

UNDERGRADUATE LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

For students entering City College in the Fall of 1988 or later, the requirements are as follows:

B.A. and Urban Legal Studies Students:

- √ Four years of the same foreign language in high school or
- √ A fourth semester level course of any foreign language at CCNY (see Sequence of Basic Language Courses, below) or
- √ Placement/competency examination.

For B.S. and B.F.A. Students:

- ✖ Two years of the same foreign language in High School or
- ✖ Second semester level course of any foreign language at CCNY or
- ✖ Placement/competency examination.

For B.S.Ed. Students:

- ✎ Spanish 121 and 122 (non-heritage students) or
- ✎ Spanish 191 and 192 (heritage students) or
- ✎ Placement/competency examination.

Sequence of Basic Language Courses

The following language courses are sequential within each language track and may **not be** taken simultaneously:

✎ Non-Heritage Language Sequence: 121 → 122 → 225

✎ Spanish for Heritage Students: 191 → 192

General Policies

√ Students who began a language in high school or elsewhere and plan to continue the study of that language must take the placement test. Students are urged to take the placement test the semester prior to starting foreign language study. The test may be taken during business hours at the Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures. No appointment is necessary. The test may be taken only once and the result is binding. Results are generally available within a week after taking the test.

√ In general, students who have taken a language in High School will not be allowed to take the equivalent course at CCNY unless they are placed there by the Department.

√ Students who have begun a language at another college will not be permitted to take an equivalent course for credit.

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√Heritage speakers of a foreign language will not be permitted to take basic language courses in that language, except for those courses specifically designed for heritage speakers.

√Students may take equivalent foreign language courses for credit at other CUNY colleges through ePermit (<https://epermit.cuny.edu>). Students may also receive foreign language credits for college courses taken at other four- year colleges, provided the courses are evaluated and certified by CCNY's Registrar. Non-CUNY Permit forms are available at the Registrar's Office in Administration 102.

√Students may take courses in the basic language sequence for a Pass/Fail grade within CCNY's guidelines for Pass/Fail grades (See the 2009-2011 Undergraduate Bulletin, page 289).

√For further information see the current CCNY Bulletin, or visit, or call the Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures:

<http://www1.cuny.cuny.edu/prospective/humanities/foreignlang/index.cfm>

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