

**Major: Spanish**

**Suggested Four-Year Major Plan (Academic Year 2016-2017)**

The Suggested Four-Year Major Plan is a guide to help Caldwell University students complete their graduation requirements within four years. It is a suggested framework which builds upon the core curriculum as well as the required and elective courses within a student’s major. This suggested plan does not include developmental courses. Should developmental courses be required, students will need to work with their Academic Advisor to include those additional courses; this may delay graduation in four years. Students should always meet with their Academic Advisor to further individualize their academic plans and confirm the availability of courses and course sequencing. The following credits below include the minimum required courses and credits needed to graduate. Students enrolled as full-time status may take 12-18 credits a semester.

**NOTE:** This suggested Four-Year Major Plan applies to students who matriculated during the 2016-2017 academic year.

<b>First Year</b>					
<b>Fall Semester</b>	<b>CR</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>Spring Semester</b>	<b>CR</b>	<b>✓</b>
Core: FS 189 - Freshman Seminar (Freshmen only)	1		SP 202:Intermediate Spanish II (Enriched Core Cluster: Global Awareness & Cultural Understanding) <b>or</b> SP 3xx or 4xx (Spanish Major Course)**	3	
Core: EN 111 – College Writing* (or EN 320 by placement)	3		Core: Social Science	3	
Core: MA 112 - Concepts of Mathematics (or college-level math by placement)	3		Core: CO 230 - Communication Skills (or DR 102, 103, 104)	3	
Core: HI 101 – Roots of the West <b>or</b> HI 102 – The Shaping of the West	3		Core: Fine Arts - Art <b>or</b> Music	3	
SP 201: Intermediate Spanish I (Core: Modern Language) <b>or</b> SP 3xx or 4xx (Spanish Major Course) (by placement)**	3		Core: TH 102 - Intro. to Christian Theology	3	
Core: CS 115 - Essential Computer Skills (or elective/core)	3				
<b>Total:</b>	16		<b>Total:</b>	15	

<b>Second Year</b>					
<b>Fall Semester</b>	<b>CR</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>Spring Semester</b>	<b>CR</b>	<b>✓</b>
Spanish Major Course: SP 3xx or 4xx**	3		Spanish Major Course: SP 3xx or 4xx**	3	
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Core: PH 102 - Intro. to Philosophy	3		Core: Biological <b>or</b> Physical Science	3	
Core: Literature - EN xxx	3		Enriched Core Cluster - (Ethical Inquiry/Catholic & Dominican)	3	
Enriched Core Cluster - (Ethical Inquiry/Catholic & Dominican)	3		Core: Social Science	3	
<b>Total:</b>	15		<b>Total:</b>	15	

<b>Third Year</b>					
<b>Fall Semester</b>	<b>CR</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>Spring Semester</b>	<b>CR</b>	<b>✓</b>
Spanish Major Course: SP 4xx**	3		Spanish Major Course: SP 4xx**	3	
Spanish Major Course: SP 3xx (if took SP 201) <b>or</b> Core: Modern Language (if took SP 3xx or 4xx)**	3		Spanish Major Course: SP 3xx or 4xx (if took SP 202) <b>or</b> Enriched Core Cluster: Global Awareness & Cultural Understanding (if took SP 3xx or 4xx)**	3	
Elective	3		Elective	3	
Elective	3		Elective	3	
Elective	3		Elective	3	
<b>Total:</b>	15		<b>Total:</b>	15	

<b>Fourth Year</b>					
<b>Fall Semester</b>	<b>CR</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>Spring Semester</b>	<b>CR</b>	<b>✓</b>
Spanish Major Course: SP 4xx**	3		Spanish Major Course: SP 4xx**	3	
Elective	3		Outcomes Assessment***	0	
Elective	3		Elective	3	
Elective	3		Elective	3	
Elective	3		Elective	3	
			Elective	3	
<b>Total:</b>	15		<b>Total:</b>	15	

\*A second writing intensive (WI) course is required. Students are recommended to complete it before the end of their fourth semester. Students who transfer to Caldwell with a minimum of 30 credits will have their second WI course waived.

\*\*Students who took SP 201 and/or SP 202 must take additional major course(s) to fulfill the ten-course major which begins with SP 3xx or SP 4xx. Students

who placed directly into SP 3xx or 4xx must take additional courses to fulfill their Core Modern Language and Global Awareness & Cultural Understanding Enriched Core Cluster. Global Awareness & Cultural Understanding Enriched Core Cluster may be completed with a non-Spanish course.

\*\*\*In addition to passing all Spanish courses with a grade of C or better, all majors must receive a satisfactory score on the Spanish subject area test of the National Teacher's Exam (Praxis Series III). The test demonstrates competence in the following areas: listening and reading comprehension, grammar, culture, literature, geography, and history. Arrangements are made with the Department Chair.

**Total Credits Required (minimum): 120 credits**

**GPA: 2.0**

## DEPARTMENT OF MODERN LANGUAGES SPANISH COURSE OFFERINGS

Students must consult with their faculty advisor to determine appropriate course placement to complete the ten-course major.

SP 321 Advanced Spanish Grammar I  
SP 322 Advanced Spanish Grammar II  
SP 325 Spanish Conversation and Composition I  
SP 326 Spanish Conversation and Composition II  
SP 329 Hispanic Civilization I  
SP 330 Hispanic Civilization II  
SP 341 Seminar in a Spanish Speaking Country  
SP 390 Children's Literature for the Classroom  
SP 401 Spanish Literature I  
SP 402 Spanish Literature II  
SP 403 Survey of Spanish American Literature  
SP 404 The Contemporary Spanish American Novel  
SP 408 The Spanish American Short Story  
SP 409 Topics in Spanish Studies: The Spanish Speaking World Through Film  
SP 420 Teaching World Languages  
SP 423 Hispanic Caribbean Literature  
SP 499 Independent Study  
LA 301 Introduction to Language  
Or a 3-credit Field Internship

**Minimum Grade in Major Courses: C**