

Double Majors

Students with a double major in Spanish and a professional degree will have credentials to pursue careers in fields such as

- » Medical fields
- » Business
- » Criminal Justice and Legal fields
- » Social Work
- » Government Service
- » Psychology

Careers for Spanish and Spanish Education Majors:

- » Education: Spanish Teaching and Teaching English as a Second Language
- » Healthcare
- » International Development
- » Business and Finance
- » Interpretation and Translation
- » Communications and Journalism
- » Law Enforcement
- » Customs and Import-Export
- » Legal Fields
- » Government Service
- » Psychology
- » Social Work
- » Tourism and Travel

Recent graduates are teaching in secondary schools and pursuing masters degrees in Teaching English as a Second Language and Business at the University of Arkansas, University of Oklahoma and the University of Tulsa.

Program Overview:

The **Spanish Bachelor of Arts** major consists of 40 credit hours of Spanish courses in language, linguistics, culture and literature. Students are required to complete a minor consisting of 18 hours, or students can complete a second major in another area of professional interest such as criminal justice, social work, business or health care. A minimum of 124 hours must be completed for graduation.

The **Spanish Bachelor of Arts in Education** major consists of 40 credit hours of Spanish courses in language, linguistics, culture, literature and a methods course in world language teaching. Spanish Education majors also complete 29 hours in professional education. A minimum of 124 hours must be completed for graduation.



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College of Liberal Arts

**BACHELOR'S DEGREES
IN SPANISH & SPANISH
EDUCATION**



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NSU offers two Spanish majors, the Bachelor of Arts in Spanish and the Bachelor of Arts in Spanish Education, and a minor in Spanish. For majors and minors, we offer a diverse curriculum focused on the Spanish language, linguistics and the cultures and literature of the Spanish-speaking world. We prepare students to utilize their cultural competency and ever-growing language skills in the professional sector and their communities.

The two Spanish degree programs are available on the Tahlequah and Broken Arrow campuses. In Tahlequah, we offer all courses at the elementary, intermediate and advanced levels. In Broken Arrow, we offer advanced courses, the 3000 and 4000 levels. All 3000 and 4000-level courses are taught in a blended format via web conferencing for students on both campuses and in remote locations.

With small class sizes, students have many opportunities for participation and one-on-one interactions with faculty. The faculty mentor students individually, guide them through their degree and prepare them for their goals after graduation.

Majoring in Spanish

By majoring in Spanish, you will develop these skills:

- » Proficiency in Spanish (all skills: speaking, writing, reading, and listening)
- » Strong written and oral communication skills
- » Analytical and creative thinking
- » Academic research and writing
- » Intercultural competence and global awareness



Why choose a Spanish major at NSU?

- » Diverse curriculum: courses in Spanish language, Spanish for the Professions, Linguistics, Teaching Methods, the cultures of U.S. Latinos, Latin America and Spain, and the literature of Spain and Latin America
- » Flexible course schedules on the Broken Arrow and Tahlequah campuses
- » Study abroad opportunities
- » Participation in the NSU Visions Conference
- » Extracurricular activities such as conversation tables and film series
- » Student Organizations: NSU Spanish Club and the Tau Epsilon chapter of the Sigma Delta Pi Honor Society

Spanish B.A. Webpage:

<https://academics.nsuok.edu/languagesliterature/DegreePrograms/Spanish,BA.aspx>

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Spanish B.A. Ed. Webpage:

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Spanish B.A. Program Mission Statement:

The mission of the Spanish Bachelor of Arts degree program is to assist students in acquiring an advanced level of proficiency (as defined by ACTFL, the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages) in all four language domains and in interpersonal, interpretive and presentational forms of communication.

The program also has the goal of helping students gain a high level of familiarity with both the products and practices of Hispanic cultures so that they can interact successfully with members of these cultures and appreciate their history and achievements.

Finally, the Spanish Bachelor of Arts program seeks to prepare students to utilize their language skills professionally and to become lifelong language learners.

Spanish B.A.Ed. Program Mission Statement:

The mission of the Spanish Bachelor of Arts in Education degree program is to prepare Spanish teacher candidates who, consistent with the College of Education's Conceptual Framework, are teaching scholars in the field of Spanish, educational leaders in world languages and developers of human potential through their role as instructors of language and culture.

The program assists students in acquiring an advanced level of proficiency (as defined by ACTFL, the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages) in all four language domains and in interpersonal, interpretive and presentational forms of communication. Candidates will understand current language acquisition theories and use this knowledge to implement world language instructional practices that include target language input and meaningful interaction.

The program also helps students gain a high level of familiarity with both the products and practices of Hispanic cultures so that they can interact successfully with members of these cultures, appreciate their history and achievements and integrate cultural information into their instruction.

Finally, the Spanish Bachelor of Arts in Education program develops teacher candidates who can promote language study and who seek continued professional development activities to improve their content-area and professional skills.