

LANGUAGES + CULTURES *with a Concentration in Spanish*

COLLEGE OF ARTS + SCIENCES



COURSES

Our program's curriculum combines Spanish language courses with a selection of Spanish electives in culture, literature, and film and finishes with a Spanish capstone. All of the courses are taught in Spanish. Here's a sample of what you can expect to learn and do:

Second-Year Spanish I

This course focuses on grammar and vocabulary development, continuing the advancement of the four basic skills: listening comprehension, conversation, reading, and composition, along with culture.

Intensive Conversation

This course places an emphasis on oral expression with exercises to provide students with a working knowledge of conversational Spanish. This course is open only to non-native speakers.

Culture and Civilization of Spain

This course is a historical approach to Spanish civilization. Students study elements of Spanish culture including the languages, music, arts, architecture, and current socio-political issues.

Latin-American Literature II

This course is a survey of Latin-American literature from the latter part of the 19th century to the present, including realism, naturalism, modernism, and post-modernism.

Immigration

The course incorporates service learning in the New Orleans Latino community; guest speakers; and readings and films about problems of being an immigrant, particularly from the Spanish-speaking world. Written compositions reflect on the issues and how we can better know the "other."

SOMETIMES WHEN opportunity calls, it speaks another language. And Spanish is not a "foreign" language any more. When you meet someone, knowing another language gives you an additional opportunity to connect. The goal at the heart of our program is to appreciate other languages, literatures, and cultures. Our university's namesake was born in Spain—St. Ignatius Loyola, or "Iggy" as our students affectionately call him. Following the Jesuit tradition he established, we know that learning other languages is an indispensable part of individual development. Here at Loyola, we'll teach you to use language to connect with others.

Possible Careers:

- High School Spanish Teacher
- Non-profit work in the Latino Community
- Spanish Professor
- Bilingual attorney

ATTENDING LOYOLA means being in the heart of New Orleans. Our campus is located in the city's historic Uptown neighborhood, just a short drive from the Central Business District, the city's hub of innovation, creativity, and strategic thinking. You'll learn to hone your talents in the city named #1 new brainpower city in America and #1 best city in the U.S. for creative professionals.