

Checklist for the French Major—(2011-2012)

Student's name: _____ Advisor: _____

Required courses. Total 36 credits required beyond the 202 level.

• **300-level core-curriculum** (prerequisite to higher-level courses, though students may begin taking higher-level courses the same semester as s/he completes the core).

_____ FRE 307. Advanced Grammar.	_____ FRE 304. Conversation.
_____ FRE 306. Composition.	_____ FRE 301. Intro to Literature.

• **Emphasis Requirements** (choose one area)

☐ **Literature**

_____ FRE 300. Survey Lit I. (Middle Ages/Renaissance).
_____ FRE 302. Survey Lit II. (17th/18th).
_____ FRE 303. Survey Lit III. (19th/20th).

☐ **Civilization**

_____ FRE 308. History.
_____ FRE 310. Contemporary France.
_____ FRE 312. Francophone Civilization

It is strongly encouraged that students in the Civilization Emphasis take at least one of the following courses: HST 365, HST 385, HST 386, HST 643

☐ **Linguistics**

_____ FRE 305. Phonetics.
_____ FRE 355. French Linguistics.
_____ FRE 308 History or _____ FRE 310 Contemporary France.

It is strongly encouraged that students in the Linguistics Emphasis take at least one of the following courses: ENG 261, ENG 363, ENG 364

• **Elective requirement.** Four elective courses at the 300 or 400-level, including two in literature, for a total of 12 credits. At least one elective must be at the 400-level (make sure to note prerequisites).

_____ FRE 300. Survey Lit I. Mid.Ages/Renaiss.	_____ FRE 380. Special Topics
_____ FRE 302. Survey Lit II. 17 th /18 th Centuries	_____ FRE 399. Independent Reading
_____ FRE 303. Survey Lit III. 19 th /20 th Centuries	_____ FRE 410. Medieval or Renaissance Lit.
_____ FRE 305. Phonetics	_____ FRE 412. 17th or 18th Century Lit.
_____ FRE 308. History	_____ FRE 414. 19 th Century Lit.
_____ FRE 310. Contemporary France	_____ FRE 416. 20 th Century Lit.
_____ FRE 312. Francophone Civilization	_____ FRE 420. Francophone Lit. & Cultures
_____ FRE 350. Business French	_____ FRE 480. Special Topics
_____ FRE 355. French Linguistics	_____ FRE 499. Independent Study and Research

***Certain courses may be taken twice with different course content (i.e. FRE 380, FRE 412).

• **Capstone Course (required for all majors)**

_____ FRE 495. Capstone. Offered winter semester.

• **Students seeking Secondary Teacher Certification.** Required in addition to the 36 credits for the major:

- ____ ENG 261. Study of Modern English
 or ____ FRE 380 Secondary Foreign Language Teaching Methods (highly recommended and soon to be required instead of ENG 261 – offered Winter semester)

** Students seeking Secondary Teacher Certification must also choose a teachable minor and complete the College of Education requirements (see below).

Teachable Minor _____

Education Major

Pre-Requisite Courses

- ____ ED 315 Diverse Perspectives
 on Education
 ____ PSY 301 Child Development
 ____ ED 337 Intro to Learning/Assess

Teacher Assisting Semester

- ____ ED 331 Teacher Assisting
 ____ ED 310 Classroom Environ.
 ____ ED 321 Reading
 ____ ED 370 Technology in Ed.
 ____ ED 379 Universal Design

Student Teaching Semester

- ____ ED 431 Student Teaching
 ____ ED 485 Context of Ed.
 Issues

* It is recommended that students seeking to go on to graduate school complete a minor or major in another language.

* All majors, but also minors in education, are strongly encouraged to study abroad in France or another Francophone country, especially in light of new State of Michigan proficiency requirements for teachers.

Graduation plan for the French Major

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Advisor _____ Date _____

Advisor Signature _____

Student signature _____ Date _____

It is imperative to meet with your faculty advisor or an advisor in the CLAS Academic Advising Center early in your career.

The CLAS Academic Advising Center is located in C-1-140 MAK, 616-331-8585.

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