



Bachelor of Arts in Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

Major: French Studies

Specialization: Teaching

2020-2021 Sample 4-Year Plan

Total Degree Requirements: 120 credits

Student _____ Student ID# _____ Student Phone # _____
 Advisor _____ Minimum GPA 2.5 _____ Minor/Career Interest(s) _____

Students are not limited to this plan; it is meant to be used as a guide for planning purposes in consultation with your advisor. The sample schedule is one possible path to completing your degree within four years. For official program requirements, please refer to the [Undergraduate Catalog](#).

First Year

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ACS 119	First Year Seminar	Suggested	2		
ENGL 101	English Composition I (SGR #1)	p. Placement; Grade of C or higher required.	3		
FREN 101	Introductory French I (SGR #4)	Take placement exam to determine proper proficiency level. FREN 101 is not included in the major.	4		
SGR #3	Social Sciences/Diversity	SGR #3 satisfied by coursework from 2 different disciplines.	3		
SGR #6	Natural Sciences		3-4		
Total Credit Hours			15-16		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
AIS 211	South Dakota American Indian Culture and Education (SGR #3)		3		
FREN 102	Introductory French II (SGR #4)	p. FREN 101	4		
SGR #5	Mathematics	p. Placement; Grade of C or higher required.	3		
SGR #6	Natural Sciences		3-4		
SPCM 101	Fundamentals of Speech (SGR #2)	Grade of C or higher required.	3		
Total Credit Hours			16-17		

Second Year

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ENGL 201	English Composition II (SGR #1)	p. ENGL 101	3		
FREN 201	Intermediate French I (SGR #4)	p. FREN 102	3		
Minor/2 nd Major Courses		Optional minor/double major encouraged	9		
Total Credit Hours			15		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EDFN 101	Exploration of Teaching and Learning		1		
FREN 202	Intermediate French II (SGR #4)	p. FREN 201	3		
FREN 211 or FREN 212	Intermediate Oral Practice I or Intermediate Oral Practice II	p. FREN 102 p. FREN 201	2		
Minor/2 nd Major Courses		Optional minor/double major encouraged	9		
Total Credit Hours			15		



Third Year

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EDFN 340	Adolescent Development in Education Contexts	Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required.	3		
EDFN 351	Teaching and Learning I	Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required.	1		
FREN 310	French Languages Skills	p. FREN 202	3		
FREN 333	Topics in Francophone Culture	p. FREN 202	3		
FREN Literature, Language and Culture Elective		Select course according to interest and availability.	3-6		
Total Credit Hours			13-16		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EDFN 352-352L	Teaching and Learning II and Lab	p. EDFN 351; Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required.	5		
FREN 433	French Culture and Civilization	p. FREN 310	3		
FREN Literature, Language and Culture Elective		Select course according to interest and availability.	6		
Minor/2 nd Major Courses		Optional minor/double major encouraged	3		
Total Credit Hours			17		

Summer

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
FREN 494	International Internship	Suggested study abroad experience.	3-6		
Total Credit Hours			3-6		

Fourth Year

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EDFN 453-453L	Teaching and Learning III and Lab	p. EDFN 352; Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required.	3, 4		
MFL 420	K-12 Foreign Language Methods		3	F	
SEED 450	7-12 Reading and Content Literacy	p. Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required.	2		
Total Credit Hours			12		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EDFN 454	Teaching and Learning IV	p. EDFN 453; Teaching, Learning and Leadership department consent required.	11		
SEED 456	Capstone/Action Research	c. EDFN 454	1		
Total Credit Hours			12		

Comments/Notes

Students from all academic majors can pursue graduation with Fishback Honors College distinction. View the [Honors program requirements](#).

As part of the College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, students in this program must complete/earn:

- a minimum of 33 upper division credits (300-400 level courses)
- a capstone course in the major
- a designated diversity, equity, and inclusion course –AIS 211 for teaching specialization students only
- a grade of C or better is required in SPCM 101, ENGL 101, SGR #5 Mathematics, and in all education coursework
- a minor, second major, or teaching specialization
- 6+ credits of Modern Foreign Language coursework, including completion of the 202-Level

Testing into a higher-level language course may reduce time to graduation. To begin coursework above the 101 level, take the free modern language placement test at <https://www.sdstate.edu/modern-languages-global-studies/mfl-placement-information> Students with any modern language experience are strongly encouraged to complete the placement test.