

MAJOR IN FRENCH STUDIES

A Guide | 2023-2024



Arts & Sciences
Romance Studies

WHAT DO I NEED TO DO?	HOW DO I DO THAT?
Get your prerequisites out of the way	Take courses in French up to LF212, or the equivalent as determined by placement tests of you AP/SAT II score
Meet with an advisor	Don't have an advisor? Request one by contacting Abby in the Romance Studies Office: abrobert@bu.edu
Take twelve terrific classes	Use the checklist below to plan your studies

WHAT DO I NEED?	WHAT COUNTS?	PLANNER
Foundational courses - all the same courses you need for your Minor		
Two advanced courses in French Language and Culture; must be conducted in French	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Courses LF301-349 unless conducted in English 	_____
One introduction to the textual analysis of French Literature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> LF350 or LF351 	_____
One additional course	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The second of LF350 or LF351 Additional courses in LF301-349 conducted in French Internships for which BU grants academic credit when that internship includes a clearly demonstrable relation to the French and Francophone world 	_____
Advanced Courses - just four beyond the Minor		
A total of six courses about the French and Francophone world that you have taken in Study Abroad, Linguistics, other BU Departments, or other BU Schools and get Major credit for them.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any course number LF400+ Advanced courses in other programs taught by Odile Cazenave, Jennifer Cazenave, Irit Kleiman, or Rachel Mesch Others by petition 	_____ ; _____ _____ ; _____ _____ ; _____
Electives - a chance to count classes you have taken outside the department		
Connect any two courses about the French and Francophone world that you have taken in Study Abroad, Linguistics, other BU departments, or other BU schools and get Major credit for them.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> LF or other courses taught on BU Study Abroad programs with a relation to Francophone world OR LX courses OR courses about the French and Francophone world from other CAS departments (e.g. Art History, History) and from other BU schools by petition OR Core Curriculum courses Want to upgrade your existing French Minor to the revised Major in French Studies? Use this space for additional classes that were taught in French. 	_____

psst: Most of these courses can help with your HUB requirements. We have courses that fulfill more than a dozen distinct HUB and toolkit units!