



2026 - 2027 Minor in Spanish

18+ Units

Use this checklist in combination with your official Academic Requirements Report (ARR). This checklist is not intended to replace advising. Consult the advisor for appropriate course sequencing. *Curriculum changes in progress. Requirements subject to change.*

Courses		Prerequisites
Complete the following course (6 units total):		
	SPAN 300: Advanced Grammar and Composition (6)	AP Exam with a Score of 4 or 5 or SPAN 201B or Equivalent for Non-Native Speakers; SPAN 250 or Equivalent for Heritage Speakers
Spanish Upper Division Electives - Complete 9 UNITS from the following courses (9 units total):		
	SPAN 301: Creative Writing in Spanish (3)	SPAN 250 or Equivalent; or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 310: Introduction to Literary Analysis (3)	SPAN 300
	SPAN 314: Oral Communication (3)	Corequisite: SPAN 300 (Non-Heritage Speakers Only)
	SPAN 315: Professional Conversation for Spanish Heritage Speakers (3)	Corequisite: SPAN 300 or Equivalent (Heritage Speakers Only)
	SPAN 320: Literacy and Orality for Bilingual Teaching (3)	SPAN 200 or 201B or 250; or Equivalent
	SPAN 330: Literary Masterpieces: Spain (3)	GE Foundations; SPAN 310 or Consent
	SPAN 335: Spanish for the Professions (3)	SPAN 300 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 341: Literary Masterpieces: Spanish America (3)	SPAN 310 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 350: Hispanic Short Narrative (3)	SPAN 310
	SPAN 351: Survey of Hispanic Theater (3)	SPAN 310
	SPAN 370: Mexican Literature and Culture of the 20 th and 21 st Centuries (3)	SPAN 310 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 400: Don Quijote and the Critics (3)	SPAN 330
	SPAN 420: History of Spanish Language (3)	SPAN 423 or 427 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 423: Introduction to Spanish Linguistics (3)	SPAN 300 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 425: Teaching Spanish as a Heritage Language in the U.S. (3)	SPAN 423 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 426: Spanish Morphology and Syntax (3)	Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 427: Contrastive Analysis of Spanish and English (3)	One Course in Spanish Linguistics or Consent
	SPAN 428/CINE 460: Spanish Cinema (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing
	SPAN 429: Studies in 19 th - and 20 th -Century Spanish Poetry (3)	SPAN 330
	SPAN 430: Spanish Civilization (3)	SPAN 300
	SPAN 438: Studies in Golden Age Literature (3)	SPAN 330
	SPAN 439: Modern Spanish Narrative (3)	SPAN 330 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 440: Civilized Barbarisms: Nature, War, and Race in Latin American Fiction (3)	SPAN 341
	SPAN 441: Studies in Nineteenth- and Twentieth-Century Spanish American Narrative (3)	SPAN 341 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 442: Nation Building and Women's Writing in Nineteenth-Century Spanish America (3)	SPAN 341
	SPAN 444: Nineteenth-Century Spanish America and the National Family Romance (3)	SPAN 341
	SPAN 445: Latin American Civilization (3)	SPAN 300
	SPAN 446: Studies in Spanish Culture (3)	SPAN 330
	SPAN 447: The Invention of Spain: Visions in Conflict (3)	SPAN 330
	SPAN 448: Romanticism and Realism (3)	SPAN 330
	SPAN 449: Dictatorship to Democracy: Film and Literature in Spain (1930 - Today) (3)	SPAN 330
	SPAN 450: Studies in Colonial Spanish American Literature (3)	SPAN 341

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Complete the following course (6 units total):		
	SPAN 451: Literature and Human Rights in Latin America: Testimonial Literature (3)	SPAN 341 or Equivalent; or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 455: Hispanic Cinema of the Americas (3)	SPAN 300
	SPAN 460: Studies in Spanish American Culture (3)	SPAN 341
	SPAN 461: Introduction to Translation and Interpretation (3)	SPAN 300 with a Grade of "B" or Better or Consent
	SPAN 462: Written and Sight Translation I: English/Spanish (3)	SPAN 300 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 463: Written and Sight Translation II: Spanish/English (3)	SPAN 300 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 464: Consecutive Interpretation I (3)	SPAN 461 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 465: Consecutive Interpretation II (3)	SPAN 461 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 466: Simultaneous Interpretation English/Spanish (3)	SPAN 300 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 467: Simultaneous Interpretation Spanish/English (3)	SPAN 300 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 490: Selected Topics in Spanish (3)	SPAN 310 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 492: Studies in Hispanic Theater (3)	SPAN 341 or Consent of Instructor
	SPAN 493: Women and War (3)	SPAN 310
	SPAN 494: Internship in Spanish (1 - 3)	Consent of Instructor and Department Chair
	SPAN 499: Independent Study (1 - 3)	Consent of Instructor and Department Chair
	RGR 490: Selected Topics (3)	Corequisite: Upper Division Standing
Complete 3 UNITS of additional Spanish electives (3 units total):		
	Course:	

In order to graduate from CSULB, students must complete General Education/GWAR/Major requirements and have a minimum of 120 units (40 must be upper division) with at least a 2.0 in all GPAs (Overall, CSULB, Major).

Additional Information

- See [online Catalog](#) for additional course information, limitations, and requirements.
- Some courses may also fulfill GE requirements. Visit the GE website for course selection: csulb.edu/student-records/general-education-requirements.
- A course can only be used to satisfy one minor requirement. **Double counting is not allowed within the minor.**
- Students must achieve intermediate competency in Spanish equivalent to SPAN 200, 201B, or SPAN 250 prior to enrolling in upper division coursework. The total number of lower division units depends on the student's existing language competency and can range from 0 to 16 units depending on placement. Students should consult with the undergraduate advisor regarding demonstration of existing language competency.
- Students must file a Declaration of Minor and receive counseling from the undergraduate Spanish advisors. The minor in Spanish is open to any non-Spanish major.
- No course used to satisfy any requirement for the Minor in Spanish may be taken on a Credit/No Credit basis (Exceptions: AP/IB credit).

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