

# LINGUISTICS M.A.

## Master of Arts - Linguistics

### Summary

Code	Title	Hours
Required Courses		15
Seminars		6-9
Electives		9-12
Thesis		6
Comprehensive Exam		
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>36-42</b>

Degree Specific Credits: 36

Required Cumulative GPA: 3.0

### Notes

- Students earning an MA degree in Linguistics at the University of Montana complete a 36-credit-hour program of study.
- Thesis and comprehensive exam options are available.
  - Any student may elect to pursue the comprehensive exam option.
  - Students wishing to pursue the thesis option must submit a thesis proposal draft in their second semester, and a final thesis proposal before the start of the following Fall semester. Students whose proposals are approved may then elect to pursue the thesis option.

### Required Courses Thesis Option

Code	Title	Hours
Complete all of the following courses:		
LING 571	Phonetics and Phonology	3
LING 572	Syntax	3
LING 589	Morphology	3
Complete two of the following courses:		6
LING 573	Language and Culture	
LING 574	Historical Linguistics	
LING 575	Linguistic Field Methods	
LING 584	NA Indigenous Language and Linguistics	
Two semesters of one of the following courses:		6
LING 494	Seminar	
LING 570	Seminar in Linguistics	
3 Elective Courses		9
LING 699	Thesis	6
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>36</b>

Minimum Required Grade: C

### Required Courses Comprehensive Exam Option

Code	Title	Hours
Complete all of the following courses:		
LING 571	Phonetics and Phonology	3
LING 572	Syntax	3

LING 589	Morphology	3
Complete two of the following courses:		6
LING 573	Language and Culture	
LING 574	Historical Linguistics	
LING 575	Linguistic Field Methods	
LING 584	NA Indigenous Language and Linguistics	
Three semesters of one of the following courses:		9
LING 494	Seminar	
LING 570	Seminar in Linguistics	
4 Elective Courses		12
Comprehensive Exam		
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>36</b>

Minimum Required Grade: C