

LINGUISTICS MAJOR CONCENTRATION (B.A.) (36 CREDITS)

Offered by: Linguistics (Faculty of Arts)

Degree: Bachelor of Arts; Bachelor of Arts and Science

Program credit weight: 36

Program Description

The Major Concentration in Linguistics focuses on various aspects of linguistics, including theoretical linguistics (phonology, syntax and semantics); experimental linguistics (phonetics, laboratory phonology, language acquisition and psycholinguistics); computational linguistics; linguistic fieldwork and language revitalization; and language variation and change (sociolinguistics, dialectology and historical linguistics).

Degree Requirements — B.A. students

To be eligible for a B.A. degree, a student must fulfil all Faculty and program requirements as indicated in Degree Requirements for the Faculty of Arts.

We recommend that students consult an Arts OASIS advisor for degree planning.

Note: For information about Fall 2025 and Winter 2026 course offerings, please check back on May 8, 2025. Until then, the "Terms offered" field will appear blank for most courses while the class schedule is being finalized.

Required Courses (15 credits)

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Course	Title	Credits
LING 201	Introduction to Linguistics.	3
LING 330	Phonetics.	3
LING 331	Phonology 1.	3
LING 360	Introduction to Semantics.	3
LING 371	Syntax 1.	3

Complementary Courses (21 credits)

3 credits from the following:

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Course	Title	Credits
COMP 230	Logic and Computability.	3
MATH 318	Mathematical Logic.	3
PHIL 210	Introduction to Deductive Logic 1.	3

18 credits in Linguistics (LING) chosen according to the student's interests.

At least 9 of these credits must be at the 400/500 level.

Only 3 credits at the 200 level may count towards complementary credits.