



2022-2023

## ANCIENT LANGUAGES MAJOR, B.A.

Ancient & Modern Languages Department; College of Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences

A Biblical Languages emphasis of the Ancient Languages Major involves the study of the primary languages of the Bible, Hebrew and Greek. The Scriptures are better understood in the original languages and with knowledge of the culture that produced its writings. In addition, students can acquire practical language tools and the linguistic distinctives of the major. A biblical language emphasis may also be chosen as a preparation for graduate studies at a seminary or institution of higher education.

Classical Languages is an emphasis in the Ancient Languages major that focuses on ancient Greek and Latin. Today, many of the languages in the western world are often related to these classical languages. Study of Greek and Latin is essential for biblical and early Christian studies, romance philosophy, or studies of ancient history and comparative literature. Many students contemplating graduate work in linguistics or the professional school of law, medicine, and dentistry find the classical languages advantageous undergraduate study. Teaching positions are available in both Greek (private schools) and Latin (public and private schools).

Latin is a classical language offered as a major at Asbury. Studies include vocabulary and grammar, as well as the culture, literature, history and geography in which Latin originated. In addition, a student may also attain a teaching certificate (P-12) in Latin. Many students contemplating graduate work in linguistics or the professional schools of law, medicine or dentistry find the study of a classical language to be an advantageous undergraduate major.

*To graduate must complete all major requirements, foundational requirements, and additional electives needed for 124 hour minimum degree requirement.*

### MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (36-42)

REQUIRED CONCENTRATION (choose one of three):

#### ANCB - BIBLICAL LANGUAGES (39)

Choose one Classics course:

\_\_ 3    CLA    211    Classical Mythology  
\_\_ 3    CLA    212    Classical Culture & Civ  
\_\_ 3    CLA    223    Survey of Classical Lit

\_\_ 3    GRK    101    Elementary Greek I  
\_\_ 3    GRK    102    Elementary Greek II  
\_\_ 3    GRK    201    Intermediate Greek I  
\_\_ 3    GRK    202    Intermediate Greek II  
\_\_ 3    GRK    301    Readings in Greek Lit. I  
\_\_ 3    GRK    302    Readings in Greek Lit. II

\_\_ 3    HEB    101    Elementary Hebrew I  
\_\_ 3    HEB    102    Elementary Hebrew II  
\_\_ 3    HEB    201    Intermediate Hebrew  
\_\_ 3    HEB    301    Advanced Hebrew Reading

Choose two biblical history courses:

\_\_ 3    HIS    320    Ancient History  
\_\_ 3    NT     210    Growth NT Church  
\_\_ 3    OT     210    History of Israel

#### ANCC - CLASSICAL LANGUAGES (42)

\_\_ 3    CLA    211    Classical Mythology  
\_\_ 3    CLA    212    Classical Culture & Civ  
\_\_ 3    CLA    223    Survey of Classical Lit

\_\_ 3    GRK    101    Elementary Greek I  
\_\_ 3    GRK    102    Elementary Greek II  
\_\_ 3    GRK    201    Intermediate Greek I  
\_\_ 3    GRK    202    Intermediate Greek II

\_\_ 3    LAT    101    Elementary Latin I  
\_\_ 3    LAT    102    Elementary Latin II  
\_\_ 3    LAT    201    Intermediate Latin I  
\_\_ 3    LAT    202    Intermediate Latin II

Take two courses in same language:

\_\_ 3    GRK    301    Readings in Greek Lit. I  
          and  
\_\_ 3    GRK    302    Readings in Greek Lit. II

Or

\_\_ 3    LAT    301    Readings in Latin Lit. I  
          and  
\_\_ 3    LAT    302    Readings in Latin Lit. II

Choose one classical humanities course:

\_\_ 3    HIS    320    Ancient History  
\_\_ 3    PHL    211    Ancient/Medieval Philosophy

#### ANCL - LATIN (36)

__ 3	CLA	211	Classical Mythology
__ 3	CLA	212	Classical Culture & Civ
__ 3	CLA	223	Survey of Classical Lit
__ 3	LAT	101	Elementary Latin I
__ 3	LAT	102	Elementary Latin II
__ 3	LAT	201	Intermediate Latin I
__ 3	LAT	202	Intermediate Latin II
__ 3	LAT	301	Readings in Latin Lit. I
__ 3	LAT	302	Readings in Latin Lit. II
__ 3	LAT	401	Readings in Latin Lit. III
__ 3	LAT	402	Readings in Latin Lit. IV

Choose one classical humanities course:

	HIS	320	Ancient History
__ 3	PHL	211	Anc. & Medieval Philosophy

**PLUS FOUNDATIONAL COURSE REQUIREMENTS (47)**

(9 hours Foreign Language satisfied by required major courses.)

**PLUS ELECTIVES NEEDED FOR THE 124 HOUR DEGREE REQUIREMENT (35-41, depending on Concentration)**