College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (CLAS) Academic Advising Center 2014-2015

Anthropology-BA or BS

This is a **general** curriculum guide and is not applicable to every student. It is important to meet with your advisor.

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| **Anthropology Major (39-41 credits)** | | | |
| **Core Courses (15 credits)** | | **Cognate Requirements (7-16 credits)** | |
| * **ANT 204 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology** (3) * **ANT 206 Human Origins** (3) * **ANT 210 History of Anthropological Theory** (3) * **ANT 215 Origins of Civilization** (3) * **ANT 405 Contemporary Anthropological Theory** (3)   Pre-requisites: Senior standing and ANT 210 | | * **ANT 300 Research Methods in Anthropology** (3)   Prerequisites: STA 215, 9 credits in Anthropology  *OR*   * **ARC 400 Archaeological Methods and Research Design** (3)   Prerequisites: ANT 220 and one of (ANT 325, ANT 350, or CLA 350) | |
| * **ANT 495 Practicing Anthropology (capstone)** (3)   Prerequisites: Senior standing in anthropology and ANT 405 | | * **ANT 207 Language and Culture** (3)   *OR*   * **ANT 220 Introduction to Archaeology** (4) | |
| See reverse side for sample plan | | * **ANT 307 Field Techniques and Laboratory Methods in Anthropology** (1-9)   Prerequisite: Permission of instructor  *OR*   * **ANT 308 Field Experience Abroad** (3)   Prerequisite: By permit only  *OR*   * **ANT 490 Practicum** (1-9)   Prerequisites: 15 hours of course preparation and permission of instructor | |
| **Elective Requirements (9 credits)**  Choose one course from each of the following categories; see reverse for prerequisite courses | | | |
| * **Cultural Anthropology \_\_\_\_\_** | * **Archaeology \_\_\_\_\_** | | * **Biocultural \_\_\_\_\_** |
| ANT 311 Native Peoples of North America  ANT 315 Comparative Religions  ANT 317 Advanced Cross-Cultural Linguistics  ANT 330 Ethnology of Selected World Areas  ANT 345 Perspectives on Globalization  ANT 346 Kinship and Culture  ANT 355 Migration in Americas  ANT 360 Ethnology of Mesoamerica  ANT 370 Cross-cultural Perspectives on Gender | ANT 325 Archaeology of North America  ANT 347 Environments and Cultures of the Great Lakes Region  ANT 350 Archaeology of Mid-East | | ANT 312 Human Osteology  ANT 313 Primate Behavior and Ecology  ANT 314 Bioarchaeology  ANT 316 Death, Burial, and Culture  ANT 320 Culture and Disease  ANT 340 Culture and Environment  \*ANT 380 and ANT 330 may meet elective requirements, consult an Anthropology faculty advisor |

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| **Degree: choose one (B.A. or B.S.)** | |
| **Bachelor of Arts** | **Bachelor of Science** |
| Third semester language proficiency (201 level) is required for the B.A. degree. This may be fulfilled through language placement (<http://www.gvsu.edu/mll/language-placement-the-opi-108.htm>) or by completing the courses listed below   * **Language 101\*** (4) * **Language 102\*** (4)(\*150 is a hybrid of 101 & 102 and is recommended for students with previous language background; students may move into Language 201 after completing Language 150) * **Language 201** (4) | * **One year of science courses from the following:**   **-BIO 120 General Biology I** (4) **and BIO 121 General Biology II** (4)  **-CHM 115 Principles of Chemistry I** (5) **and CHM 116 Principles of Chemistry II** (5)  **-GEO 111 Exploring the Earth**  (4) **and GEO 112 Earth History** (4)  **-NRM 140 The Climactic Factor** (4) **and NRM 150 Introduction to Natural Resources** (3)  **-PHY 220 General Physics I** (5) **and PHY 221 General Physics II**   * **One 300 level or above natural science course from the same discipline as above \_\_\_\_\_** |
| * **One of the following** (course chosen may not be used as an elective in the major)**:**   **-ANT 317 Advanced Cross-Cultural Linguistics** (3)  Prerequisite: ANT 207  **-ANT 345 Perspectives on Globalization** (3)  **-ANT 346 Kinship and Culture** (3)  Prerequisite: ANT 204 | * **One of the following** (course chosen may not be used as an elective in the major)**:**   **-ANT 312 Human Osteology** (4)  Prerequisite: ANT 206  **-ANT 313 Primate Behavior and Ecology** (3)  **-ANT 314 Bioarchaeology** (3)  Prerequisite: ANT 206 |

**Sample Plan**

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| Year One |  | Year Three |  | \*Students must complete a total of two courses with an SWS attribute  \*You must have a total of 120 credits to graduate from Grand Valley State University (you are encouraged to complete an average of 15 credits per semester)  \*Supplement major courses with general education courses when scheduling  \*The block tuition rate is for 12-15 credits. You will pay additional tuition for any credits over 15 |
| ANT 206  ANT 204  ANT 215  ANT 207 or 220  BA or BS course |  | ANT Elective  ANT Elective  BA or BS course  ANT 300 or ARC 400 |  |
| Year Two |  | Year Four |  |
| BA or BS course  BA or BS Course  ANT 210  ANT elective  STA 215 |  | ANT 307 or 308 or 490 (recommended to be taken in the spring/summer between years 3 and 4)  ANT 405  ANT 495 |  |

**Guide for Declaring the Anthropology Major**

1. Log into myBanner from the GVSU homepage
2. Once logged in select “Student”, “Student Records”, and then, “Change Major”
3. Click on the “Change Major 1/Program” box
4. Click on the down arrow in the box next to “New Major 1/Program,” from here scroll down and choose “Anthropology-BA” **OR** “Anthropology-BS” depending on the degree
5. Click “Submit” and then “Change to New Program”

**General Education Overlap**

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| **General Education Categories fulfilled by the Anthropology major:** | |
| Life Sciences (no lab): ANT 206 | Social and Behavioral Sciences: ANT 204 |
| Historical Perspectives: ANT 215 | World Perspectives: ANT 204 |
| Physical Sciences: Option of taking CHM 115, GEO 111, NRM 140, or PHY 220 for the B.S. Cognate | US Diversity: Option of taking ANT 311 |
| Mathematical Sciences: STA 215 |  |

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| **ANT Course Prerequisites** | | |
| ANT 312 Human Osteology  Prerequisite: ANT 206  ANT 314 Bioarchaeology  Prerequisite: ANT 206  ANT 315 Comparative Religions  Prerequisite: Junior standing  ANT 316 Death, Burial, and Culture  Prerequisite: ANT 204, ANT 206, or ANT 220  ANT 317 Advanced Cross-Cultural Linguistics  Prerequisite: ANT 207 | ANT 320 Culture and Disease  Prerequisite: ANT 204, ANT 206, or ANT 220  ANT 325 Archaeology of North America  Prerequisite: ANT 220  ANT 340 Culture and Environment  Prerequisite: Junior standing, WRT 150, and either Historical Perspectives or US Diversity gen ed  ANT 345 Perspectives on Globalization  Prerequisite: Junior standing | ANT 347 Environments and Cultures of the Great Lakes Region  Prerequisite: Junior or Senior standing in ANT, BIO, GEO, NRM, or SOC  ANT 350 Archaeology of Mid-East  Prerequisite: ANT 215, 220, MES 201, or instructor approval  ANT 370 Cross-cultural Perspectives on Gender  Prerequisite: ANT 204 or 206 |