

# SPANISH, BA

## Bachelor of Arts in Spanish (358000BA)

More on the Spanish major (<https://www.uakron.edu/modlang/academics/undergraduate/spanish-major-information.dot>)

### Departmental Requirements

Completion of 28 credits above the second year (200 level): including at least one 400-level language course and one 400-level culture course, which must be taken at The University of Akron. All courses taken toward completion of the requirements for the Spanish major must be passed with a grade of C or better in order to count toward fulfillment of the major requirements. Minimum Upper Division: Excluding workshops is 40 credits, Department credits is 28, Elective credits 36 and the minimum GPA/Major and Cumulative GPA is a 2.0.

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The following information has official approval of **The Department of Modern Languages** and **The Buchtel College of Arts & Sciences**, but is intended only as a supplemental guide. Official degree requirements are established at the time of transfer and admission to the degree-granting college. Students should refer to the Degree Progress Report (Stellic) which is definitive for graduation requirements. *Completion of this degree within the identified time frame below is contingent upon many factors, including but not limited to: class availability, total number of required credits, work schedule, finances, family, course drops/withdrawals, successfully passing courses, prerequisites, among others.* The transfer process is completed through an appointment with your academic advisor.

**Three year accelerated option:** for first time students who have earned credits for at least the first year of courses. Credits can be earned through qualifying scores on appropriate Advanced Placement (AP) exams or through [College Credit Plus](#) Program (CCP) courses. Credits for qualifying AP scores or CCP courses are determined by the appropriate academic department. Departments may assign varied course credit, depending on the student's score on an AP exam or [grade in a CCP](#) course. Students may also receive credit by examination or via placement tests, where appropriate.

### Requirements Summary

Code	Title	Hours
	General Education Requirements ( <a href="https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/general-education/">https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/general-education/</a> )	36
	College of Arts & Sciences Requirements	14
	Spanish Core	28
	Additional Credits for Graduation *	42
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>120</b>

\* Bachelor's degrees require a minimum of 120 credit hours for graduation.

### General Education Courses

Code	Title	Hours
Students pursuing a bachelor's degree must complete the following General Education coursework. Diversity courses may also fulfill major or Breadth of Knowledge requirements. Integrated and Applied Learning courses may also fulfill requirements in the major.		
<b>Academic Foundations</b>		<b>12</b>
<i>Mathematics, Statistics and Logic: 3 credit hours</i>		
<i>Speaking: 3 credit hours</i>		
<i>Writing: 6 credit hours</i>		
<b>Breadth of Knowledge</b>		<b>22</b>
<i>Arts/Humanities: 9 credit hours</i>		
<i>Natural Sciences: 7 credit hours</i>		
<i>Social Sciences: 6 credit hours</i>		
<b>Diversity</b>		
Domestic Diversity		
Global Diversity		
<b>Integrated and Applied Learning</b>		<b>2</b>
<i>Select one class from one of the following subcategories:</i>		
Complex Issues Facing Society		
Capstone		
<i>Review the General Education Requirements page for detailed course listings.</i>		
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>36</b>

### College of Arts & Sciences Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Degree requirements in Arts &amp; Sciences include the demonstration of ability to use another language by completion of the second year of a foreign language.</b>		
<b>2 Year Language Proficiency</b>		<b>14</b>
101 Beginning I		
102 Beginning II		
201 Intermediate I		
202 Intermediate II		
SLPA 222	Survey of Deaf Culture in America (American Sign Language option only)	

**Students must also complete a minimum of 40 credits (excluding workshops) consisting of either:**

Upper-level (300/400) courses both in and outside of the student's major;

or other courses outside the major department approved by the student's major department chair (permission should be obtained prior to enrollment); these may not include workshops

### Spanish Core

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Complete a total of 28 credits at the 300/400 level, including at least one 400-level Language and Culture course:</b>		
<i>Language:</i>		

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SPAN 401 Advanced Spanish Conversation  
or SPAN 402 Advanced Spanish Composition  
or SPAN 403 Advanced Grammar

*Culture:*<sup>1</sup>

SPAN 431 Hispanic Culture: Spain  
or SPAN 432 Hispanic Culture: Spanish America

SPAN 3XX 300-level Spanish Electives

SPAN 4XX 400-level Spanish Electives

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**Total Hours** **28**

<sup>1</sup> Must be taken in residence at the main campus at The University of Akron.