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**French**

**FREN 351  Conversational French, Elementary  3 Units**

Formerly: FREN 11A
Prerequisite: None
Course Transferable to CSU
Hours: 54 hours LEC
This course is designed for students at the elementary or 401 level in French. Conversations and discussions, both controlled and spontaneous, are used to develop basic conversational skills in French. Emphasis will include oral proficiency and development of French cultural awareness.

**FREN 352  Conversational French, Elementary  3 Units**

Formerly: FREN 11B
Prerequisite: FREN 351 with a grade of "C" or better or two years of high school French.
Course Transferable to CSU
Hours: 54 hours LEC
This course is designed for students at the elementary or 402 level in French. Students will continue the development of oral-aural skills in French through conversations and discussions, both controlled and spontaneous. Emphasis will include oral proficiency and development of French cultural awareness.

**FREN 361  Conversational French, Intermediate  3 Units**

Formerly: FREN 12A
Prerequisite: FREN 352 with a grade of "C" or better or three years of high school French.
Course Transferable to CSU
Hours: 54 hours LEC
Students will continue the development of oral-aural skills in French through small group conversations and class discussions, both directed and open-ended. Grammar structures, idiomatic expressions, and verb usage will be reviewed. Reports, discussions on current events, assigned readings, and personal interest topics will be used in individual and group presentations.

**FREN 362  Conversational French, Intermediate  3 Units**

Formerly: FREN 12B
Prerequisite: FREN 361 with a grade of "C" or better or four years of high school French.
Course Transferable to CSU
Hours: 54 hours LEC
Students will continue to develop oral proficiency through emphasis on individual and small group presentation. Simple French readings will be used as a vehicle to continue the study and appreciation of the French culture and folklore through discussions and debates.

**FREN 401  Elementary French  4 Units**

Formerly: FREN 1A
Prerequisite: None
Course Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 54 hours LEC
This course is designed for students at the elementary or 402 level in French. Conversations and discussions, both directed and open-ended. Grammar structures, idiomatic expressions, and verb usage will be reviewed. Reports, discussions on current events, assigned readings, and personal interest topics will be used in individual and group presentations. Emphasis will include oral proficiency and development of French cultural awareness.

**FREN 402  Elementary French  4 Units**

Formerly: FREN 1B
Prerequisite: FREN 401 with a grade of "C" or better or two years of high school French.
Course Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 72 hours LEC
This course is a further development of the four basic skills: listening, speaking, reading, and writing. It is a continued study of pronunciation, fundamentals of French grammar and French culture. (CAN FREN 4) AA/AS area B (FREN SEQ A Sum of FREN 1,3,5 or FREN 2,4)

**FREN 411  Intermediate French  4 Units**

Formerly: FREN 2A
Prerequisite: FREN 402 with a grade of "C" or better or three years of high school French.
Course Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 72 hours LEC
This course includes speaking, listening, and writing practice at the intermediate level; review of French grammar; reading of various texts and further study of historical and cultural background. (CAN FREN SEQ B-FREN 411 +412; CAN FREN 8) AA/AS area B; CSU area C2; IGETC area 3 (FREN SEQ B Sum FREN 7,9,11 or FREN 8,10)

**FREN 412  Intermediate French  4 Units**

Formerly: FREN 2B
Prerequisite: FREN 411 with a grade of "C" or better or four years of high school French.
Course Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 72 hours LEC
This course continues development of the four basic skills through reading and interpreting various works of French literature, writing summaries, reports and short compositions, and studying the historical and cultural background of French-speaking world. (CAN FREN 4) AA/AS area B; CSU area C2; IGETC area 3 (FREN SEQ B Sum FREN 7,9,11 or FREN 8,10)

**FREN 496  Teaching Assistant in French  1-2 Units**

Formerly: FREN 46
Prerequisite: FREN 411 or four years of high school French with a grade of "C" or better.
Course Transferable to CSU
Hours: 9-18 hours LEC; 27-54 hours LAB
This course provides an opportunity for French-speaking students to work with individuals or small groups of students enrolled in the French program. Students work with the instructor in record keeping; and correcting simple tests, journals, workbooks, and reports. They also prepare classroom materials such as charts, visual aids, and hand-outs. Open entry and exit. May be taken four times for credit up to a maximum of four units.
Foreign Languages

German

GERM 351 Conversational German, Elementary 3 Units
Formerly: GERM 11A
Prerequisite: None
Course Transferable to CSU
Hours: 54 hours LEC
This course is designed for students at the elementary or 401 level in German. Conversations and discussions, both controlled and spontaneous, are used to develop basic conversational skills in German. Emphasis will include oral proficiency and development of German cultural awareness.

GERM 352 Conversational German, Elementary 3 Units
Formerly: GERM 11B
Prerequisite: GERM 351 with a grade of "C" or better or two years of high school German.
Course Transferable to CSU
Hours: 54 hours LEC
This course is designed for students at the elementary or 402 level in German. Students will continue the development of oral-aural skills in German through conversations and discussions, both controlled and spontaneous. Emphasis will include oral proficiency and development of German cultural awareness.

GERM 401 Elementary German 4 Units
Formerly: GERM 1A
Prerequisite: None
Course Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 72 hours LEC
This course is an introduction to the language and culture of German-speaking people. It includes the fundamentals of German pronunciation and grammar, as well as the development of listening, speaking, reading and writing with emphasis on the communicative skills. (CAN GERM SEQ A-GERM 401+402; CAN GERM 2) AA/AS area B; IGETC area 6. (GERM SEQ A Sum of Germ 1,3,5 or Germ 2,4)

GERM 402 Elementary German 4 Units
Formerly: GERM 1B
Prerequisite: GERM 401 with a grade of "C" or better or two years of high school German.
Course Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 72 hours LEC
This course is a further development of the four basic skills: listening, speaking, reading, and writing. It is a continued study of pronunciation, fundamentals of German grammar and German culture. (CAN GERM 4) AA/AS area B (GERM SEQ A Sum of Germ 1,3,5 or Germ 2,4)

GERM 411 Intermediate German 4 Units
Formerly: GERM 2A
Prerequisite: GERM 402 with a grade of "C" or better or three years of high school German.
Course Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 72 hours LEC
This course includes speaking, listening and writing practice at the intermediate level; review of German grammar; reading of varied texts and further study of historical and cultural background. (CAN GERM SEQ B-GERM 411+412; CAN GERM 8) AA/AS area B; CSU area C2; IGETC area 3. (GERM SEQ B Sum Germ 7,9,11 or Germ 8,10)

GERM 412 Intermediate German 4 Units
Formerly: GERM 2B
Prerequisite: GERM 411 with a grade of "C" or better or four years of high school German.
Course Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 72 hours LEC
This course continues the development of the four basic skills through reading and interpreting various works of German literature, writing summaries, reports and short compositions, and studying the historical and cultural background of the German-speaking world. (CAN GERM 10) AA/AS area B; CSU area C2; IGETC area 3. (GERM SEQ B Sum Germ 7,9,11 or Germ 8,10)

GERM 496 Teaching Assistant in German 1-2 Units
Formerly: GERM 46
Prerequisite: GERM 411 or four years of high school German with a grade of "C" or better.
Course Transferable to CSU
Hours: 9-18 hours LEC; 27-54 hours LAB
This course provides an opportunity for German-speaking students to work with individuals or small groups of students enrolled in the German program. Students work with the instructor in record keeping and correcting simple tests, journals, workbooks, and reports. They also prepare classroom materials such as charts, visual aids, and handouts. Open entry and exit. May be taken 4 times for credit up to a maximum of 4 units.

Italian

ITAL 351 Conversational Italian, Elementary 3 Units
Formerly: ITAL 11A
Prerequisite: None
Course Transferable to CSU
Hours: 54 hours LEC
This course is designed for students at the elementary or 401 level in Italian. Conversations and discussions, both controlled and spontaneous, are used to develop basic conversational skills in Italian. Emphasis will include oral proficiency and development of Italian cultural awareness.

ITAL 352 Conversational Italian, Elementary 3 Units
Formerly: ITAL 11B
Prerequisite: ITAL 351 with a grade of "C" or better or two years of high school Italian.
Course Transferable to CSU
Hours: 54 hours LEC
This course is designed for students at the elementary or 402 level in Italian. Students will continue the development of oral-aural skills in Italian through conversations and discussions, both controlled and spontaneous. Emphasis will include oral proficiency and development of Italian cultural awareness.

ITAL 401 Elementary Italian 4 Units
Formerly: ITAL 1A
Prerequisite: None
Course Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 72 hours LEC
This course introduces basic essentials of elementary grammar, sentence structure and conversation. It also introduces the Italian character, tradition, and culture. Reading of simple prose will be included. (CAN ITAL 2) AA/AS area B; IGETC area 6. (ITAL SEQ A Sum of Ital 1,3,5 or Ital 2,4)

ITAL 402 Elementary Italian 4 Units
Formerly: ITAL 1B
Prerequisite: ITAL 401 with a grade of "C" or better or two years of high school Italian.
Course Transferable to UC/CSU
Hours: 72 hours LEC
This course is a continuation of ITAL 401. It includes grammar essentials, further practice in conversation and composition and a continued study of Italian culture. (CAN ITAL 4) AA/AS area B (ITAL SEQ A Sum of Ital 1,3,5 or Ital 2,4)

Japanese

JAPAN 101 Conversational Japanese, Elementary 3 Units
Formerly: JAPAN 50A
Prerequisite: None
Course Not Transferable UC or CSU
Hours: 54 hours LEC
This class teaches pronunciation, intonation, basic vocabulary, idioms, and grammar of spoken Japanese. The grammar emphasizes word order, postpositions and some conjugation in simple sentences. The course includes introduction to Japanese culture. This course may be repeated once for credit.
**JAPAN 401  Elementary Japanese  4 Units**  
Formerly: JAPAN 1A  
Prerequisite: None  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
This class teaches pronunciation, intonation, basic vocabulary and grammar of spoken Japanese. The grammar emphasis is word order, postpositions and some conjugation in simple sentences. Students are required to learn Hiragana script. The course includes introduction to Japanese culture. (CAN JAPN 2) AA/AS area B; IGETC area 6.

**JAPAN 402  Elementary Japanese  4 Units**  
Formerly: JAPAN 1B  
Prerequisite: JAPAN 401 with a grade of “C” or better.  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
This course continues teaching vocabulary, idioms, and grammar including more complex subordinate phrases and clauses. In addition to Hiragana, students are required to learn Katakana and simple Kanji ideographs. Discussions on Japanese culture continue. (CAN JAPN 4) AA/AS area B.

**JAPAN 405  Japanese Writing  1 Unit**  
Formerly: JAPAN 20  
Prerequisite: JAPAN 401.  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 18 hours LEC  
This is a course in the study of written scripts in the Japanese language. Fundamentals of the Japanese written language will be taught with an emphasis on reading and writing (Hiragana, Katakana, and Kanji) common in daily usage. This course may be taken twice.

**Mandarin**

**MAND 101  Conversational Mandarin, Elementary  3 Units**  
Formerly: CHIN 50A  
Prerequisite: None  
Course Not Transferable UC or CSU  
Hours: 54 hours LEC  
This beginning course in conversational Mandarin emphasizes the development of oral language skills essential for understanding and speaking elementary Mandarin useful for everyday communication.

**MAND 102  Conversational Mandarin, Elementary  3 Units**  
Formerly: CHIN 50B  
Prerequisite: Chinese 50A with a grade of “C” or better.  
Course Not Transferable UC or CSU  
Hours: 54 hours LEC  
This course is a continuation of Chinese 50A. Further acquisition of language skills in understanding and speaking will be emphasized. Additional vocabulary and sentence patterns will be introduced. Students will gain proficiency in understanding and speaking Mandarin in everyday situations.

**MAND 401  Elementary Mandarin  4 Units**  
Formerly: CHIN 11A  
Prerequisite: None  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
This beginning course in Mandarin Chinese emphasizes pronunciation drill, sentence pattern analysis, and the development of language skills in listening, speaking, reading, and writing. Character reading and writing are introduced. AA/AS area B; IGETC area 6.

**MAND 402  Elementary Mandarin  4 Units**  
Formerly: CHIN 11B  
Prerequisite: Chinese 11A with a grade of “C” or better.  
Advisory: Chinese 20.  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
This course is the continuation of Chinese 11A. Further acquisition of language skills in listening, speaking, reading, and writing will be emphasized. Additional character reading and writing skills will be developed. Students will gain proficiency in understanding and speaking Mandarin in everyday situations. AA/AS area 3B.

**RUSS 401  Elementary Russian  4 Units**  
Formerly: RUSS 1A  
Prerequisite: None  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
This course includes Russian alphabet pronunciation, grammar, elementary reading, writing and conversation. The grammar emphasizes noun declension and verb conjugation. Discussions on Russian culture is also included. (CAN RUSS 2) AA/AS area B; IGETC area 6.  
(RUSS SEQ A Sum of CAN Russ 2 and Russ 4)

**RUSS 402  Elementary Russian  4 Units**  
Formerly: RUSS 1B  
Prerequisite: RUSS 401 with a grade of “C” or better, or two years of high school Russian.  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
Continuation of RUSS 401. Further development of listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills. Continued study of Russian grammar fundamentals. Further exposure to Russian character and customs. (CAN RUSS 4) AA/AS area B.  
(RUSS SEQ A Sum of CAN Russ 2 and Russ 4)

**RUSS 411  Intermediate Russian  4 Units**  
Formerly: RUSS 2A  
Prerequisite: RUSS 402 with a grade of “C” or better, or three years of high school Russian.  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
Intermediate level listening and speaking practice. Further development of grammatical structures. Reading of modern prose. (CAN RUSS 8) AA/AS area B; CSU area C2; IGETC area 3.

**RUSS 412  Intermediate Russian  4 Units**  
Formerly: RUSS 2B  
Prerequisite: RUSS 411 with a grade of “C” or better, or four years of high school Russian.  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
Continuation of Russian 2A. Reading and interpreting major types of Russian literature (short story, novel, drama, poetry). Practice in speaking and writing. Studying the historical and cultural background. AA/AS area B; CSU area C2; IGETC area 3 or Language Other Than English.

**Spanish**

**SPAN 311  Conversational Spanish, Intermediate  2 Units**  
Formerly: SPAN 42A  
Prerequisite: SPAN 402 with a grade of “C” or better or two years of high school Spanish.  
Course Transferable to CSU  
Hours: 36 hours LEC
This course is designed at the intermediate level in Spanish with focus on further development of oral-aural skills through conversations and discussions, both directed and spontaneous. Emphasis will be on fostering oral proficiency and further development of Hispanic cultural awareness.

**SPAN 312 Conversational Spanish, Intermediate**  
**2 Units**  
Formerly: SPAN 42B  
Prerequisite: SPAN 311 with a grade of “C” or better or three years of high school Spanish.  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 36 hours LEC  
This course is designed at the intermediate level in Spanish with focus on further development of oral-aural skills through conversations and discussions, both directed and spontaneous. Emphasis will be on fostering oral proficiency and further development of Hispanic cultural awareness.

**SPAN 351 Conversational Spanish, Elementary**  
**3 Units**  
Formerly: SPAN 11A  
Prerequisite: None  
Course Transferable to CSU  
Hours: 54 hours LEC  
This course is designed for students at the elementary level in Spanish. Conversations and discussions, both controlled and spontaneous, are used to develop basic conversational skills in Spanish. Emphasis will include oral proficiency and development of Hispanic cultural awareness.

**SPAN 352 Conversational Spanish, Elementary**  
**3 Units**  
Formerly: SPAN 11B  
Prerequisite: SPAN 351 with a grade of “C” or better or two years of high school Spanish.  
Course Transferable to CSU  
Hours: 54 hours LEC  
This course is designed for students at the elementary level in Spanish. Students will continue the development of oral-aural skills in Spanish through conversations and discussions, both controlled and spontaneous. Emphasis will include oral proficiency and development of Spanish cultural awareness.

**SPAN 361 Conversational Spanish, Intermediate**  
**3 Units**  
Formerly: SPAN 12A  
Prerequisite: SPAN 352 with a grade of “C” or better or three years of high school Spanish.  
Course Transferable to CSU  
Hours: 54 hours LEC  
Students will continue the development of oral-aural skills in Spanish through small group conversations and class discussions, both directed and open-ended. Grammar structures, idiomatic expressions, and verb usage will be reviewed. Reports, discussions on current events, assigned readings, and personal interest topics will be used in individual and group presentations.

**SPAN 362 Conversational Spanish, Intermediate**  
**3 Units**  
Formerly: SPAN 12B  
Prerequisite: SPAN 361 with a grade of “C” or better or four years of high school Spanish.  
Course Transferable to CSU  
Hours: 54 hours LEC  
Students will continue to develop oral proficiency through emphasis on individual and small group presentation. Simple Hispanic readings will be used as a vehicle to continue the study and appreciation of the Hispanic culture and folklore through discussions, and debates.

**SPAN 401 Elementary Spanish**  
**4 Units**  
Formerly: SPAN 1A  
Prerequisite: None  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
This course is an introduction to the language and culture of the Spanish-speaking world. It includes the development of listening, speaking, reading, and writing Spanish with emphasis on the communicative skills, as well as the fundamentals of Spanish pronunciation and grammar. (CAN SPAN SEQ A-SPAN 401-402; CAN SPAN 2) AA/AS area 3B; IGETC area 6.  
(Span span A Sum of Span 1,3,5 or 2,4)

**SPAN 402 Elementary Spanish**  
**4 Units**  
Formerly: SPAN 1B  
Prerequisite: SPAN 401 with a grade of “C” or better or two years of high school Spanish.  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
This course is a further development of the four basic skills: listening, speaking, reading, and writing Spanish. It includes emphasis on pronunciation and the fundamentals of Spanish grammar and understanding the diverse cultures of the Spanish-speaking world.  
(CAN SPAN 4) AA/AS area B  
(Span SEQ A Sum of Span 1,3,5 or 2,4)

**SPAN 411 Intermediate Spanish**  
**4 Units**  
Formerly: SPAN 2A  
Prerequisite: SPAN 401 with a grade of “C” or better or three years of high school Spanish.  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
This course includes listening and speaking practice at the intermediate level and review of the fundamentals of Spanish grammar. Students begin writing short paragraphs in Spanish. Further study of cultural and historical background is included.  
(CAN SPAN 8) AA/AS area B; CSU area C2; IGETC area 3  
(Span SEQ B Sum Span 7,9,11 or Span 8,10)

**SPAN 412 Intermediate Spanish**  
**4 Units**  
Formerly: SPAN 2B  
Prerequisite: SPAN 411 with a grade of “C” or better or four years of high school Spanish.  
Course Transferable to UC/CSU  
Hours: 72 hours LEC  
This course continues the development of the four basic skills through reading and discussion of major types of Spanish literature (short story, drama, poetry). Writing of paragraphs and short compositions is included. Students read and discuss historical and cultural background of the Spanish speaking world.  
(CAN SPAN 10) AA/AS area B; CSU area C2; IGETC area 3  
(Span SEQ B Sum Span 7,9,11 or Span 8,10)

**SPAN 437 Spanish for Professionals, Intermediate**  
**3 Units**  
(formerly Spanish 52A and 52B)  
Formerly: SPAN 14  
Prerequisite: SPAN 411 with a grade of “C” or better or four years of high school Spanish.  
Course Transferable to CSU  
Hours: 54 hours LEC  
This is an intermediate course designed for persons in law enforcement, business and finance, social services and medical personnel. The emphasis of the course is on acquiring verbal facility in interviewing, collecting and analyzing data, giving instructions, and general courtesies. The course will help students to acquire language proficiency while reviewing and broadening the grammar foundation attained in elementary Spanish. It will introduce specific vocabulary necessary for professionals to successfully communicate in a professional situation, such as an interview. Cultural and behavioral attitudes appropriate for relating to persons of Hispanic heritage will be compared with other cultures. This course may be taken twice.

**SPAN 496 Teaching Assistant in Spanish**  
**1-2 Units**  
Formerly: SPAN 46  
Prerequisite: SPAN 411 or four years of high school Spanish with a grade of “C” or better.  
Course Transferable to CSU  
Hours: 9-18 hours LEC; 27-54 hours LAB  
This course provides an opportunity for Spanish-speaking students to work with individuals or small groups of students enrolled in the Spanish program. Students work with the instructor in record keeping and correcting simple tests, journals, workbooks, and reports. They also prepare classroom materials such as charts, visual aids, and hand-outs. Open entry and exit. May be taken four times for credit to a maximum of four units.