

MODERN LANGUAGES PRE-MAJOR

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The following Pre-major is recommended for students who are considering completing a Bachelor's degree in Modern Languages after transferring to a four-year institution. It is designed for students who have not decided upon a specific four-year college or university. Once a transfer school is selected, students are strongly encouraged to consult the Office of Advising, Transitions, and Student Success and the transfer institution's catalog to select courses that will meet both Oakton and transfer institution requirements.

For more information on course selection or program-specific advising, contact the Department Chair or Program Coordinator. Part time students should also consult the Office of Advising, Transitions, and Student Success for part-time Pre-major recommendations. **General Education courses should be selected from the list of IAI General Education Courses.**

First Year

Semester One (Fall)		Hours
EGL 101	Composition I	3
Select one Beginning I (101) Language course:		4
ARB 101	Beginning Arabic I	
CHI 101	Beginning Chinese I	
FRE 101	Beginning French I	
GER 101	Beginning German I	
HBW 101	Beginning Hebrew I	
HIN 101	Beginning Hindi I	
ITL 101	Beginning Italian I	
JPN 101	Beginning Japanese I	
KOR 101	Beginning Korean I	
POL 101	Beginning Polish I	
RUS 101	Beginning Russian I	
SPN 101	Beginning Spanish I	
URD 101	Beginning Urdu I	
MAT 125 or MAT 131	General Education Mathematics or Elementary Statistics	4
Select one of the following:		3
ANT 102	Introduction to Social and Cultural Anthropology ¹	
GEG 120	World Regional Geography ²	
HIS 140	History of Contemporary Non-Western Civilizations ²	
PSC 202	International Relations ²	
Hours		14

Semester Two (Spring)

EGL 102	Composition II	3
Select one Beginning II (102) Language course:		4
ARB 102	Beginning Arabic II	
CHI 102	Beginning Chinese II	
FRE 102	Beginning French II	
GER 102	Beginning German II	
HBW 102	Beginning Hebrew II	
HIN 102	Beginning Hindi II	
ITL 102	Beginning Italian II	
JPN 102	Beginning Japanese II	
KOR 102	Beginning Korean II	
POL 102	Beginning Polish II	
RUS 102	Beginning Russian II	

SPN 102	Beginning Spanish II	
URD 102	Beginning Urdu II	
Select one Physical or Life science course with lab:		4
BIO 101	Introduction to Life Science	
BIO 106	Introduction to Environmental Science ²	
CHM 101	Introductory Chemistry	
CHM 105	Elements of Chemistry	
EAS 100	Introduction to Earth Science	
EAS 101	Physical Geology	
EAS 102	Historical Geology	
HUM 161 or MUS 236	Global Cinema ² or Music Literature and History	3

Hours **14**

Semester Three (Summer)

SPE 103	Effective Speech	3
Select one Conversational (105) Language course:		3
ARB 105	Conversational Arabic	
CHI 105	Conversational Chinese	
FRE 105	Conversational French	
GER 105	Conversational German	
HBW 105	Conversational Hebrew	
ITL 105	Conversational Italian	
JPN 105	Conversational Japanese	
KOR 105	Conversational Korean	
POL 105	Conversational Polish	
RUS 105	Conversational Russian	
SPN 105	Conversational Spanish	

Note: Conversational Hindi (HIN) and Urdu (URD) are not offered

Hours **6**

Second Year

Semester One (Fall)

Select one Intermediate I (201) Language course:		4
ARB 201	Intermediate Arabic I	
CHI 201	Intermediate Chinese I	
FRE 201	Intermediate French I	
GER 201	Intermediate German I	
HBW 201	Intermediate Hebrew I	
HIN 201	Intermediate Hindi I	
ITL 201	Intermediate Italian I	
JPN 201	Intermediate Japanese I	
KOR 201	Intermediate Korean I	
POL 201	Intermediate Polish I	
RUS 201	Intermediate Russian I	
SPN 201	Intermediate Spanish I	
URD 201	Intermediate Urdu I	

Select one Physical or Life Science course without lab:

BIO 109	Plants and Society ²	3
EAS 105	Introduction to Weather and Climate	
EAS 121	Physical Geography	
EAS 125	A Survey of Oceanography	
EAS 205	Environmental Geology	

Select one of the following:

HIS 226	History of the Islamic Middle East in Modern Times ²	3
PSC 101	American Government	
SSC 201	Introduction to Global Studies ²	

Select one of the following:

EGL 130	Introduction to Global Literature ²	3
HUM 121	Western Culture and the Arts: Renaissance through the 20th Century	
HUM 165	Introduction to World Music ²	
PHL 215	Asian Philosophy ²	
PHL 231	Modern and Contemporary Philosophy	

Hours **13**

Semester Two (Spring)

ART 114	Art History: Art of the Non-Western World ²	3
PHL 205	World Religions ²	3
Select one Intermediate II (202 ²) Language course:		4
ARB 202	Intermediate Arabic II	
CHI 202	Intermediate Chinese II	
FRE 202	Intermediate French II	
GER 202	Intermediate German II	
HBW 202	Intermediate Hebrew II	
HIN 202	Intermediate Hindi II	
ITL 202	Intermediate Italian II	
JPN 202	Intermediate Japanese II	
KOR 202	Intermediate Korean II	
POL 202	Intermediate Polish II	
RUS 202	Intermediate Russian II	
SPN 202	Intermediate Spanish II	
URD 202	Intermediate Urdu II	
Select one of the following:		3
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology ³	
SOC 103	Social Problems ¹	
SOC 232	Sociology of Race and Ethnicity ³	
SSC 105	Introduction to Ethnic Studies ³	
Hours		13
Total Hours		60

¹ Course fulfills both the Global Studies and U.S. Diversity Studies requirements.

² Course fulfills the Global Studies requirement. At least one Global Studies course is required for degree completion.

³ Course fulfills the U.S. Diversity Studies requirement. At least one U.S. Diversity Studies course is required for degree completion.

Note: Pre-major is a recommended sequence and selection of courses. For degree requirements see Associate in Arts (A.A.).