

ANTHROPOLOGY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS 2023 - 2024: CONCENTRATION: GENERAL ANTHROPOLOGY

Major Advising Sheet

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

ADVISOR: Provide a copy to student and retain a copy in department file

Units required for Major: 52 units, includes units of study in chosen concentration

Student Name _____

Academic Level _____

Student ID _____

Expected Graduation: Semester & Year _____

Advisor _____

Advising Date _____

General Anthropology Concentration

The General Anthropology concentration introduces students to the fundamentals of archaeological, sociocultural and linguistic anthropology. It constitutes a good liberal arts foundation that will help students pursue advanced studies and/or careers in diverse fields.

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

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

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

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B. Upper Division Core Requirements (12 units):

- (3) ANTH 146 Ethnographic Analysis (ANTH 2)
- (3) ANTH 162 Language & Culture (ANTH 4)

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(3) Select **one** of the following (ANTH 3)

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

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(3) Select **one** of the following

- ANTH 151 Human Paleontology (ANTH 1 and 1A or Instructor Permission)
- ANTH 155 Fundamentals of Biological Anthropology (ANTH 1, ANTH 1A)
- ANTH 157 Human Variation (ANTH 1, BIO 10, or instructor permission)

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C. Additional Requirement (3 units)

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- (3) Anthropology majors must take a statistics course (e.g., ANTH 120, STATS 1, STAT 10A + STAT 10B, or one approved by the Department)

D. Requirements for Concentration (24 units)

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(6) **Archaeology - Biological Anthropology** - Select **two** of the following

- 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 115 Origins of Agriculture (ANTH 3)
- ANTH 128 Indians of California
- ANTH 135 Indians of North America
- ANTH 152 Comparative Primate Morphology (ANTH 1 & 1A)
- ANTH 153 Evolutionary Medicine (ANTH 1, BIO 10, or PSYC 2 recommended)
- ANTH 154 Primate Behavior
- ANTH 156 Evolution of Human Behavior (ANTH 1, Bio 10, or PSYC 2)
- ANTH 171 Bioarchaeology: analyzing Human Remains from Archaeology Sites (ANTH 1 & 1A, or instructor permission)

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(6) **Cultural - Linguistics** - Select **two** of the following:

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- ANTH 105 Anthropology of War (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)

REQUIREMENTS CONTINUED ON REVERSE

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(6) **Cultural - Linguistics** - Continued

	ANTH 108	Economic Anthropology (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 131	Europe in the Ethnographic Imagination (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 140	Social Anthropology (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 141	Cultural Theory (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 142	Political Anthropology (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 144	Contemporary American Culture in Anthropological Perspective (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 145	Peoples and Cultures of Latin America (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 160	Linguistic Anthropology (ANTH 4 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 163	Urban Anthropology (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 164	Culture Change (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 165	Applied Anthropology (One of the following ANTH 105, ANTH 108, ANTH 142, ANTH 164, ANTH 167, ANTH 168, ANTH 176, or instructor consent)	
	ANTH 167	Religion and Culture (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 168	Folklore in Anthropological Perspective (ANTH 160 or ANTH 162 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 169	Research Methods in Linguistic Anthropology (ANTH 160 or ANTH 162, or instructor consent)	
	ANTH 172	Anthropologies of Music (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 173	Anthropology of Contemporary Asia (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 174	Anthropology of Food (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 175	Anthropology of Globalization (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 176	Museums, Culture and Society (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 177	Museum Methods (ANTH 176 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 181	The Anthropology of Human Rights (ANTH 146 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 188	Anthropology of the Body	
	ANTH 189	Critical Medical Anthropology (ANTH 146)	
	ANTH 190	Advanced Topics in Linguistic Anthropology (ANTH 160 or 162 or instructor permission)	
	ANTH 192B	Laboratory in Ethnographic Techniques (One of the following ANTH 105, ANTH 108, ANTH 140, ANTH 141, ANTH 142, ANTH 167, ANTH 168, ANTH 176 or instructor consent. Co-requisite: ANTH 195B)	} Must enroll/take the two courses together
	ANTH 195B	Field work in Ethnology (ANTH 105, ANTH 108, ANTH 140, ANTH 141, ANTH 142, ANTH 167, ANTH 168, ANTH 176 or instructor consent. Co-requisite: ANTH 195B)	

(12) **General Electives** - Select any **four** courses from all of the above categories, the list of courses below, or any **related discipline with prior review and approval from Major Advisor and Department Chair**. Obtain Anthropology Department form request review/approvals.

***Important Note:** Upon approval of course(s) to be taken outside the anthropology discipline to fulfill major **requirements, student must submit a Major Course Substitution Form through My Sac State - OnBase Forms**. The form will **route to the department chair for a final approval** and next to the Registrar's Office for processing and add to student's record. ***Course substitutions also need to be noted on the Graduation Petition.**

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	ANTH 117	World Prehistory (Any lower-division Area B2 GE course)	
	ANTH 118	The Anthropocene: Human Impacts on Ancient Environments	
	ANTH 120	Introductory Statistics for Anthropologists	
	ANTH 123	Ancient Technology	
	ANTH 127	Cultural Resource Management in Theory and Practice (ANTH 3)	
	ANTH 132	Health, Culture, Power: Topics in Medical Anthropology (Health, Culture, Power: Topics in Medical Anthropology)	
	ANTH 133	Life of Primates	
	ANTH 147	Peoples of Southeast Asia	
	ANTH 149	Cultures of South Asia	
	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 approval)	
	ANTH 166	Rise of Religious Cults	

List planned course substitutions. Must be approved by both Anth Advisor and Dept. Chair as outlined under the "General Electives" section

*** 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, 101, 102, 121 ONLY count for GE requirements.