A major in French requires a minimum of 31 hours of courses at the 2310 level or above. These 31 hours must include:

- Courses 3300 and 3303;
- Three hours of culture and civilization (French 3312, 3315, or 3350);
- Three hours of literature (French 3315, 3320, 3321 or 4395);

  Note: French 3315 may not be taken twice in fulfillment of both the culture and literature area requirements.

- French 4350
- French 4110 Senior Capstone (Assessment class)

* Satisfactory performance on proficiency tests upon entrance to and exit from the major program.
* A minimum grade of C in each course applying to the major program.
* Summer or a semester of study in a French-speaking country is strongly encouraged.
* Teacher candidates must initiate the admissions process in the College of Education. See Chair for more information.

THE FOLLOWING COURSES ARE REQUIRED OF ALL MAJORS

- The first **two courses** (6 credits) **MUST BE TAKEN IN SEQUENCE**, one semester at a time for students who begin study at UCA in French 2310 or lower:

  1) French 2310
     Conv. & Comp. I
  2) French 2320
     Conv. & Comp. II
  3) French 3300
     Advanced Gram. & Comp. I
  4) French 3303
     Advanced Gram. & Comp. II
  5) French 4350
     Adv. French Conversation and Phonetics

  **AND ONE EACH** from the following categories (6 credits total):

  6) **CIVILIZATION**
     - French 3312 (French Civilization)
     - French 3315 *(Issues of Cultural Identity in the French-Speaking World)*
     - French 3350 (French Cinema)
  7) **LITERATURE**
     - French 3320 (Literature I)
     - French 3321 (Literature II)
     - French 3315 *
     - French 4395 (Advanced Literature)

  * Note: French 3315 may not be taken twice in fulfillment of both the culture and literature area requirements.

  8) French 4110 (taken after completion of 24 hours in major)

MAJORS IN FRENCH MUST SELECT **9 HOURS OF ELECTIVES**:

- **Civilization** (French 3312, 3315, or 3350) or **Literature** (French 3315, 3320, 3321, or 4395)
- **Practicum** courses (3160/3260); may be repeated with a maximum of 3 hrs. credit towards the major
- Certain **study abroad** courses in French-speaking countries (French 3340, Intensive Conversational French Abroad or other courses taken abroad and approved by the chair.
- **Business French** (2330)

**IMPORTANT NOTES:**

- French 1310 and 1320 may not be used as credit toward completion of the major or minor.
- World Language classes (WLAN 1300, 2315, 2325, 2350, 4315, 4325, 4330) do NOT count towards a major or minor in French.
- French 4110 requires the completion of several **Senior Exit Exams** and the preparation of a writing **portfolio**, so majors need to maintain a file with representative graded writing assignments from each semester.
- In order to graduate, every UCA student must have a total of **124** semester hours and **40** upper-division hours; **24** of the last **30** hours must be completed in residence.