

# Minor in French, German, Japanese, or Spanish

## Minor in French, German, Japanese or Spanish

A minor in French, German, Japanese or Spanish requires the completion of four courses in the language beyond the basic foundation sequence (Language 1001, Language 1002, and Language 2101). ~~along with any associated "A" courses for Spanish minors.~~ Transfer students must complete at least two courses for the minor at UMSL. All courses must be passed with a grade of C- or better.

### Specific requirement for the minor in French

FRENCH 2170	Intermediate French Language And Culture	3
FRENCH 2180	Readings In French	3
Select two French courses on the 3000-level or above.		6
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>12</b>

### Specific requirement for the minor in German

GERMAN 2170	Intermediate Practice in Speaking and Writing German	3
GERMAN 2180	Intermediate Readings In German	3
Select two German courses on the 3000-level or above.		6
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>12</b>

### Specific requirement for the minor in Japanese

JAPAN 2102	Intermediate Japanese II	5
JAPAN 3201	Intermediate Japanese III	3
JAPAN 3202	Intermediate Japanese IV	3
Select one course in Japanese Studies.		3
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>14</b>

### Specific requirement for the minor in Spanish

Select two of the following:		7-8
SPANISH 2199 & 2199A	Special Topics: Language Immersion: Spanish and Spanish Grammar for Language Immersion	
SPANISH 2172 & 2172A	Spanish Composition and Grammar for Spanish Composition	
SPANISH 2180 & 2180A	Readings In Spanish and Grammar for Readings in Spanish	

Plus two Spanish courses on the 3000-level or above	6
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>13-14</b>

**Minimum total hours required for the minor in Spanish is 12 beyond SPANISH 2101.**

Sign-offs from other departments affected by this proposal

None

Rationale

- Elimination of Spanish 2172A and 2180A: Grammar content will be integrated into Spanish 2172 and 2180, which will each now be four-credit hour courses. This change will permit a more effective incorporation of grammar into the curriculum. - Elimination of Spanish 2199A: this is to be consistent with the elimination of Spanish 2172A and Spanish 218A (see above). - Minimum total hours will allow flexibility to minors who may choose to take 2199 (3 credits) in combination with 2172 or 2180 (4 credits each) and complete their minor with a total of 13 hours. It may also address the needs of transfer students who may transfer equivalent three-credit-hour 2000-level courses