

ANTHROPOLOGY B.A.

Anthropology is an interconnected discipline and majors are urged to acquire a broad background especially in the natural and social sciences and the humanities. Recommended areas of study are biology, economics, English, geography, geology, history, communication studies, linguistics, Native American studies, philosophy, political science, psychology, religious studies, and sociology.

Bachelor of Arts - Anthropology

General Education Requirements

Information regarding these requirements can be found in the General Education Section (<http://catalog.umd.edu/academics/general-education-requirements/>) of the catalog.

Summary

Code	Title	Hours
Lower-Division Core Courses		12
Statistics Requirement		3
Subarea I - Theory and Methods		6
Anthropological Theory		
Anthropological Methods		
Subarea II, III, IV		6
Subarea II: Human Adaptation and Diversity		
Subarea III: World Societies and Cultures		
Subarea IV: Concepts and Issues		
Anthropology or Linguistics Electives		12
Total Hours		39

Degree Specific Credits: 39

Required Cumulative GPA: 2.0

Note: There are no prerequisites to the undergraduate major. The major requires 36 credits in Anthropology, Linguistics, or Native American Studies, 12 of which must be the core offerings. In addition to the core courses, students are required to have a course in statistics. Students must complete the core courses and the statistics course with a letter grade of C- or better.

Lower-Division Core Courses

Code	Title	Hours
Complete all of the following courses:		
ANTY 210N	Introduction to Biological Anthropology	3
ANTY 220S	Culture & Society	3
ANTY 250S	Intro to Archaeology	3
LING 270S	Intro to Linguistics	3
Total Hours		12

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Statistics Requirement

Code	Title	Hours
Complete one of the following courses:		3
ANTY 208	Anthropological Statistics	
ANTY 401	Anthropological Data Analysis	
ECNS 403	Introduction to Econometrics	
PSYX 222	Psychological Statistics	
SOCI 202	Social Statistics	
STAT 216	Introduction to Statistics	
FORS 201	Forest Biometrics	

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Subarea I - Theory and Methods

Rule: Complete 3 credits in Theory and 3 credits in Methods: 6 total credits required.

Anthropological Theory

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 3 credits of the following courses:		3
ANTY 312	Human Evolution	
ANTY 400	History of Anthropology	
ANTY 403	Public Anthropology	
ANTY 404	Anthropological Museology	
ANTY 415	Emergence of Modern Humans	
ANTY 430	Social Anthropology	
ANTY 450	Archaeological Theory	
ANTY 456	Historical Archaeology	
ANTY 458	Archaeology of Hunter-Gatherers	
LING 470	Linguistic Analysis	

Total Hours 3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Anthropological Methods

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 3 credits of the following courses:		3
ANTY 402	Quantitative Ethnographic Field Methods	
ANTY 408	Advanced Anthropological Statistics	
ANTY 412	Osteology	
ANTY 413	Forensic and Mortuary Archaeology	
ANTY 416	Dental Anthropology	
ANTY 418	Evolution and Genetic Variation in Human Populations	
ANTY 431	Ethnographic Field Methods	
ANTY 451	Cultural Resource Management	
ANTY 454	Lithic Technology	
ANTY 455	Artifact Analysis	
ANTY 466	Archaeological Survey	
ANTY 467	Archaeological Field School	
ANTY 476	Methods for Native Languages	
ANTY 495	Field Experience/Practicum	
LING 474	Historical Linguistics	

LING 475	Linguistic Field Methods	
Total Hours		3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Subarea II, III, IV

Rule: Complete 6 credits from 2 of 3 subareas: 6 total credits required.

Subarea II: Human Adaptation and Diversity

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 3 credits of the following courses:		3
ANTY 104	Ancient Migrations	
ANTY 122S	Race and Minorities	
ANTY 133X	Food and Culture	
ANTY 310	Human Variation	
ANTY 333	Culture and Population	
ANTY 418	Evolution and Genetic Variation in Human Populations	
ANTY 426	Culture, Health, and Healing	
LING 375X	Linguistic Ecology and Language Endangerment	
Total Hours		3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Subarea III: World Societies and Cultures

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 3 credits of the following courses:		3
ANTY 102H	Intro to South & S. East Asia	
ANTY 141H	The Silk Road	
ANTY 150X	Archaeology of Yellowstone: 11,000 Years of Native Americans in Yellowstone National Park	
ANTY 241H	Central Asian Culture and Civilization	
ANTY 251	Foundations of Civilization	
ANTY 254X	Archaeological Wonders of the World	
ANTY 323X	Native Peoples of Montana	
ANTY 330X	Peoples and Cultures of World	
ANTY 351H	Archaeology of North America	
ANTY 352X	Archaeology of Montana	
ANTY 353	PaleoIndian Archaeology	
ANTY 354H	Mesoamerican Prehistory	
ANTY 442	Cities and Landscapes of Central Asia	
ANTY 444	Artistic Traditions of Central Asia	
ANTY 459	Archaeology of the Arctic and Subarctic	
ANTY 465	Archaeology of the Southwest United States	
ANTY 494	Seminar/Workshop	
Total Hours		3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Subarea IV: Concepts and Issues

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 3 credits of the following courses:		3
ANTY 126	Anthropology and Global Health	
ANTY 314	Principles of Forensic Anthropology	
ANTY 326E	Indigenous Peoples & the Ethics of Development	
ANTY 336	Myth, Ritual and Religion	
ANTY 349	Social Change	
ANTY 422	Mind, Culture, and Society	
ANTY 423	Culture and Identity	
ANTY 427	Anthropology of Gender	
ANTY 435	Drugs, Culture, and Society	
ANTY 440	Contemporary Issues of South and Southeast Asia	
LING 473	Language and Culture	
LING 477	Bilingualism	
LING 484	North American Indigenous Language & Linguistics	
LING 489	Morphology	
NASX 306X	Contemporary Global Issues of Indigenous People	
Total Hours		3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Anthropology or Linguistics Electives

Code	Title	Hours
Complete 12 credits in Anthropology and Linguistics electives not completing core or subarea requirements.		12
Total Hours		12

Minimum Required Grade: C-