Modern Foreign Language Requirement

All students must take two sequential courses of the same language at the appropriate level in order to fulfill the Modern Foreign Language requirement. See the placement charts below. Notice that the guidelines for Spanish are different from those for French and German. The different nature of language instruction and of student populations, both in high school and in college, necessitates different placement policies. A student may also satisfy the MFL requirement by passing a CLEP language exam at Level I (Beginning). Foreign nationals who have learned English as a foreign language are exempt from the requirement.

Spanish

# of years/units of Spanish in grades 9-12	Where to begin	What to take next
0-1 year/unit	Beginning I	Beginning II
2 years/units	Beginning II	Intermediate I
3 years/units (or more)	Intermediate I	Intermediate II

French or German

# of years/units of FR/GR in grades 9-12	Where to begin	What to take next
0-1 year/unit	Beginning I	Beginning II
2 years/units (or more)	Intermediate I	Intermediate II

Note. There are no changes to the Multicultural Experience option as described in the catalog.