

# Catalog of Courses





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A = Arrival CB = Classes Begin FE = Final Examinations

D = Departure

Austria	<b>Brazil</b>	<b>France</b>	Italy	
\$4,679.00	\$4,830.00	\$4,218.00	\$3,707.00	
A:June 15–16, 2024CB:June 17, 2024FE:July 24–25, 2024D:July 27, 2024	A:June 17, 2024CB:June 18, 2024FE:July 25, 2024D:July 26, 2024	A:June 14–16, 2024CB:June 18, 2024FE:July 24, 2024D:July 27–28, 2024	A:June 23–24, 2024CB:June 26, 2024FE:July 29, 2024D:July 31, 2024	
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\$4,607.00	\$4,367.00	\$4,851.00		
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# **Application Deadline:**

Friday, May 17, 2024

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# Austria



During the summer program, students can prepare for different levels of the Österreichisches Sprachdiplom Deutsch (ÖSD). A brief description of the examinations follows.

#### ÖSD ZERTIFIKAT A1 (ÖSD ZA1) Equivalent to CEFR Level A1 (Breakthrough)

An exam for learners whose knowledge of German includes the basic language skills required privately and professionally at an elementary level.

#### ÖSD ZERTIFIKAT A2 (ÖSD ZA2)

#### Equivalent to CEFR Level A2 (Waystage)

An exam for learners aged 14 and over whose knowledge of German is sufficient to deal with situations in private and professional contexts at a higher elementary level.

#### ÖSD ZERTIFIKAT DEUTSCH ÖSTERREICH B1 (ÖSD ZDÖ B1)

#### Equivalent to CEFR Level B1 (Threshold)

An exam for learners aged 16 and over who can already deal with everyday situations without difficulty, also when traveling as tourists or when talking about their own interests and areas of specialization. The emphasis is on communicative competence but attention is also paid to formal accuracy.

#### ÖSD ZERTIFIKAT B2 (ÖSD ZB2) Equivalent to the CEFR Level B2 (Vantage)

An exam for learners aged 16 and over who are able to communicate clearly and in detail on a broad range of topics and who can conduct a normal conversation with native speakers spontaneously and fluently.

#### ÖSD ZERTIFIKAT C1 (ÖSD ZC1) Equivalent to CEFR Level C1 (Effective Operational Proficiency)

An exam for learners aged 16 and over who can master professional and social situations, even in more complex contexts. The C1 Oberstufe Deutsch Diploma is accepted by most Austrian, German, and Swiss universities as proof of German language skills as required for university entrance.

# **COLLEGE COURSES**

All students must participate in the outings designated as cultural tours. These tours are an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation in the tours will affect their overall grade in certain courses for which they are enrolled.

During the summer session, only beginner level courses offered.

#### GRMN101, 102, 103 BEGINNING GERMAN

(2, 2, 2qh)

An intensive introduction to the fundamentals of the German language. Focus includes grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, reading, pronunciation, and culture. Does not apply toward a German major or minor. No credit for students with previous college-level Beginning German credit. Twelve hours of classroom instruction per week.

#### GRMN151, 152, 153 (1, 1, 1qh) BEGINNING ORAL EXPRESSION

Focus includes vocabulary, conversation, roleplaying, and pronunciation. Three hours of classroom instruction and three hours of laboratory under supervision, per week. Taken concurrently with GRMN101, 102, 103.

#### GRMN191, 192, 193 (3, 3, 3qh) INTENSIVE GERMAN REVIEW I

An intensive review of the fundamentals of the German language. Focus includes grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, oral expression, reading, and culture. Fifteen hours of classroom instruction and three hours of laboratory per week.

# **SECONDARY COURSES**

All students must participate in the outings designated as cultural tours. These tours are an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation in the tours will affect their overall grade in the courses for which they are enrolled.

#### **GERMAN I: BEGINNING GERMAN**

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

An intensive introduction to written and spoken Germanthrough study of grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization.

# Brazil



# THE PROGRAM

The student will be able to complete one entire level within a month, while it would normally require four months of study. The student will take a placement exam during the first days of arrival to determine the appropriate level.

Each level encompasses speaking, listening, comprehension, reading, and writing skills which will be taught during 120 hours of instruction inside and outside the classroom (from Sundays through Fridays). The program offers practical classes or outdoor activities every Sunday and ACA students will benefit from amazing trips to Salvador, Cachoeira – a historic city, Morro de São Paulo – Bahia and Praia do Forte. Students will be exposed to everyday life vocabulary not only inside the classroom but also in their free time while participating on campus activities, sharing meals, or engaging with students and employees.

Students coming to the ACA Summer Language Program will also be on campus during the winter season. During the month of July, FADBA students are on vacation, and many travel to work in order to be able to support themselves financially during the semester. However, about 300 employees will be working as normal and we also offer intensive courses, master programs, and theology courses, that will continue to give the ACA students opportunities to converse, interact, and practice their Portuguese.

# **COLLEGE COURSES**

All students must participate in the cultural tours, which are an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation on the tours will affect their overall grade in certain courses for which they are enrolled.

#### PORT101, 102 BEGINNING PORTUGUESE

(3, 3sh)

An intensive introduction to the fundamentals of the Portuguese language. Focus includes grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Does not apply toward a Portuguese minor. No credit for students with previous college-level Beginning Portuguese credit.

#### PORT191, 192 (3, 3sh) INTENSIVE PORTUGUESE REVIEW I

An intensive review of the fundamentals of the Portuguese language. Focus includes grammar, composition, dictation, oral expression, phonetics, spelling, stylistics, and orthography. Does not apply toward a Portuguese minor. Not open to students in PORT101, 102.

#### PORT211, 212 INTERMEDIATE PORTUGUESE

An accelerated review of written and spoken Portuguese with special emphasis on grammar, orthography, syntax, and phonetics. Daily compositions are due based on topics from everyday life. Lectures and readings on Portuguese culture introduce students to the history, politics, geography, arts, and literature of Brazil and Portugal. Prerequisites: PORT102 and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

#### PORT291, 292 (3, 3sh) INTENSIVE PORTUGUESE REVIEW II

An accelerated review of concepts of the Portuguese language including grammar, composition, dictation, oral expression, phonetics, spelling, stylistics, and orthography. Prerequisites: PORT102 or PORT192 and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

#### PORT321, 322 (3, 3sh) ADVANCED PORTUGUESE I

An in-depth study of the Portuguese grammar and syntax combined with both oral and written practice. Also included are studies of Brazilian and Portuguese culture, and literature. Prerequisites: PORT212 and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

### **SECONDARY COURSES**

All students must participate in the cultural tours, which are an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation on the tour will affect their overall grade in courses for which they are enrolled.

#### PORTUGUESE I: BEGINNING PORTUGUESE

(1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

An intensive introduction to written and spoken Portuguese through study of grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization.

#### **PORTUGUESE II: INTERMEDIATE PORTUGUESE** (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

This accelerated course develops and refines skills taught in beginning Portuguese and focuses on grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization.

# PORTUGUESE III: ADVANCED PORTUGUESE I (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

Further refinement of written and spoken Portuguese with focus on grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Prerequisites: Portuguese II and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

#### PORTUGUESE IV: ADVANCED PORTUGUESE II (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

Additional refinement of written and spoken Portuguese — grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Prerequisites: Portuguese III and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

# France



## **COLLEGE COURSES**

All students must participate in the outings designated as cultural tours. These tours are an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation in the tours will affect their overall grade in certain courses for which they are enrolled.

#### **BEGINNING LEVEL**

#### FREN 101, 102, 103 BEGINNING FRENCH

(3, 3, 3qh)

An intensive introduction to the fundamentals of the French language. Focus includes grammar, spelling, reading, composition, listening, speaking, phonetics and cultural topics based on the basic vocabulary, basic sentence structure, and simple conversations related to the basic communication needs. No prerequisite needed.

#### FREN 191, 192, 193 (3, 3, 3qh) INTENSIVE FRENCH REVIEW I

An intensive review of the fundamentals of the French language for students who have already taken FREN 101, 102, 103 at IFLE but have not reached the required fluency to enroll in French 201, 202, 203 at IFLE. Classes in grammar, spelling, conversation, composition, and cultural topics help students improve pronunciation, sentence structure, verbal conjugations, and all language skills. Prerequisite: French 103 or its equivalent and a sufficiently high score on the initial placement test. INTERMEDIATE LEVEL

#### FREN 201, 202, 203 INTERMEDIATE FRENCH

(3, 3, 3qh)

An intensive course to deepen the student's basic knowledge of the French language. Focus includes grammar, spelling, reading, composition, listening, speaking, phonetics, and cultural topics to increase vocabulary, improve all language skills, and enable the student to communicate about daily personal and family situations using basic verb tenses and modes. Prerequisite: A sufficiently high score on the initial placement test.

#### FREN 291, 292, 293 INTENSIVE FRENCH REVIEW II

(3, 3, 3qh)

An intensive review of written and spoken French for students who have already taken 201, 202, 203 classes at IFLE or done 200 hours of French but have not reached the required fluency to enroll in advanced French courses at IFLE. Classes in grammar, spelling, conversation, composition, and cultural topics help students improve pronunciation, sentence structure, verbal conjugations, and all language skills. Prerequisite: French 303 or its equivalent and a sufficiently high score on the initial placement test.

#### ADVANCED LEVEL

FREN 320

(3qh)

# ADVANCED READING AND WRITING I

An advanced course, developing the written comprehension and writing techniques. The classes are designed to enrich vocabulary, to practice advanced grammar points, and to start practicing argumentation. Students will be able to understand and describe events, feelings, and wishes in personal and business correspondence.

#### FREN 330 ADVANCED GRAMMAR AND SPELLING

A course aiming to develop the grammatical mastery, enabling students to recognize, understand, and use the first complex sentence structures through structured and more spontaneous activities. This course will also include some practice of lexical and grammatical spelling as well.

(3qh)

(3qh)

#### FREN340 ADVANCED LISTENING AND SPEAKING

This class is focused on helping students develop their ability to communicate in a coherent discourse related to familiar topics and interests: students will be able to recount an event, experience, dream, or project. This class will also include some practice with expressing different points of view through organized debates.

#### FREN420 (3qh) ADVANCED READING AND WRITING II

An advanced course aiming to understand complex articles on specialized and abstract subjects. Analysis of different texts to practice the argumentation in writing of different types of formal letters (complaints, proposed solutions, defense, justification ...).

### **SECONDARY COURSES**

All students must participate in outings designated as cultural tours. These tours are an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation on the tour will affect their overall grade in courses for which they are enrolled.

#### FRENCH I: BEGINNING FRENCH

culture, and civilization.

**(1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)** An intensive introduction to written and spoken French through study of grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation,

#### FRENCH II: INTERMEDIATE FRENCH

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

This accelerated course develops and refines skills taught in beginning French and focuses on grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Prerequisites: French I and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

#### FRENCH III: ADVANCED FRENCH I

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

Further refinement of written and spoken French with focus on grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Prerequisites: French II and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

#### FRENCH IV: ADVANCED FRENCH II

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

Additional refinement of written and spoken French — grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Prerequisites: French III and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

# Italy



# **COLLEGE COURSES**

All students must participate in the outings designated as cultural tours. These tours are an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation in the tours will affect their overall grade in certain courses for which they are enrolled.

#### ITLN101, 102, 103 (2, 2, 2qh) BEGINNING ITALIAN

An intensive introduction to the fundamentals of the Italian language. Focus includes grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Does not apply toward an Italian major or minor. No credit for students with previous college-level Beginning Italian credit.

#### ITLN/ART131 ITALIAN ART

(3qh)

An intensive outline of the history of Italian art. The student will learn to recognize the basic peculiarities of the most important artistic periods of Italian history. The course will be composed of a theoretical part consisting of classroom lectures, preparation for visits to the most beautiful cities in Italy with explanations of major masterpieces and monuments. The second part of the course is constituted by guided tours in which the students will see firsthand the masterpieces and monuments discussed in the classroom, as well as studies in Mediterranean folklore, ceramics, fashion design, or Mediterranean cooking. The aim of this course is to offer students a general knowledge of Italian art and culture. Taken concurrently with ITLN101, 102, 103 and ITLN191, 192, 193.

#### ITLN191, 192, 193 INTENSIVE ITALIAN REVIEW I

(2, 2, 2qh)

An intensive review of the fundamentals of the Italian language. Focus includes grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Does not apply to an Italian major or minor. Not open to students in ITLN101, 102, 103.

#### ITLN201, 202, 203 INTERMEDIATE ITALIAN

(2, 2, 2qh)

An accelerated course in Italian at the intermediate level. Focus includes grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Prerequisites: ITLN103 and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

#### ITLN/ART231 ITALIAN ART INTENSIVE REVIEW

(3qh)

(2, 2, 2qh)

An intensive outline of the history of Italian art. The student will review the most important artistic periods of Italian art history and the artists who made these time periods special. There will be required course works based on the lectures and on the trips taken.

#### ITLN291, 292, 293 INTENSIVE ITALIAN REVIEW II

An accelerated review of concepts of the Italian language including grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Prerequisites: ITLN103 or ITLN193 and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

# **SECONDARY COURSES**

All students must participate in classes and the outings designated as cultural tours. These tours are an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation in the tours will affect their overall grade in courses for which they are enrolled.

Since the program provides some art classes, students may choose on their transcript to have for all levels: 10 semester hours or 1 Carnegie unit or divide into Language hours (6.5 sh) and Italian Art (3.5 sh), Total: 10 semester hours or 1 Carnegie unit.

#### **ITALIAN I: BEGINNING ITALIAN**

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

An intensive introduction to written and spoken Italian through study of grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization.

#### ITALIAN II: INTERMEDIATE ITALIAN

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

This accelerated course develops and refines skills taught in Beginning Italian and focuses on grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Prerequisites: Italian I and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

# ITALIAN III: ADVANCED ITALIAN I

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

Further refinement of written and spoken Italian with focus on grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Prerequisites: Italian II and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

#### ITALIAN IV: ADVANCED ITALIAN II

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

Additional refinement of written and spoken Italian — grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Prerequisites: Italian III and a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

# South Korea



# THE PROGRAM

Students applying to this program must be 16 years or older. Students coming to the ACA Summer Program will live in college dormitories during the program and take intensive Korean language courses. Additionally, through the Buddy Program, they can interact with Korean college students and improve their Korean language skills. They will have the opportunity to experience various elements of Korean culture and thereby broaden their perspectives.

# International Standard Curriculum for the Korean Language (ISCKL)

The exam known as the International Standard Curriculum for the Korean Language (ISCKL) assesses the language proficiency of Korean language learners. The ISCKL corresponds to the Common Framework of References for Languages as follows:

ISCKL	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
CEFR	A1	A2	B1	B2	C1	C2

### **COLLEGE COURSES**

All students must participate in the outings designated as cultural tours. These tours are an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation in the tours will affect their overall grade in certain courses for which they are enrolled. During the summer session, only beginner and intermediate level courses will be offered. **BEGINNING LEVEL** 

#### KORE101, 102, 103 BEGINNING KOREAN

(3, 3, 3qh)

An intensive introduction to the fundamentals of the Korean language. Focus includes vocabulary, spelling, composition, reading, pronunciation, and culture. This class also highlights the acquisition of the rudimentary elements of grammar, conjugation, and Korean syntax. It offers the possibility to understand the mechanisms and functioning of the Korean language in its written comprehension and expression in the context of daily life. Learning is done through alternating discovery, analysis, conceptualization, and real-life situations.

#### **INTERMEDIATE LEVEL**

#### KORE201, 202, 203 (3, 3, 3qh) INTERMEDIATE KOREAN

An accelerated course in Korean at the intermediate level. Focus includes grammar, vocabulary, spelling, composition, reading, pronunciation, and culture. This course is designed to improve learners' communication skills by using real-life texts of various genres and realistic discourse materials. ISCKL Level 3. Prerequisites: KORE101, 102, 103 or a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

# Spain



# **COLLEGE COURSES**

All students must participate in the cultural tours, which are an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation in the tour will affect their overall grade in certain courses for which they are enrolled.

#### SPAN101, 102, 103 (3, 3, 3qh) BEGINNING SPANISH

An intensive introduction to the fundamentals of the Spanish language. Classes in grammar, conversation, composition, and culture introduce the students to pronunciation, sentence structure, verbal conjugations, simple conversations, basic vocabulary, and a first contact with Spanish history, geography, and customs.

#### SPAN191, 192, 193 (3, 3, 3qh) INTENSIVE SPANISH REVIEW I

An intensive review of the fundamentals of the Spanish language for students who have already had one year of college Spanish but have not reached the required fluency to enroll in Spanish 211, 212, 213 at ESDES. Classes in grammar, conversation, composition, and culture help the student improve pronunciation, sentence structure, verbal conjugations, conversational abilities, vocabulary, and understanding of Spanish history, geography, and customs. Prerequisite: Spanish 103 or its equivalent.

#### SPAN211, 212, 213 INTERMEDIATE SPANISH

(3, 3, 3qh)

An accelerated review of written and spoken Spanish with an introduction to the use of the subjunctive. Classes in grammar, conversation, composition, and culture enable the student to improve sentence structure, increase vocabulary, improve listening comprehension, and conversational abilities and begin to use the important subjunctive mode in Spanish, as well as to become familiar with the most important aspects of Spanish geography, history, and traditions. Prerequisite: a sufficiently high score on the initial placement examination.

#### SPAN291, 292, 293 (3, 3, 3qh) INTENSIVE SPANISH REVIEW II

An accelerated review of written and spoken Spanish with special practice of the use of the subjunctive mode, for students who have already had two years of college Spanish but have not reached the required fluency to enroll in advanced Spanish courses at ESDES. Classes in grammar, conversation, composition, and culture help the student to improve sentence structure, verbal conjugations, conversational abilities, and use of the subjunctive mode, as well as to become familiar with the most important aspects of Spanish geography, history, and traditions. Prerequisites: Spanish 213 or its equivalent and a sufficiently high score on the initial placement examination.

### SPAN311

SPAIN AND ITS CULTURE

(2qh)

This class is centered on the description of customs, traditions, and other cultural elements that are characteristic to Spain. It also makes special emphasis on the regional differences and includes a study on the role of Spain in the European context.

#### SPAN350 ADVANCED SPANISH GRAMMAR

The material of this class is based on a systematic study of Spanish morphosyntax. It has a communicative focus that offers students different possibilities to incorporate what they learn into oral and written situations.

#### SPAN360 ADVANCED SPANISH COMPOSITION

#### (2qh)

(3qh)

Through this class students will learn to produce written output related to topics that are addressed in class.

#### SPAN370

(2qh)

This class is focused on helping students develop their ability to participate in conversations with certain fluidity and spontaneity. They will also be able to express their points of view by participating in debates that are organized in class. Special emphasis will be given to communicative interaction.

#### SPAN375

(2qh)

#### SPANISH FOR HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

ADVANCED SPANISH CONVERSATION

Course specifically designed for students working or training to work in the health care industry.

# **SECONDARY COURSES**

All students must participate in the five-day cultural tour, which is an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation in the tour will affect their overall grade in courses for which they are enrolled.

#### SPANISH I: BEGINNING SPANISH

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

An intensive introduction to written and spoken Spanish through study of grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Taken with college students in SPAN101, 102, 103, but with requirements adapted to secondary students.

#### SPANISH II: INTERMEDIATE SPANISH

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

This accelerated course develops and refines skills taught in Beginning Spanish and focuses on grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Taken with college students in SPAN191, 192, 193 or SPAN211, 212, 213 according to the student's performance on the placement examination. Requirements adapted to secondary students. Prerequisites: Spanish I or a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

### SPANISH III: ADVANCED SPANISH I

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

Further refinement of written and spoken Spanish with focus on grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Taken with college students in SPAN211, 212, 213 or SPAN311, 350, 360, and 370 according to the student's performance on the placement examination. Requirements adapted to secondary students. Prerequisites: Spanish II or a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.

### SPANISH IV: ADVANCED SPANISH II

#### (1 Carnegie unit or 10 semester hours of credit)

Further refinement of written and spoken Spanish — grammar, spelling, composition, dictation, conversation, reading, pronunciation, culture, and civilization. Taken with college students in SPAN311, 350, 360, 370, but with requirements adapted to secondary students. Prerequisites: Spanish III or a sufficiently high score on the placement examination.



# **Biblical Hebrew**



# **COLLEGE COURSES**

All students must participate in the outings designated as cultural tours. These tours are an integral part of the instructional program. Record will be taken and specific assignments given. Students' completion of these assignments and positive participation on the tours will affect their overall grade in courses for which they are enrolled.

**Textbooks:** Students are responsible for bringing three textbooks with them. These books can be purchased online at a reasonable prices.

#### **REQUIRED BOOKS**

- Page Kelley, *Biblical Hebrew: An Introductory Grammar*. Second Edition. Eerdmans. ISBN 978-0802874917. (Please be sure to purchase the Second Edition of the Grammar not the Handbook!).
- Matthew R. Schlimm, 70 Words Every Christian Should Know. Abingdon. ISBN 978-1426799969.
- Milton Eng & Lee M. Fields, eds. Devotions on the Hebrew Bible. Zondervan. ISBN 978-0310494539.

#### **COURSE REQUIREMENTS**

**1. Regular attendance and participation** in class exercises is expected from each student registered for this course. More than four (hourly) absences will affect your grade at the professor's discretion.

**2. Study** the textbook and be prepared for class exercises, tests, and exams. Take daily tests, two exams, and do one class presentation. Make-up tests or exams are not allowed! Grading of the class presentation will be based on the academic quality, clarity of presentation, and class dynamics.

#### This course is for undergraduate students:

#### HEBR331, 332, 333 BIBLICAL HEBREW

(3, 3, 3qh)

Introduction to the elements of biblical Hebrew, designed to enable the student to use the language as a tool in biblical studies and to provide a basis for further study in the language. Includes the study of vocabulary, grammar, syntax, and exegesis, with attention to selected biblical passages from the Hebrew Old Testament.

#### This course is only open to graduate students:

#### OTST/HEBR551, 552 BIBLICAL HEBREW

(3, 3sh)

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