages.
2. Students who have not completed Spanish 30 or equivalent should begin their studies with Spanish 1000.

**Note:** Courses in bold in Years 1 and 2 of the sample sequence are prerequisite(s) for required courses and should be completed early in your program. Students are advised to review the prerequisites for elective courses within the major and plan accordingly.

Senior Spanish courses are not offered every year. Please see the Spanish Coordinator in the Department of Modern Languages for scheduling advice.