# University Core and Graduation Requirements

## University Core Requirements:

### Religion Cornerstones
- Teachings and Doctrine of The Book of Mormon
  - REL A 275
- Jesus Christ and the Everlasting Gospel
  - REL A 250
- Foundations of the Restoration
  - REL C 225
- The Eternal Family
  - REL C 200

### The Individual and Society
- American Heritage
  - 1-2 classes, 3-6.0 hours from approved list
- Global and Cultural Awareness
  - 1 class, 3.0 hours from approved list

### Skills
- First Year Writing
  - 1 class, 3.0 hours from approved list
- Advanced Written and Oral Communications
  - 1 class, 3 hours from approved list
- Quantitative Reasoning
  - 1 class, 3-4.0 hours from approved list
- Languages of Learning (Math or Language)
  - 1 class, 3.0 hours from approved list

### Arts, Letters, and Sciences
- Civilization 1
  - 1 class, 3.0 hours from approved list
- Civilization 2
  - 1 class, 3.0 hours from approved list
- Arts
  - 1 class, 3.0 hours from approved list
- Letters
  - 1 class, 3.0 hours from approved list
- Biological Science
  - 1 class, 3.0 hours from approved list
- Physical Science
  - 1 class, 3.0 hours from approved list
- Social Science
  - 1 class, 3.0 hours from approved list

### Core Enrichment: Electives
- Religion Electives
  - 3-4 classes, 6.0 hours from approved list
- Open Electives
  - Variable hours

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*These classes fill both university core and program requirements (11–21 hours overlap)*

## Graduation Requirements:
- Minimum residence hours required
  - 30.0
- Minimum hours needed to graduate
  - 120.0

## Suggested Sequence of Courses

### FRESHMAN YEAR
- 1st Semester
  - First-year Writing or American Heritage
    - 3.0
  - FREN 101
    - 4.0
  - Quantitative reasoning (if needed)
    - 0-3.0
  - General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives
    - 6.0
  - Religion Cornerstone course
    - 2.0
  - Total Hours
    - 15.0
- 2nd Semester
  - A HTG 100 or 1st Year Writing
    - 3.0
  - FREN 102
    - 4.0
  - General Education course, and/or general electives
    - 6.0
  - Total Hours
    - 15.0

### SOPHOMORE YEAR
- 3rd Semester
  - FREN 201
    - 4.0
  - Religion Cornerstone course
    - 2.0
  - General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives
    - 6.0
  - Total Hours
    - 17.0
- 4th Semester
  - FREN 202
    - 3.0
  - SC ED 353
    - 3.0
  - General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives
    - 6.0
  - Total Hours
    - 15.0

### JUNIOR YEAR
- 5th Semester
  - FREN 202* or SC ED 353*
    - 3.0
  - CPSE 402
    - 2.0
  - Religion Elective
    - 2.0
  - General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives
    - 6.0
  - Total Hours
    - 15.0
- 6th Semester
  - FREN 321
    - 3.0
  - FREN 340
    - 3.0
  - IPET 286
    - 1.0
  - Religion Cornerstone course
    - 2.0
  - Total Hours
    - 15.0

### SENIOR YEAR
- 7th Semester
  - SC ED 375
    - 3.0
  - FREN 377
    - 3.0
  - FREN 491R
    - 0.0
  - French 400-level elective
    - 2.0
  - Total Hours
    - 15.0
- 8th Semester
  - FREN 378
    - 2.0
  - FREN 402
    - 2.0
  - CPSE 402
    - 2.0
  - Religious Elective
    - 2.0
  - General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives
    - 6.0
  - Total Hours
    - 12.0

### FIFTH YEAR: SC ED 476R or 496R
- 9th Semester
  - Spring/Summer
    - 12.0
  - Total Hours
    - 12.0

**Note: Check with department for current availability of all courses.**

**Note: Students are encouraged to complete an average of 15 credit hours each semester or 30 credit hours each year, which could include spring and/or summer terms. Taking fewer credits substantially increases the cost and the number of semesters to graduate.**
This major is designed to prepare students to teach in public schools. In order to graduate with this major, students are required to complete Utah State Office of Education licensing requirements. To view these requirements go to http://education.byu.edu/ess/licensing.html or contact Education Student Services, 350 MCKB, 801-422-3426.

The French and Italian Department requires a minimum of 18 major hours to be taken in residence at BYU for this degree program. These hours may also go toward BYU’s 30-hour residency requirement for graduation.

For students accepted into the major after December 16, 2019, grades below C in any required coursework in a teaching major or teaching minor will not be accepted. Teacher candidates must maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.7 or higher once admitted into the program and to qualify for student teaching.

For additional details on admission and retention requirements for teaching majors and teaching minors, see Educator Preparation Program Requirements in the Undergraduate Catalog.

A teaching minor in another subject is strongly recommended. Teaching opportunities in public schools may be significantly reduced without a second teaching subject that a teaching minor provides.

Complete the following prerequisite courses: FREN 101, 102, 201, 202. (May be waived with previous equivalent language experience.)

### REQUIREMENT 1 Complete 6 courses

**NOTE:** FREN 378 MUST BE TAKEN THE SEMESTER IMMEDIATELY BEFORE STUDENT TEACHING.

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<td>FREN 340 - Introduction to Literary Analysis</td>
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<td>FREN 377 - Introduction to French Language Procedures and Practicum</td>
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<td>*FREN 431 - Introduction to French Linguistics</td>
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<td>FREN 362 - French Civilization from 1715 to the Present</td>
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<td>FREN 363 - Contemporary France and the Francophone World</td>
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<td>FREN 432 - History of French</td>
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<td>FREN 445 - Advanced Francophone Culture</td>
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<td>FREN 465R - Francophone Studies</td>
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<td>FREN 478R - Women in French and Francophone Literature</td>
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<td>FREN 490R - Individual Study in French</td>
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### REQUIREMENT 4 Complete 1 option

**COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING BEFORE ENROLLING IN FREN 378. THE RATING WILL BE RECORDED ON THE STUDENT’S TRANSCRIPT. THE EXPECTED MINIMUM RATING OF ADVANCED-LOW MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE APPLYING TO STUDENT TEACH.**

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<td>FREN 491R - Senior Oral Proficiency Evaluation</td>
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**Note:** Before applying for student teaching or an internship, students must receive an official OPI certificate from ACTFL with a rating of ADVANCED-LOW or higher and take the French PRAXIS test. At least one month before student teaching applications are due, students should schedule an OPI through the Center for Language Studies, 3086 JFSB.

### REQUIREMENT 5 Complete 2 options

**PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION COMPONENT:**

Licensure requirements: Contact the Education Advisement Center, 350 MCKB, 801-422-3426, to schedule the final interview to clear your application for the secondary teaching license. You should be registered for your last semester at BYU prior to the scheduled appointment.

### OPTION 6.1 Complete 7 courses

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<td>FREN 476R - Second Student Teaching</td>
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<td>FREN 496R - Academic Internship: Secondary Education</td>
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Student teachers/interns must complete three forms in their LiveText accounts (PIBS, CDS, PED) and attach their TWS to the LiveText account for their program. All four must be completed to be cleared for graduation.

**Note:** The Department of French and Italian offers the following resources to strengthen language skills: conversation courses (FREN 211R, 311R, 411R), Foreign Language Student Residence, Study Abroad, and internships in French-speaking countries. Please refer to the specific program or course description for detailed information about these resources.

### GENERAL INFORMATION:

The Department of French and Italian strongly recommends that STDEV 317, a 1-credit-hour course, be taken at the end of the sophomore year or the beginning of the junior year. Because liberal arts degrees provide preparation in a variety of useful fields rather than a single career track, this course is recommended to help liberal arts students focus on specific educational and occupational goals and to identify the career options or educational opportunities available to them. The course will introduce them to the resources needed for accessing information about graduate schools, internships, careers, and career development. Students will learn basic employment strategies, including the steps necessary for obtaining employment related to their own specialty.

### THE DISCIPLINE:

The study of French language and literature sharpens analytical and communicative skills.
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<th>Students develop proficiency in listening, reading, writing, and speaking, and they learn to use literature as a means to discover and broaden their understanding of culturally specific as well as universal issues and values.</th>
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<td>CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:</td>
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<td>The French Teaching Program prepares students with the professional knowledge and experience required to become licensed middle and high school French teachers. The program provides a strong foundation in the French language and Francophone literature and culture. It also focuses on pedagogy to support students in the development of curriculum, lesson plans, and assessment. Graduates of this program are positioned to work as teachers, curriculum specialists, and language program coordinators. Many also pursue advanced degrees that qualify them to work as administrators, curriculum or technology specialists, and professional consultants.</td>
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<td>Students must apply for admission to the French Teaching program. Before applying, students must complete FLANG 276 (Exploration of Language Teaching), offered on the first block during Fall and Winter semesters. Application is done through the Educator database (<a href="http://educator.byu.edu">http://educator.byu.edu</a>). A teaching minor in another field is not required but strongly encouraged. For a list of teaching majors and minors, see <a href="https://education.byu.edu/">https://education.byu.edu/</a> advisement/majors_and_minors.</td>
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<td>While every reasonable effort is made to ensure accuracy, there are some student populations that could have exceptions to listed requirements. Please refer to the university catalog and your college advisement center/department for complete guidelines.</td>
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