

Anthropology B.A.

Program Requirements

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Minimum Requirements for Anthropology B.A.: 120 Credits

Students must earn a C- grade or better in each course.

		Credits
General University Requirements		
Complete the general university requirements. (https://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/#gurbachelorsdegreestext)		
General Education Requirements		
Complete the general education requirements. (https://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/#generaleducationrequirementstext)		35-40
B.A. Degree Requirements		
Complete the B.A. degree requirements. (https://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/#bachelorofartstext)		37
Anthropology Program Requirements		
<i>Foundations of Anthropology</i>		
Complete the following:		
ANTH F211X	Fundamentals of Archaeology	3
ANTH F215	Fundamentals of Social/Cultural Anthropology	3
ANTH F221	Fundamentals of Biological Anthropology	3
ANTH F260	Fundamentals of Linguistic Anthropology: Language in Culture and Communication	3
ANTH F384	History of Anthropology	3
ANTH F411	Senior Seminar in Anthropology ¹	3
<i>Anthropological Methods</i>		
Complete 6 credits from the following courses:		6
ANTH F370	Virtual Ethnographic Field School	
ANTH F405	Archaeological Method and Theory	
ANTH F415	Zooarchaeology and Taphonomy	
ANTH F422	Human Osteology	
ANTH F424	Analytical Techniques	
ANTH F470	Oral Sources: Issues in Documentation	
ANTH F485	<i>Discourse in Society: Analyzing Language in Social Context</i>	
<i>Anthropological Topics</i>		
Complete 12 credits of other Anthropology Courses, at least 9 of which are at the F300 or F400 level		12
Electives		
General Electives		7-12
Total Credits		120

¹ Fulfills the baccalaureate capstone requirement.

NOTE: On occasion, faculty may offer courses trial courses, special topics or seminars that would fulfill the methods or topics requirements. If so, students should consult with an anthropology faculty advisor on which requirement it meets and how to have it count toward the BA degree.

Roadmaps

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Roadmaps provide suggested semester-by-semester study plans for programs and are based on full-time enrollment, unless otherwise specified.

- This roadmap should be used in conjunction with regular academic advising sessions. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor or mentor each semester.
- Certain courses and milestones must be completed in the specified semester to ensure on-time graduation.
- Transfer credits may affect the roadmap.
- Requirements, course availability, and sequencing may change.
- Courses marked with (*) are recommended.

First Year

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
ANTH F100X (*) ⁴	3 ANTH F215 ^{19,20}	3
ANTH F211X ^{19,20}	3 COM F121X, F131X, or F141X ¹	3
LS F101X ¹⁵	1 General Education Requirement - Humanities	3
MATH F151X (*) ⁶	4 General Education Requirement - Social Sciences	3
WRTG F111X ¹	3 Complete one of the following: ¹	3
	WRTG F211X (*)	
	WRTG F212X (*)	
	WRTG F213X	
	WRTG F214X	
	14	15

Second Year

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
ANTH F221 ²⁰	3 ANTH F242 (*) ^{8,14}	3
General Education Requirement - Arts	3 ANTH F260 ²⁰	3
General Education Requirement - Additional Arts, Humanities or Social Sciences	3 General Education Requirement - Natural Sciences	4
General Education Requirement - Natural Sciences	4 Degree Requirement - Humanities	3
Degree Requirement - Humanities or Social Sciences	3 General Elective - Upper Division	3
	16	16

Third Year

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
ANTH F384 ^{20,25}	3 NRM F303X(*) ^{11,25}	3
Program Elective	3 Degree Requirement - Humanities	3
Program Elective - Upper Division	3 Minor Course	3
Minor Course	3 General Elective - Upper Division	3
Minor Course	3 General Elective - Upper Division	3
15		15

Fourth Year

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
Program Elective - Upper Division	3 ANTH F411 ^{20,25}	3
Program Elective - Upper Division	3 Program Elective - Upper Division	3
Program Elective - Upper Division	3 Minor Course - Upper Division	3
Minor Course	3 General Elective - Upper Division	3
General Elective - Upper Division	3 General Elective	2
15		14

Total Credits 120**Footnote Definitions**

General Education Requirements	Degree Requirements	Program & Other Requirements
1—Communication	8—Alaska Native-themed	20—Program Requirement
2—Arts	9—Communication	21—Capstone Requirement
3—Humanities	10—Computation	22—Concentration Course
4—Social Sciences	11—Ethics	23—General Elective
5—Additional Arts, Humanities or Social Sciences	12—Humanities	24—Minor Course
6—Mathematics	13—Human Relations	25—Upper Division
7—Natural Sciences	14—Humanities or Social Sciences	26—Program Elective
	15—Library & Information Research	
	16—Mathematics	
	17—Natural Sciences	
	18—Other	
	19—Social Sciences	

Learning Outcomes

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Learning Outcomes are specific, measurable statements that define the knowledge and skills students will gain by the end of the program.

Graduates of this program will be able to:

- Learn enough about the discipline in the ANTH F100X and ANTH F101X core courses to be interested in taking up anthropology as their primary field of study; students gain through what they learn in introductory courses and others a desire to learn more about the diversity of peoples and cultures and the human condition
- Have a basic understanding of the history of the discipline, including subdisciplinary perspectives and approaches to the study of culture, society, and human development
- Have an understanding of methods in anthropological research
- Have an understanding of cultural and linguistic diversity and the implications of cultural difference for understanding the human condition
- Explain disciplinary content using a variety of modes of communication, including oral and written communication
- Communicate to audiences in the discipline using appropriate disciplinary conventions
- Translate disciplinary content to audiences outside the discipline as appropriate, making disciplinary knowledge relevant to broader communities
- Integrate feedback from others to enhance or revise communication
- Students seeking employment will be satisfied that their education has provided useful skills, and/or will seek to continue their academic career by pursuing training in K-12 teacher education, law school, graduate school in social sciences or humanities, museum studies, or other field