

FRENCH, BA

The degree program in French is offered through an online collaborative of various University System of Georgia (USG) institutions: including Clayton State University, the College of Coastal Georgia, and Valdosta State University. The program is offered primarily at a distance via the Georgia Online Virtual Enterprise Wide (GoView) system. Possible exceptions to fully online delivery would be face-to-face or hybrid classes offered by the consortium members or other USG institutions.

The purpose of the Bachelor of Arts in French is to produce graduates who are prepared to assume a variety of important roles in Georgia communities. The program provides a foundation of required major courses, which includes French conversation and composition, language, civilization, Francophone literature, and applied French courses for the professions. This approach allows students to develop areas of expertise that best meet the needs of their career paths, including the critical need for French-speaking professionals in business, industry, health care, law enforcement, and public service. The program provides a focus on oral communication in professional settings, with opportunities for development of specialized vocabulary, analysis of the language used in professional settings, research in professional areas, and hands-on experiences in the community or abroad. These opportunities prepare students with an understanding of cultural factors affecting communication.

Program Requirements

All French majors must have a C or higher in all French classes.

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Core Curriculum (Areas A-E) (https://catalog.clayton.edu/graduation-requirements/undergraduate-graduation-requirements/core-curriculum/#core-areas)		
All Core Curriculum requirements for the French degree are shown under Core Curriculum in the Graduation Requirements section of the Undergraduate Catalog.		42
Lower Division Major Requirements (Area F)		18
<i>Language Competence</i>		0-12
Competence in French through the intermediate level (i.e. FREN 2002) is required, here, in Area C, or by competency assessment (e.g., CLEP). ¹		
<i>Elective Courses</i>		6-18
Choose any 1000-2000 courses listed but not applied in Areas C or E.		
Upper Division Major Requirements		33
FREN 2010	Intermediate Conversation	3
FREN 3001	French Conversation	3
or FREN 3002	French Composition	
FREN 3150	French Culture & Civilization	3
or FREN 3160	Francophone Culture & Civ	
FREN 3201	Approaches to Literature	3
FREN 3250	Survey of French Literature	3
or FREN 3260	Survey of Francophone Lit	
FREN 4001	Advanced French Conversation	3
FREN 4002	Advanced French Composition	3
FREN 4991	Senior Seminar	3
FREN 3XXX/4XXX		6

ESOL 4010	Applied Linguistics for ESOL	3
Upper Division French Electives		0-27
FREN 3300	French Phonetics and Phonology	
FREN 3400	Culture, Business, Society	
FREN 4210	Business French	
FREN 4800	Special Topics in French	
or FREN 4801	Special Topics in French	
or FREN 4802	Special Topics in French	
or FREN 4803	Special Topics in French	
or FREN 4804	Special Topics in French	
or FREN 4805	Special Topics in French	
or FREN 4806	Special Topics in French	
or FREN 4807	Special Topics in French	
or FREN 4808	Special Topics in French	
FREN 4950	Directed Study	
FREN 4960	Study Abroad	
FREN 4980	Community Practicum/Internship	
Upper Division Related Electives		0-27
Choose up to 27 hours of 1000-2000 level, non-core curriculum coursework. This area may be satisfied by course work towards a major or minor in a separate discipline, including a second language.		
Total Credit Hours		120

¹ If not used in Areas A-E, these classes may include FREN 1001 Elementary French I, FREN 1002 Elementary French II, FREN 2001 Intermediate French I, and FREN 2002 Intermediate French II.