

Minor in Spanish

18 units

Requirements

The Spanish minor (<https://www.apu.edu/programs/spanish-minor/>) comprises 18 units of coursework, though the actual number of units taken may be reduced (see footnote 1 below). Students in the Spanish minor must maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 in all university coursework.

Code	Title	Units
Core		
SPAN 101	Elementary Spanish I ^{1, 2}	3
SPAN 102	Elementary Spanish II ^{1, 2, 3}	3
Electives		12
Choose 12 units from the following:		
SPAN 201	Intermediate Spanish I	
SPAN 202	Intermediate Spanish II	
SPAN 301	Spanish Conversation and Community ⁴	
SPAN 320	Advanced Spanish Composition	
SPAN 332	Literary Masters ⁵	
SPAN 420	Public Speaking in Spanish ⁶	
Total Units		18

¹ Students who are native speakers of Spanish or had 3-4 years of high school Spanish should take the Spanish placement or CLEP (<http://catalog.apu.edu/student-resources/undergraduate/academic-resources/testing-proctoring-services/testing-services/clep/>) exam, then consult with an advisor before entering intermediate or upper-division work. Students may receive as many as 9 units of credit with a qualifying score on the CLEP exam (<http://catalog.apu.edu/student-resources/undergraduate/academic-resources/testing-proctoring-services/testing-services/clep/>).

² SPAN 101 and SPAN 102 can be substituted with SPAN 103 and SPAN 104.

³ Meets the APU Core: Ancient or Modern Language general education requirement.

⁴ Meets the APU Core: Intercultural Competence general education requirement.

⁵ Meets the APU Core: Humanities: Literature general education requirement.

⁶ Meets the APU Core: Oral Communication general education requirement.

Program Learning Outcomes

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Students who successfully complete this program shall be able to:

1. Demonstrate strong abilities in language skills (reading, writing), attaining at least the ACTFL Advanced-Low level.
2. Demonstrate strong abilities in language skills (speaking, listening), attaining at least the ACTFL Advanced-Low level.
3. Knowledge: Distinguish and describe the countries of the Spanish-speaking world, and describe their history and cultural achievements.
4. Literature: Critically analyze literary texts and construct thoughtful, textually-supported interpretations.
5. Intercultural Competence: Interact with people of Spanish-speaking communities with understanding and cultural sensitivity.