### Requirements for the French Studies Major (36 credits)

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<td>French Language Skills</td>
<td>Fren 333 (3 cr)</td>
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<td>Travel/Study Abroad</td>
<td>Fren 353 (3 cr)</td>
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<td>Special Topics (topics change every semester; course may be repeated)</td>
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<td>Electives</td>
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***It is strongly recommended that all French majors study abroad in a French-speaking country for a semester or year.***

### Education Program (34 Credits)

**As Part of University General Core Requirements:**
- PSYC 101 OR SOC 100 (3 cr)
- HIST 368 History of American Indians OR ANTH 421 Indians of North America (3 cr)

**Professional Semester I (PS I) (5 cr)**
- EDFN 338 Foundation of American Education (2 cr)
- EPSY 302 Educational Psychology (3 cr)

Requirements: In order to register for the two courses in PS I, students must have at least sophomore status by the time they finish the semester in which they take PS I.

**Professional Semester II (PS II) (5 cr)**
- SEED 420/L Teaching Methods and Lab (2 cr)
- SEED 450 7-12 Reading/Content Literacy (2 cr)
- SEED 314 Supervised Clinical Experience (1 cr)
Requirements: Students in PS II are considered members of the Teacher Education Program. In order to be admitted they must have at least junior status (completed at least 64 hours), complete PS I with grades of at least C and be recommended by their PS I instructors, hold an overall GPA of 2.5 or higher, and complete English, Mathematics, and Speech requirements with a grade of C or better.

Must be completed prior to Professional Semester III (10 cr)

- MLF 460-560 K-12 Foreign Language Methods (3 cr)
- EDFN 365 Computer-Based Technology and Learning (2 cr)
- EDFN 427 Middle School Philosophy and Application (2 cr)
- EDFN 475 Human Relations (3 cr)

Professional Semester III (PS III) (14 cr)

- SEED 450 - 7-12 Reading and Content Literacy (COM) (2 cr)
- SPED 405 - Educating Secondary Students with Disabilities (2 cr)
- SEED 410 - Social Foundations, Management and Law (2 cr)
- ELED 488 - K-8 Student Teaching (COM)
- SEED 488 - 7-12 Student Teaching (COM)

*Candidates in K-12 areas such as Health, Physical Education and Recreation, Art, Modern Language, and Music split their student teaching credits, enrolling in both SEED 488 and ELED 488.

Requirements: To be admitted into PS III, students must have senior standing, successfully completed all prerequisite coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.5 overall and a minimum GPA of 2.6 in their major and education courses, be recommended by both their major advisor and the special methods instructor, and meet with the Placement Supervisor prior to October 1 (for teaching in the following Spring Semester) or February 1 (for student teaching in the following Fall Semester).

Note: Students interested in seeking certification for coaching should consult with Tracy Nelson, the Coaching Certification Coordinator, to verify the specific requirements of each state in which they are interested. Tracy can be reached via telephone at 605-688-4034 or via email at tracy.nelson@sdstate.edu. Some states, including South Dakota, Iowa, and Minnesota, have specific requirements for athletic coaching certification in public schools. Students interested in seeking certification for coaching should consult with the Coaching Certification Coordinator to verify the specific requirements for each state. SDSU does require an American Sports Education Program Workshop for those interested in obtaining coaching certification.