



# Arizona State University (West Valley Campus)

## Spanish, BA

## **Study details**

Course type: Bachelor's degree Degree: Spanish, BA ASSPABA Study mode: Full time Duration: 48 Month

Cost of study

Cost : 35 430 USD Reg. fee : 85 USD Scolarship : Insurance : 2 765 USD

## Intake/s

Jan/May/Aug

## Requirements

## Academic requirements

First-year students must:

- Have a 3.00 grade point average (GPA) (a "B" or better where "A"=4.00) from a secondary school. Some ASU programs may have higher admission or English proficiency requirements and may consider a minimum ACT or SAT score.
- Must have three years of high school coursework. (If you are currently in high school, ASU needs to see 9–11 grade coursework. If you have completed high school, ASU needs to see 10–12 grade coursework.)
- Must have and present a completed high school diploma or certificate.

## **Conditional admission**

ASU may offer conditional undergraduate admission to international applicants to an on-campus program who meet the academic (aptitude) requirements but who are not proficient in English. This offer of conditional admission will give you time to improve your English proficiency before you start classes at ASU. Your conditional admission offer is good for up to three semesters, during which time you must meet one of these requirements to begin your ASU experience.

## **Competency requirements**

International students who completed high school outside the U.S. are required to meet the following competency requirements:

• Math: four years (algebra I, geometry, algebra II and one course requiring algebra II as a prerequisite).

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• Laboratory science: three years total (one year each from any of the following areas are accepted: biology, chemistry, earth science, integrated sciences and physics).

## **Provide evidence of English language proficiency** (TOEFL 61)

## Accommodation

Provided by partner agencies

#### **Additional information**

#### Program description

The BA degree program in Spanish emphasizes language studies and examines the cultural production of Spanish-speaking communities.

This program provides students with the skills to confidently communicate in writing and orally. Students learn the history, arts, literature and cultures of Spanish-speaking countries.

Graduates are prepared for graduate study, specialized professional training, government careers, and commercial and international careers.

This major is eligible for the Western Undergraduate Exchange program at the following location: West Valley campus. Students from Western states who select this major and campus may be eligible for reduced nonresident tuition at a rate of 150% of Arizona resident tuition plus all applicable fees.

#### **Concurrent program options**

Students pursuing concurrent degrees (also known as a "double major") earn two distinct degrees and receive two diplomas. Working with their academic advisors, students can create their own concurrent degree combination. Some combinations are not possible due to high levels of overlap in curriculum.

## Accelerated program options

This program allows students to obtain both a bachelor's and master's degree in as little as five years. It is offered as an accelerated bachelor's plus master's degree with:

• English, MA

Acceptance to the graduate program requires a separate application. Students typically receive approval to pursue the accelerated master's during the junior year of their bachelor's degree program.

## Global opportunities

Global experience

Studying abroad enhances students' understanding of the diversity of the world and the way in which knowledge of such diversity makes each person a better human being and citizen. Students are able to study in programs that provide immersion into Spanish-speaking cultures with a diverse array of individual and group experiences.

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With more than 300 options available, Global Education programs allow students to tailor their educational experience to their unique interests and skills sets. Whether in a foreign country, in the U.S. or online, students in the New College of Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences can explore their varied fields and interests in different settings.

## Career opportunities

The Spanish program offers excellent preparation for graduate school or for employment as a teacher in the elementary or secondary school system, especially in those districts where bilingual programs are integral to the curricula. Outside the education system, students majoring in Spanish find employment as translators and interpreters in:

- diplomatic corps
- federal and state courts
- law enforcement agencies
- law firms
- social agencies

The business world also provides employment for those fluent in Spanish. This is especially true in the American Southwest and through outlets opened by multinational trade agreements.