Vietnamese

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Offered by the Department of Linguistics and Asian/Middle Eastern Languages
Courses in Vietnamese.
Major or minor work in Vietnamese is not offered.

Language Requirement for the B.A. Degree in Liberal Arts and Sciences

Students electing the study of Vietnamese to fulfill the language requirement for the Bachelor of Arts degree in liberal arts and sciences must successfully complete Vietnamese 201 or the equivalent level of achievement. The usual sequence of coursework is Vietnamese 101, 102, and 201. Refer to section of catalog on “Graduation Requirements” for additional ways to satisfy competency.

High School Equivalents

High school foreign language courses may be used for purposes of placement in college courses and may be counted toward meeting the language requirement in various majors. These high school courses will not count as college credit toward graduation.

Secondary school language courses can be used as follows:

1. The first two years of high school level language count as the equivalent of the first semester of a college level course.

2. The first three years of high school level language count as the equivalent of the first two college semesters.

3. Four years of high school level language count as the equivalent of three college semesters or five college quarters, thus fulfilling the language requirement.

Courses (VIET)

Refer to Courses and Curricula and University Policies sections of this catalog for explanation of the course numbering system, unit or credit hour, prerequisites, and related information.

LOWER DIVISION COURSES

Native speakers of Vietnamese will not receive credit for taking lower division courses in Vietnamese except with advance approval from the department.

No credit will be given for Vietnamese 101, 102, 201 taken out of sequence.

VIET 101. Elementary Vietnamese I (4) [GE]
Introduction to Vietnamese language with emphasis on development of four basic language skills. Essential sentence structures for communication in everyday contexts. Not open to students with credit in Vietnamese 102 or 201.

VIET 102. Elementary Vietnamese II (4) [GE]
Prerequisite: Vietnamese 101 or two years of high school Vietnamese.
Continuation of Elementary Vietnamese I with focus on development of four basic language skills. Emphasis on culturally appropriate conversation for everyday contexts. Not open to students with credit in Vietnamese 201.

VIET 201. Intermediate Vietnamese I (4) [GE]
Prerequisite: Vietnamese 102.
Further development of speaking, reading, listening, and writing skills, with emphasis on language of everyday conversation. Integrated approach to learning Vietnamese to include awareness and appreciation of Vietnamese culture.