

# FRENCH CONCENTRATION

## Requirements

In addition to the Core Curriculum requirements, Foreign Languages majors in the French Concentration must complete 30 units. Of the 30 units, at least 15 units must be taken at Towson University.

Code	Title	Units
<b>Required Courses</b>		
FREN 301	ADVANCED CONVERSATION <sup>1</sup>	3
FREN 302	ADVANCED COMPOSITION <sup>1</sup>	3
<b>Literature and Civilization Required Courses</b>		
FREN 329	CONTEMPORARY FRENCH LITERATURE AND CIVILIZATION: 1945 TO PRESENT	3
or FREN 330	FRANCOPHONE LITERATURE AND CIVILIZATION	
Select two of the following:		6
FREN 325	EARLY FRENCH LITERATURE AND CIVILIZATION: MIDDLE AGES TO 17TH CENTURY	
FREN 326	18TH-CENTURY LITERATURE AND CIVILIZATION	
FREN 327	19TH-CENTURY LITERATURE AND CIVILIZATION	
FREN 328	20TH-CENTURY LITERATURE AND CIVILIZATION	
<b>Electives</b>		
Select fifteen units in French, of which 9 units at the 400 level are required		15
<b>Total Units</b>		<b>30</b>

<sup>1</sup> Native and Heritage speakers of French may earn up to 6 units for FREN 301 and/or FREN 302 by taking the Departmental Challenge Exam.

## Four-Year Plan of Study

### Suggested Four-Year Plan

Based on course availability and student needs and preferences, the selected sequences will probably vary from those presented below. Students should consult with their adviser to make the most appropriate elective choices.

<b>Freshman</b>		
Term 1	Units Term 2	Units
FREN 201 (Core 5) <sup>1</sup>	3 FREN 202 (Core 12) <sup>1</sup>	3
Core 1 (or Core 2)	3 Core 2 (or Core 1)	3
Core 3	3 Core 8	4
Core 4	3 Core 10	3
Core 6	3 Core 11	3
	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>Sophomore</b>		
Term 1	Units Term 2	Units
FREN 301	3 FREN 302	3
Core 7	4 Core 9	3
Core 13	3 Elective	3

Core 14	3 Elective	3
Elective	3 Elective	3
	<b>16</b>	<b>15</b>

<b>Junior</b>		
Term 1	Units Term 2	Units
FREN 329 or 330	3 <b>Select one of the following:</b> <sup>2</sup>	3
FREN 3xx Upper-Level Elective	3 FREN 325	
Elective	3 FREN 326	
Elective	3 FREN 327	
Elective	3 FREN 328	
	FREN 4xx Upper-Level Elective <sup>3</sup>	3
	Elective	3
	Elective	3
	Elective	3
	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>

<b>Senior</b>		
Term 1	Units Term 2	Units
FREN 3xx Upper-Level Elective	3 <b>Select one of the following:</b> <sup>2</sup>	3
FREN 4xx Upper-Level Elective <sup>3</sup>	3 FREN 325	
Elective	3 FREN 326	
Elective	3 FREN 327	
Elective	3 FREN 328	
	FREN 4xx Upper-Level Elective <sup>3</sup>	3
	Elective	3
	Elective	3
	Elective	1
	<b>15</b>	<b>13</b>

### Total Units 120

<sup>1</sup> During their first academic year, students may take French Intermediate courses (FREN 201- FREN 202) if needed, or they may start with FREN 301 after consultation with a faculty adviser from the Department of Languages, Literatures and Cultures.

<sup>2</sup> Students are required to take three courses in literature and civilization at the 300 level. All students must take either FREN 329 or FREN 330.

<sup>3</sup> With the permission of the department, students can substitute the internship (FREN 497) for one 400-level elective course. The internship is generally completed in the junior or senior year, and students will need to complete 27 units beyond the intermediate level and have a GPA of at least 2.50 in French before applying for the internship.

## Learning Outcomes

- Students are expected to achieve oral proficiency at the Advanced Low level according to ACTFL standards.
- Students are expected to achieve listening comprehension at the Advanced Low level according to ACTFL standards.
- Students are expected to achieve reading comprehension at the Advanced Low level according to ACTFL standards.

- d. Students are expected to demonstrate written proficiency at the Advanced Low level according to ACTFL standards.