

Alaska Native Languages

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Minor only

The Alaska Native language program offers courses in Eskimo-Aleut and Indian languages spoken in the state. Major and minor curricula are offered in Central Yup'ik Eskimo, the largest Alaska Native language in terms of number of speakers; and Inupiaq Eskimo, the second largest. Regular courses are also available in Gwich'in Athabascan. Individual or small-group instruction is available in other Athabascan languages as well as in Siberian Yupik, Alutiiq, Aleut and Tlingit. UAF is the only university in the United States to provide such programs. Students interested in individual or small group interaction should contact the Alaska Native Language Center directly.

Professional opportunities for those skilled in Alaska Native languages exist in teaching, research, and cultural, educational and political development. The A.A. degree and the 30-credit certificate in Native language education for either Inupiaq or Athabascan are available by distance delivery. Both provide training in language and culture for people interested in becoming Native language instructors, and both may serve as a step toward further education.

The Alaska Native language teaching program benefits from the research staff and library of the Alaska Native Language Center. Students have access to researchers who are world leaders in the documentation of Eskimo and northern Athabascan languages. The library houses more than 15,000 items, virtually everything written about Alaska Native languages, including copies of documentation dating to the 1700s.

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- Complete the following:
 Any ANL or ESK courses 15
- Minimum credits required 15

Note: Page numbers refer to the UAF 2004-2005 academic catalog, which can be viewed online at www.uaf.edu/catalog/.

General University Requirements

All degrees (e.g. B.A., B.S., etc.) require additional courses. Refer to specific degree and program requirements.

COMMUNICATIONS (9)

Complete the following:

- ENGL 111X (3) _____
 ENGL 211X OR 213X (3) _____
 COMM 131X OR 141X (3) _____

LIBRARY & INFORMATION SKILLS (0-1)

Complete the following:

- LS 100X OR 101X (0-1) _____
 OR Successful completion of library skills competency test.

PERSPECTIVES ON THE HUMAN CONDITION (18)

Complete either the following six courses:

- ANTH 100X OR SOC 100X (3) _____
 ECON/PS 100X (3) _____
 HIST 100X (3) _____
 ART/MUS/THR 200X, HUM 201X OR ANS 202X (3) _____
 ENGL/FL 200X (3) _____
 PHIL 322X, NRM 303X, COMM 300X,
 PS 300X OR JUST 300X (3) _____

OR Complete 12 cr from the above list PLUS two semester-length courses in a single non-English or Alaska Native language at the university level OR three semester-length courses (9 cr) in American Sign Language.

MATHEMATICS (3-4)

Complete 3-4 credits from the following:

- MATH 107X (3) _____
 OR MATH 131X (except for BBA) (3) _____
 OR MATH 161X (3) _____
 MATH 200X (4) _____
 MATH 201X (4) _____
 MATH 202X (4) _____
 MATH 262X (4) _____
 MATH 272X (3) _____

NOTE: Additional 3 cr of math needed for degree requirements.

NATURAL SCIENCES (8)

Complete 8 credits from the following:

- ATM 101X (4) _____
 BIOL 103X OR 104X (4) _____
 BIOL 105X-106X (8) _____
 BIOL 111X-112X (8) _____
 CHEM 100X (4) _____
 CHEM 103X-104X (8) _____
 CHEM 105X-106X (8) _____
 GEOG 205X (4) _____
 GEOS 100X OR 120X OR 125X (4) _____
 GEOS 101X-112X (8) _____
 MSL 111X (4) _____
 PHYS 102X OR 175X (4) _____
 PHYS 103X-104X (8) _____
 PHYS 211X-212X (8) _____
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