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- Theoretical linguistics
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- Education and early childhood
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TESOL Certificate Courses

**Required Classes:**
LNG 105, Introduction to Language and Linguistics, 3 credits
LNG 205, Language and Culture, 3 credits
LNG 220, Methods of Teaching English as a Second Language, 3 credits
LNG 299, TESOL Practicum, 1 credit

**Linguistics and Education Electives:** Choose 1 or 2 courses from the following (3 credits each):
LNG 230, Second Language Assessment  ECE 101, Introduction to Early Childhood Education
LNG 235, Second Language Acquisition  EDU 201, Introduction to Education
LNG 240, Pedagogical Grammar  EDU 220, Diversity in Schools and Society

A grade of C or higher is required in all LNG, EDU, and ECE classes

Additional electives: Choose 1 course (3 credits) from the list below. If 2 courses from the Linguistics and Education Electives category were chosen, NO credits are required from this category.
ANT 101  Introduction to Anthropology  ANT 202  Cultural Anthropology
ECE 102  Child Development  ECE 209  Lang. Dev. and Activities for the Young Child
EDU 219  Students With Disabilities in School  EDU 211  Educational Psychology
EDU 250  Introduction to Technology in Education  EDU 230  Intro. to Lang. Arts in Elem./Middle School Teaching
FRN 202  Intermediate French II  FRN 205  French Conversation
FRN 210  Introduction to French Literature  GER 201  Intermediate German I
GER 202  Intermediate German II  GER 205  German Conversation
GER 210  Introduction to German Literature  GER 230  German Civilization and Culture
HST 243  The Far East in the Modern World  HUM 105 Great Ideas of World Civilizations
HUM 106  The Cultures of Asia  HUM 107  The Cultures of Africa
JPN 210  Intermediate Japanese  JPN 205  Japanese Intensive Oral Practice
JPN 210  Intermediate Japanese II  LNG 225 Language and Health
LIT 208  Non-Western Literature  PHI 160  Non-Western Philosophy
PHI 160  Non-Western Philosophy  SGN 201  American Sign Language III
SGN 202  American Sign Language IV  SGN 205  American Sign Language V
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SPA 205  Spanish Conversation  SPA 210  Introduction to Spanish Literature

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