

SPANISH MINOR
Department of World Languages and Literatures
<http://www.memphis.edu/wll/spanish/minor.php>

The Spanish minor consists of 18 credit hours (6 classes).

- Up to 3 classes (9 hours) can be from the lower division level classes SPAN 1020, SPAN 2010, and/or SPAN 2020. Students who place into and complete SPAN 2010 or higher with a minimum grade of "C" can apply for retroactive credit for lower courses (<http://www.memphis.edu/wll/student-resources/placement-testing.php>)
- At least 3 classes (9 hours) MUST be from the upper division level. Students can choose the upper division classes they take from the list below. After completion of SPAN 2020, it is highly recommended that students take SPAN 3301 or 3303 as these courses are a prerequisite for other upper-division courses. At the 3000 level, you may take more than one class at a time.

LOWER DIVISION

- SPAN 1020 - Elementary Spanish II (3)**
Further development of basic skills fundamental to language proficiency and culture. PREREQUISITE: SPAN 1010, or equivalent.
- SPAN 2010 - Intermediate Spanish I (3)**
Comprehensive review of Spanish grammar, exercises in writing conversation, and readings in Hispanic literature and culture. PREREQUISITE: SPAN 1020, or equivalent.
- SPAN 2020 - Intermediate Spanish II (3)**
More advanced readings. PREREQUISITE: SPAN 2010, or equivalent.

UPPER DIVISION (At least 3 required)

- SPAN 3301 - Conversation (3) (RECOMMENDED)**
Designed to help students develop oral proficiency; diverse opportunities for self-expression. Not intended for students with native or near-native proficiency in Spanish. PREREQUISITE: SPAN 2020, or equivalent.
- SPAN 3303 - Composition (3) (RECOMMENDED)**
Designed to develop adequate writing skills; compositions analyzed to identify and avoid frequent grammatical errors and to avoid interference from English. Not intended for students with native or near-native proficiency. PREREQUISITE: SPAN 2020 or equivalent.
- SPAN 3304 – Introduction to Hispanic Studies (3)**
Introduction to the topics covered in the field of Hispanic studies, including but not limited to the study of Literature, World Languages for Specific Purposes, Culture and Linguistics. PREREQUISITE or COREQUISITE: three 3000-level courses, equivalent, or permission of instructor.
- SPAN 3308 - Spanish Phonetics (3)**
Designed to develop strong pronunciation skills; presents basic principles of Spanish phonetics and examines the features of several dialects of this language. PREREQUISITE or COREQUISITE: three 3000-level courses, equivalent, or permission of instructor.
- SPAN 3312 - Advanced Conversation (3)**
Further vocabulary expansion, precision in diction, and ability to express and understand non-technical subjects. PREREQUISITE: SPAN 3311, or permission of instructor.
- SPAN 3313 - Advanced Composition (3)**
Designed to develop strong command of written language; emphasis on style, organization and exposition of content as opposed to grammatical analysis. PREREQUISITE: SPAN 3303, or permission of instructor.
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*** SPAN 3550* an online class taught in English -does not count toward the minor nor major in Spanish!!**

HOW TO DECLARE A SPANISH MINOR

- For College of Art & Science majors: to declare your minor in Spanish, you can either stop by Scates Hall 107 or email casgraduation@memphis.edu.
- If your major is outside of the College of Arts and Sciences, please declare the minor through your home college or department or your advisor.
- If you have more specific questions or are a native/heritage speaker of Spanish, please contact the Spanish Undergraduate Advisor (Jennifer Johnston, jrock@memphis.edu).