



ANTHROPOLOGY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS 2026 - 2027

Major Advising Sheet

Units required for Major:
43 - 44 units, includes
units of study in
chosen concentration

Concentration: Integrative Anthropology

The Integrative Anthropology concentration introduces students to the fundamentals of archaeological, biological, sociocultural and linguistic anthropology. It provides a well rounded and holistic view of the discipline through coverage of the diverse lines of inquiry and evidence that anthropologists use to explore the human condition. This concentration is grounded in creative, critical, and analytical thinking, and prepares students for a diverse range of career paths, from the private sector and corporate jobs to those in the government and non-profit sectors. It also prepares students for postgraduate education.

OFFICE/ADVISING HOURS ARE POSTED ON THE DEPARTMENT WEBSITE AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH SEMESTER

* Students may take **new** major courses under most Current Catalog, but need to work with their Major Advisor to verify prior to taking the course and submit a "Major Course Substitution" form via OnBase.

STUDENT: Complete as much as possible information on the 'Major Advising Sheet', including courses you have completed for the major and bring to your advising appointment.

ADVISING: Make note/summary of advising appointment in EAB Platform, include pending requirement courses/areas to complete.

Save copy of advising sheet and upload a copy on student's EAB appointment report. The student will automatically receive a copy through the EAB appointment summary platform.

Student Name _____ Academic Level _____ Advising Date _____
Student ID _____ Expected Graduation Semester & Year _____ Advisor _____

**Course in parenthesis denotes pre-requisite course(s) that must be taken prior to eligibility to enroll in the desired course*

**EACH Course can only satisfy ONE Major Requirement. For Example: ANTH 111 California Archaeology is listed under section B-Core Requirements, and Section C-Requirements for Concentration subcategory "Exploring Archaeology". The course can only satisfy ONE of the two sections. If using the course to satisfy the core requirement, a different course must be selected/taken under the other category.*

A. Required Lower Division Core Requirements (13 units):

Complete all **FIVE** courses

anticipated sem/ taken/ grade

- ANTH 1 Introduction to Biological Anthropology (3 units)
- ANTH 1A Laboratory in Biological Anthropology (1 units)
- ANTH 2 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (3 units)
- ANTH 3 Introduction to Archaeology (3 units)
- ANTH 4 Language, Culture, and Critical Thinking (3 units)

B. Upper Division Core Requirements (12 units):

Select **ONE** of the following (3 units)

anticipated sem/ taken/grade

- ANTH 141 Thinking About Culture (ANTH 2)
- ANTH 146 Ethnographic Analysis (ANTH 2)

Select **ONE** of the following (3 units)

anticipated sem/ taken/grade

- ANTH 160 Linguistic Anthropology (ANTH 4)
- ANTH 162 Language and Culture (ANTH 4)

Select **ONE** of the following (3 units)

Each course can only satisfy one major requirement

anticipated sem/ taken/grade

- ANTH 111 California Archaeology (ANTH 3)
- ANTH 112 Great Basin Archaeology (ANTH 3)
- ANTH 113 Prehistory of the Southwest (ANTH 3)
- ANTH 114 North American Prehistory (ANTH 3)
- ANTH 122 The Evolution of Early Mesoamerican States (ANTH 3)
- ANTH 138 Peopling of North America (ANTH 3)

Select **ONE** of the following (3 units)

Each course can only satisfy one major requirement

anticipated sem/ taken/grade

- ANTH 151 Human Paleontology (ANTH 1 and ANTH 1A)
- ANTH 155 Fundamentals of Biological Anthropology (ANTH 1, ANTH 1A)
- ANTH 156 Evolution of Human Behavior (ANTH 1, BIO 10, or PSYC 2 Recommended)
- ANTH 157 Human Variation (ANTH 1, BIO 10, or graduate student standing)

C. Requirements for Concentration (18-19 units)

Exploring Archaeology- Select **ONE** of the following (3 units)

Each course can only satisfy one major requirement

anticipated sem/ taken/ grade

- ANTH 107 Anthropology of Hunters & Gatherers (ANTH 3)
- ANTH 109 Ecological and Evolutionary Approaches to Anthropology (ANTH 3)
- ANTH 110 Archaeological Method & Theory (ANTH 3)
- ANTH 111 California Archaeology (ANTH 3) - If not taken as a core course
- ANTH 112 Great Basin Archaeology (ANTH 3) - If not taken as a core course
- ANTH 113 Prehistory of the Southwest (ANTH 3) - If not taken as a core course
- ANTH 114 North American Prehistory (ANTH 3) - If not taken as a core course
- ANTH 115 Origins of Agriculture (ANTH 3)
- ANTH 122 The Evolution of Early Mesoamerican States (ANTH 3) - If not taken as a core course
- ANTH 138 Peopling of North America (ANTH 3) - If not taken as a core course

Exploring Biological Anthropology - Select **ONE** of the following (3 - 4 units)

Each course can only satisfy one major requirement

anticipated sem/ taken/grade

- ANTH 151 Human Paleontology (ANTH 1 & ANTH 1A) - If not taken as a core course
- ANTH 152 Comparative Primate Morphology (ANTH 1 & ANTH 1A)

anticipated sem/
taken/grade

Exploring Biological Anthropology - Continued

Each course can only satisfy one major requirement

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| | ANTH 153 | Evolutionary Medicine (ANTH 1, BIO 10, or PSYC 2 Recommended) |
| | ANTH 154 | Primate Behavior (ANTH 1 or instructor approval) |
| | ANTH 156 | Evolution of Human Behavior (ANTH 1, BIO 10, or PSYC 2 Recommended) - If not taken as a core course |
| | ANTH 157 | Human Variation (ANTH 1, BIO 10, or graduate student standing) - If not taken as a core course |
| | ANTH 158 | Human Skeletal Analysis (ANTH 150) |
| | ANTH 171 | Bioarchaeology: Analyzing Human Remains from Archaeology Sites (ANTH 1 & ANTH 1A) |

anticipated sem/
taken/grade

Exploring Culture and Language - Select **TWO** of the following (6 units)

Each course can only satisfy one major requirement

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| | ANTH 105 | Anthropology of War (ANTH 146 or instructor permission) |
| | ANTH 108 | Economic Anthropology (ANTH 146, or ANTH 141, or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 131 | Europe in Ethnographic Imagination (ANTH 146, or ANTH 141, or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 132 | Health, Culture, Power: Topics in Medical Anthropology |
| | ANTH 142 | Political Anthropology (ANTH 146, or ANTH 141, or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 144 | Contemporary American Society in Anth Perspective (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146, or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 161 | African Cultures and Societies (ANTH 146 or instructor permission) |
| | ANTH 163 | Urban Anthropology (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 167 | Religion and Culture (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 172 | Anthropology of Music (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 173 | Anthropology of Contemporary Asia (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 174 | Anthropology of Food (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 175 | Anthropology of Globalization (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 188 | Anthropology of the Body (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 189 | Critical Medical Anthropology (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 190 | Advanced Topics in Linguistic Anthropology (ANTH 160 or 162) |
| | ANTH 196Z | Language Digital Literacies and the Self (ANTH 4) |

anticipated sem/
taken/grade

Applying Anthropology - Select **ONE** of the following (3 - 4 units)

Each course can only satisfy one major requirement

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| | ANTH 119 | Analysis of Faunal Remains (ANTH 3) |
| | ANTH 120 | Introductory Statistics for Anthropologists (ANTH 3 or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 126 | Techniques of Archaeological Analysis (ANTH 3) |
| | ANTH 150 | Human Osteology (ANTH 1 and ANTH 1A, or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 165 | Applied Anthropology (ANTH 141 or 146; ANTH 160 or 162; and additional 6 units of the upper division CLS concentration, or graduate level standing) |
| | ANTH 169 | Research Methods in Linguistic Anthropology (ANTH 141 or 146; ANTH 160 or 162; and additional 6 units of the upper division CLS concentration, or graduate level standing) |
| | ANTH 177 | Museum Methods (Anthropology major declared, graduate student standing, or instructor permission) |
| | ANTH 179 | Observing Primate Behavior (ANTH 1 & 1A or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 181 | Anthropology of Human Rights (ANTH 141 or 146; ANTH 160 or 162; and additional 6 units) |
| | ANTH 187 | Health Research in Biological Anthropology (ANTH 1 and Instructor permission) |
| | ANTH 191 | Anthropology Practicum (ANTH 141 or 146; ANTH 160 or 162; and additional 6 units of the upper division CLS concentration, or graduate level standing) |
| | ANTH 192A | Laboratory Work in Archaeology (ANTH 3, Co-requisite: ANTH 195A) |
| | ANTH 195A | Fieldwork in Archaeology (ANTH 3, Co-requisite: ANTH 192A) |
| | ANTH 192B | Ethnographic Methods and Research Design (ANTH 141 or 146; ANTH 160 or 162; and additional 6 units of the upper division CLS concentration, or graduate level standing) |

Must enroll/take the two courses together

anticipated sem/
taken /grade

Integrative Anthropology Elective - Select any **ONE** of the following (3 units)

Each course can only satisfy one major requirement

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| | ANTH 101 | Cultural Diversity |
| | ANTH 105 | Anthropology of War (ANTH 146 or instructor permission) |
| | ANTH 107 | Anthropology of Hunters & Gatherers (ANTH 3) |
| | ANTH 108 | Economic Anthropology (ANTH 146, or ANTH 141, or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 109 | Ecological and Evolutionary Approaches to Anthropology (ANTH 3) |
| | ANTH 113 | Prehistory of the Southwest (ANTH 3) - If not taken as a core course |
| | ANTH 115 | Origins of Agriculture (ANTH 3) |
| | ANTH 117 | World Prehistory (any lower-division GE Area B2 course.) |
| | ANTH 118 | The Anthropocene: Human Impacts on Ancient Environments |
| | ANTH 121 | Archaeology of Mexico |
| | ANTH 123 | Ancient Technology |
| | ANTH 131 | Europe in Ethnographic Imagination (ANTH 146, or ANTH 141, or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 132 | Health, Culture, Power: Topics in Medical Anthropology |
| | ANTH 133 | Life of Primates |
| | ANTH 134 | Japanese Culture and Society |
| | ANTH 142 | Political Anthropology (ANTH 146, or ANTH 141, or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 143 | Culture and Society in Mexico |
| | ANTH 144 | Contemporary American Society in Anth Perspective (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146, or graduate student standing) |
| | ANTH 145 | Peoples and Cultures of Latin America (ANTH 146 or instructor's permission) |
| | ANTH 152 | Comparative Primate Morphology (ANTH 1 & ANTH 1A) |
| | ANTH 153 | Evolutionary Medicine (ANTH 1, BIO 10, or PSYC 2 Recommended) |

Integrative Anthropology Elective - List Continued

ANTH 154	Primate Behavior (ANTH 1 or instructor approval)
ANTH 158	Human Skeletal Analysis (ANTH 150)
ANTH 159	Forensic Anthropology (any lower-division GE Area B2 course)
ANTH 161	African Cultures and Societies (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)
ANTH 163	Urban Anthropology (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing)
ANTH 165	Applied Anthropology (ANTH 141 or 146; ANTH 160 or 162; and additional 6 units of the upper division CLS concentration, or graduate level standing)
ANTH 166	Rise of Religious Cults
ANTH 167	Religion and Culture (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing)
ANTH 171	Bioarchaeology: Analyzing Human Remains from Archaeology Sites (ANTH 1 & ANTH 1A)
ANTH 172	Anthropology of Music (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing)
ANTH 173	Anthropology of Contemporary Asia (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing)
ANTH 174	Anthropology of Food (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing)
ANTH 175	Anthropology of Globalization (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing)
ANTH 183	Women Cross-Culturally
ANTH 188	Anthropology of the Body (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing)
ANTH 189	Critical Medical Anthropology (ANTH 141 or ANTH 146 or graduate student standing)
ANTH 190	Advanced Topics in Linguistic Anthropology (ANTH 160 or ANTH 162 or instructor permission)
ANTH 196Z	Languague Digital Literacies and the Self (ANTH 4)
ANTH 198	Biology and Feminism: A Co-Evolution

List planned course substitutions. Consult with Major Advisor prior to enrollment in the course.

* Course substitutions will be limited to Field Schools/Study Abroad and/or based on career focus with **ADVANCE** approval from the Major Advisor and Department Chair. If approved, Major Advisor will submit an official "Major Course Substitution Form via OnBase."

* For GE Requirements Advising - drop in or schedule an appointment at the [SS&IS Student Success Center](#). Check for hours and appointments online

Notes:

- All courses except general electives must be completed with a grade of "C-" or better.
- Availability of anthropology courses varies each semester. Consult semester schedules online and with your Anthropology Advisor.
- You can overlap between GE and major coursework approved for fulfilling both areas. Not all anthropology courses serve toward the major. For example: Anth 13, 16, 102, etc. Consult with your major advisor if unsure.

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