MA in Childhood Foreign Language Education

Application for Admission

The Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures recognizes the University application deadlines of July 1 for the fall semester and December 1 for the spring semester. However, students are encouraged to apply much earlier.

Study Abroad Opportunities

The program requires 6 credits earned on an approved graduate study abroad program during the winter or summer session, with all coursework completed in the target language.

Course Requirements for the Degree

30 credits are required as follows:

6 graduate credits in EDUC:

EDUC 601	Language Development in the Classroom OR	3
EDUC 740	Literacy Instruction for English Language Learners	
EDUC 622	The Role of Literacy in Content Areas	3

6 credits in Foreign Language Pedagogy:

FLLT 626	Foreign Language Pedagogy Research Seminar	3
FLLT 629	Methods of Teaching Foreign/Second Languages in Elementary Schools	3

18 credits in SPAN:

SPAN 601	Advanced Spanish Grammar	3
SPAN 675	Topics in Hispanic Culture and Civilization <i>(Course Taken in Newark)</i>	3
SPAN 665	Spanish Reading Workshop	3
SPAN 668	Spanish and Latin American Children's Literature	3
SPAN 667	Topics in Spanish Languages (Linguistics, etc.) (Taken on Approved Study Abroad Program)	3
SPAN 675	Topics in Spanish/Latin American Culture (Taken on Approved Study Abroad Program)	3

Non-course degree requirements:

Candidates must pass an oral proficiency test at the end of the program, and submit a Teaching Portfolio.