

# ANTHROPOLOGY

## REQUIREMENTS

**CORE CURRICULUM** The Core Curriculum is designed to foster critical thinking skills and introduce students to basic domains of thinking that transcend disciplines. The Core applies to all majors. Information on specific classes in the Core can be found at marshall.edu/gened.

### CORE 1: CRITICAL THINKING

CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
FYS-100	First-Year Seminar	3	_____
MTH 121	Critical Thinking Course	3	_____
ANT 201	Critical Thinking Course	3	_____

### CORE 2:

CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
ENG 101	Beginning Composition	3	_____
ENG 201	Advanced Composition	3	_____
CMM 103	Fund Speech-Communication	3	_____
MTH 121	Concepts & Applications Math (CT)	3	_____
_____	Core II Natural/Physical Science	4	_____
_____	Core II Humanities	3	_____
_____	Core II Fine Arts	3	_____
ANT 201	Core II Social Science	3	_____

### Additional University Requirements

_____	Writing Intensive	_____	_____
_____	Writing Intensive	_____	_____
ANT 201	Multicultural or International	_____	_____
ANT 493	Capstone	_____	_____

## COLLEGE

All liberal arts majors are required to complete the following College of Liberal Arts Requirements. These classes may not be counted towards Core II requirements.

CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
_____	Foreign Language 101	3	_____	ANT _____	COLA Social Science	3	_____
_____	Foreign Language 102	3	_____	_____	COLA Social Science (not ANT)	3	_____
_____	Foreign Language 203	3	_____	_____	COLA Social Science (not ANT)	3	_____
_____	Foreign Language 204	3	_____	_____	COLA Natural/Physical Science	4	_____
_____	COLA Literature	3	_____	ANT 371	International	3	_____
_____	COLA Literature	3	_____	ANT 491	Multicultural	3	_____
_____	300/400 Humanities	3	_____				

## MAJOR

Students who wish to major in Anthropology must take the following major courses:

CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
ANT 201	Cultural Anthropology (CT, I)	3	_____	_____	ANT Elective	3	_____
ANT 332	Archaeology	3	_____	_____	ANT Elective	3	_____
ANT 331	Physical Anthropology	3	_____	_____	ANT Elective	3	_____
ANT 361	Ethnographic Research	3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
ANT 371	Linguistic Anthropology	3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
ANT 491	Theory in Ethnology	3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
ANT 492	Senior Seminar I	3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
ANT 493	Senior Seminar II	3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
_____	ANT Elective	3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
_____	ANT Elective	3	_____	_____	Free Elective	1	_____

## MAJOR INFORMATION

- The total number of free electives will depend on the amount of double and triple counting of requirements.
- See course attributes each semester for courses that meet multiple requirements.
- Questions about requirements should be directed to the College of Liberal Arts (304-696-2350). Core II and COLA requirements may not be double counted.
- Forty-eight credit hours (sixteen 3-hour courses) must be at the 300/400 level.
- Students must earn a C or better in ENG 201 and all foreign language courses.
- Minimum of 120 hours to graduate.
- ANT Electives: A minimum of 15 credits of electives must be chosen from classes with the ANT prefix. A student with a particular anthropological interest that can be best served by courses without the ANT prefix may suggest a coherent selection of up to 9 credits from such classes to be counted towards the major as electives. A plan for such a selection must be presented to and approved by the student's advisor and the department chair in the student's junior year or, for those students entering the program at the junior level, at a time stipulated by the chair.

Milestone Course: This is a key success marker for your major. See your advisor to discuss the importance of this course in your plan of study.

# ANTHROPOLOGY

From the Greek anthropos ("human") and logia ("study"), anthropology is the study of humankind. For anthropologists, there are few limits on the scope of our inquiry from distant human origins to present day. Our subject matter is both extraordinary (e.g., mortuary practices of the Toraja) and ordinary (anatomy of the human foot). Our focus can be sweeping (the development of language) and minute (use-wear patterns on a prehistoric obsidian tool). Anthropologists may study ancient Egyptian hieroglyphics, intravenous drug use in urban Appalachia, and corporate culture in a U.S. car manufacturer. Anthropology is, by its nature, interdisciplinary and international in both theory and practice. Students pursuing a Bachelors of Art in Anthropology receive foundational training that reflects the scope of the discipline and develop capstone projects that provide career-specific training.

FALL SEMESTER				SPRING SEMESTER			
CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
ANT 201	Cultural Anthropology (CT, I)	3	_____	ENG 201	Advanced Composition	3	_____
CMM 103	Fund Speech-Communication	3	_____	MTH 121	Concepts & Applications Math (CT)	3	_____
ENG 101	Beginning Composition	3	_____	_____	Core II Physical/Natural Science	4	_____
FYS 100	First Year Seminar	3	_____	_____	COLA Social Science	3	_____
_____	Core II Fine Arts	3	_____	_____	COLA Literature	3	_____
UNI 100	Freshman First Class	1	_____				
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>				<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>			
16				16			

Summer Term (optional):

FALL SEMESTER				SPRING SEMESTER			
CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
ANT 331	Physical Anthropology	3	_____	ANT 332	Archaeology	3	_____
ANT 371	Linguistic Anthropology	3	_____	_____	Writing Intensive	3	_____
_____	Writing Intensive	3	_____	_____	Foreign Language 102	3	_____
_____	Foreign Language 101	3	_____	_____	COLA Physical/Natural Science	4	_____
_____	COLA Literature	3	_____	_____	Core II Humanities	3	_____
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>				<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>			
15				16			

Summer Term (optional):

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CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
ANT 361	Ethnographic Research	3	_____	ANT 491	Theory in Ethnology	3	_____
_____	ANT Elective	3	_____	_____	ANT Elective	3	_____
_____	Foreign Language 203	3	_____	_____	Foreign Language 204	3	_____
_____	COLA Social Science	3	_____	_____	COLA Humanities	3	_____
_____	Free Elective	3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>				<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>			
15				15			

Summer Term (optional):

FALL SEMESTER				SPRING SEMESTER			
CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE	CODE	COURSE NAME	HRS	GRADE
ANT 492	Senior Seminar I	3	_____	ANT 493	Senior Seminar II	3	_____
_____	ANT Elective	3	_____	_____	ANT Elective	3	_____
_____	ANT Elective	3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
_____	Free Elective	3	_____	_____	Free Elective	3	_____
_____	Free Elective	3	_____				
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>				<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>			
15				12			

Summer Term (optional):

● General Education Requirement  
■ College Requirement  
◆ Major Requirement  
◆ Area of Emphasis

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## INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- American Anthropological Association
- Lambda Alpha National Anthropology Honor Society
- Appalachian Studies Association
- Student Government Association
- Campus Activity Board
- JMELI
- Commuter Student Advisory Board
- Club Sports
- Political Organizations
- Residence Hall Association
- Cultural Organizations
- Greek Life

## RELATED MAJORS

- Biology (Evolutionary; Medical)
- Environmental Science
- Humanities
- History
- International Affairs
- Sexuality Studies
- Sociology
- Women's Studies

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- Have a minimum of 120 credit hours (some colleges or majors require more);
- Have an overall and Marshall Grade Point Average of 2.00 or higher;
- Have an overall Grade Point Average of 2.00 or higher in the major area of study;
- Have earned a grade of C or better in English 201 or 201 H;
- Have met all major(s) and college requirements;
- Have met the requirements of the Core Curriculum;
- Have met the residence requirements of Marshall University, including 12 hours of 300/400 level coursework in the student's college (see section entitled "Residence Requirements" in the undergraduate catalogue);
- Be enrolled at Marshall at least one semester of the senior year;
- Have transferred no more than 72 credit hours from an accredited West Virginia two-year institution of higher education.

Colleges and specific programs may have unique requirements that are more stringent than those noted above. Students are responsible for staying informed about and ensuring that they meet the requirements for graduation.

This academic map is to be used as a guide in planning your coursework toward a degree. Due to the complexities of degree programs, it is unfortunate but inevitable that an error may occur in the creation of this document. The official source of degree requirements at Marshall University is DegreeWorks available in your myMU portal. Always consult regularly with your advisor.

## YEAR ONE



Have questions? Need to talk? You already have a Friend-At-Marshall ready to help you succeed. Find your FAM Peer Mentor here: [www.marshall.edu/fam](http://www.marshall.edu/fam)



Attend an intercultural festival or event on campus or in town.



In order to graduate on time, you need to take an average of 15 credits per semester. Are you on track? Take 15 to Finish!



Begin your foreign language sequence to meet your COLA requirements.



Stay on the Herd Path and come to class! Class attendance is more important to your success than your high school GPA, your class standing, or your ACT/SAT scores.



Take a pulse check. Know what you need to do every year to keep your grants, scholarships, or federal financial aid.



Excited about archaeological anthropology? Talk to your advisor about the Marshall Archaeological Field School and take ANT 323 in a summer term.

## YEAR THREE



Explore peer leadership opportunities through the FAM Program, or apply to be a UNI Peer Mentor.



Join or create a club or organization on campus about a particular issue you care about. Marshall has more than 200 student organizations.



Enhance opportunities for practical experience. Secure an internship related to your field of study.



No need to wait until graduate school. Discuss undergraduate research opportunities with faculty in your major right now.



Want to continue your education and increase your opportunities for career advancement? Talk to our Graduate Director about whether graduate school fits your career goals.



Apply for a nationally competitive scholarship like Fulbright, Rhodes, or Gates Cambridge. Contact the Office of National Scholarships at Marshall.



Are you on track to graduate? Meet with your advisor for your Junior Eval to make sure you know what requirements you have left.

## YEAR TWO



Are you completing enough credits to graduate on time? Dropping or failing a class can put you behind. Use summer terms to quickly get back on track.



Meet with a career education specialist to conduct a "gap analysis." Figure out the skills you'll need for the career you want while you still have time to build them.



Take a Community Based Learning (CBL) class that connects course content to the community. Stay engaged and make a difference.



Develop relationships with professors who can serve as future references by attending their office hours.



Have you considered adding a minor? Think about personal areas of interest you'd like to explore or how you might enhance your major with a related skill set.



College is a great time to experience the world! Consider studying abroad in the summer, during Spring Break, or for an entire semester.



Join or create a club or organization on campus about a particular issue you care about. Marshall has more than 200 student organizations.

## YEAR FOUR



Did you do really well in a hard course? Become a Tutor or a Supplemental Instructor.



Consider applying for a year-long service opportunity after graduation like AmeriCorps, Peace Corps, Teach for America, City Year, or Literacy Lab.



Strengthen your resume and enhance your presentation skills. Present what you've learned at an academic conference off campus.



This is it! Are you on track to graduate? Meet with your advisor for your Senior Eval to see what requirements you have left.



Join professional associations in your field such as the American Anthropological Association.



Prepare to present at the COLA Undergraduate Research and Creativity Conference in April



Complete admissions exams (GRE, MCAT, LSAT) the summer before your senior year.

## TRANSFERABLE SKILLS ASSOCIATED WITH THIS MAJOR

- Project Planning
- Gathering, Organizing, and Interpreting Data
- Reading Critically
- Deriving Knowledge from Cultural Artifacts
- Reaching New Conclusions Through Comparative Study
- Conducting Field Studies
- Understanding Group Dynamics
- Identifying Value Systems
- Interviewing Different Populations
- Summarizing Results
- Writing Clearly
- Presenting and Defending a Position
- Communicating Across Cultures and Languages

## ASSOCIATED CAREERS

- Collections Manager
- Archivist
- Curator
- Foundation or Non-Profit Program Manager
- Project Director
- Physician
- Behavioral Scientist
- Medical Anthropologist
- Contract and Field Archaeologist
- Historic Preservationist
- Policy Researcher
- Federal/State Government Policy Analyst
- Environmental or Cultural Resource Assessment Researcher
- Market Analyst
- Social Worker
- Caseworker
- National and State Park Interpreter
- International Agency Representative
- Civil Rights Advocate
- Educator
- Editor/Writer



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