

College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences
Department of Modern and Classical Languages and Literatures

SPANISH MINOR CHECKSHEET
For students entering under UG Catalog 2023-2024

Students must earn 18 SPAN credits regardless of initial course placement. If you have AP or IB Spanish credit, see your Spanish Advisor.

Spanish Minor Requirements: 18 hours (at least 12 must be at 3000 level or above), including:

All of the following:

- _____ SPAN 2105 Intermediate Spanish (3 cr.; prerequisite: 1106)¹
- _____ SPAN 2106 Intermediate Spanish (3 cr.; prerequisite: 2105)¹
- _____ SPAN 3105 Grammar Conversation & Composition (3 cr.; prerequisite: 2106)^{1,2}
- _____ SPAN 3106 Grammar Conversation & Composition (3 cr.; prerequisite: 3105)^{1,2}
- _____ SPAN 3304 Introduction to Hispanic Literature (3 cr.; prerequisite: 3106)²

Plus ONE of the following:

- _____ SPAN 3404 Early Peninsular Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)²
- _____ SPAN 3414 Modern Peninsular Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)²
- _____ SPAN 3444 Early Spanish American Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq: 3304)²
- _____ SPAN 3464 Modern Mexican and Central American Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)²
- _____ SPAN 3474 Modern Spanish-Caribbean Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)²
- _____ SPAN 3484 Modern Andean and Southern Cone Culture & Literature (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)²
- _____ SPAN 3494 Introduction to Hispanic Linguistics (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)²
- _____ SPAN 3514 Spanish for the Medical Professions (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)²
- _____ SPAN 3524 Introduction to Spanish Translation (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)
- _____ SPAN 3534 Spanish for the Business Professions (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)²
- _____ SPAN 3544 Sounds of Spanish (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)²
- _____ SPAN 3554 Teaching Spanish (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)
- _____ SPAN 3564 Community through Service: Latino NRV (3 cr.; prereq.: 3304)²

Notes

1. Students who place out of SPAN 2105, 2106, 3105 and/or 3106 should take other Spanish courses at the 3000 or 4000 level to satisfy those credit requirements.
2. Courses may count toward Pathways, depending on students' enrollment date at Virginia Tech.

Additional Information

- A minimum grade of "C" must be earned in each course completed for the Spanish minor. A minimum in-minor GPA of 2.0 is required. Only courses listed on this checksheet or approved substitutions are to be included in the Spanish minor GPA. Courses for the major, minor, or Curriculum for Liberal Education cannot be taken Pass/Fail (exception: SPAN 3125 & 3126).
- AP exam credit or IB diploma credit may possibly be used to satisfy certain requirements for the minor; please see your Spanish Advisor as soon as possible to make these substitutions.
- Priority is given to Spanish majors and minors for registration in Spanish courses.

Transfer Credit

- Students may transfer no more than 18 of the last 45 cr. of coursework. Study Abroad credits fall under this rule if they are not VT-sponsored study abroad programs.
- At least 25% of the 120 hours required for the degree and 25% of the 18 hours required for the minor must be completed at VT. For a Spanish minor, that is at least 5 credits (2 classes, essentially).
- A form titled "Authorization to Take Courses Elsewhere" must be filled out and signed by the student, the student's Spanish Advisor, and the Director of the Office of Education Abroad before the student departs on the study abroad program.
- A maximum of 50% of the required credits for a degree program may be earned at a two-year college.