

**McMicken College of Arts & Sciences**

**FREN: 3-year degree option (BA) French (Study Abroad required)**

**Fall Year 1**

ENGL1001	English Composition	<b>3</b>
	Freshman Seminar (if start Freshman year)	<b>3</b>
	Quantitative Reasoning (QR)	<b>3</b>
	Humanities (HU)	<b>3</b>
	Free Elective Course	<b>3</b>

Credit total **15**

**Spring Year 1**

FREN2016	French Comp & Conv II (based on exper.)	<b>3</b>
	MATH or STAT Course (QR)	<b>3</b>
	Social Science (SS)	<b>3</b>
	Humanities (HU) or Fine Arts (FA)	<b>3</b>
	Free Elective (Minor)	<b>3</b>

Credit total **15**

**Summer Year 1\* (see additional options, below)**

	Study Abroad	
FREN3001	French Grammar & Comp	<b>3</b>
FRENXXXX	FREN Language Elective Courses	<b>9</b>

Credit Total **12**

**Fall Year 2**

FREN3041	Intro to French Literature	<b>3</b>
ENGL2089	Intermediate Composition	<b>3</b>
HISTXXXX	HIST Course (HP)	<b>3</b>
	Interdisciplinary Course	<b>3</b>
	Free Elective (Minor)	<b>6</b>

Credit Total **18**

**Spring Year 2**

FREN3002	Speaking in French	<b>3</b>
	Natural Science (NS)	<b>3</b>
	Social & Ethical Issues (SE)/Tech & Innov (TI)	<b>3</b>
	Social Science (SS)	<b>3</b>

Credit Total **15**

**Summer Year 2**

	Study Abroad	
FREN4001	Advanced Grammar & Comp	<b>3</b>
FRENXXXX	FREN Language Elective Courses	<b>6</b>

Credit Total **9**

**Fall Year 3**

FRENXXXX	FREN Capstone (see dept for options)	<b>1</b>
	Natural Science Course (NS)	<b>3</b>
	Historical Perspective Course (HP)	<b>3</b>
	Free Elective Courses (Minor)	<b>9</b>

Credit Total **16**

**Spring Year 3**

FRENXXXX	FREN Elective	<b>3</b>
	Free Electives	<b>14</b>

Credit Total **17**

Additional options for 3-year degree:

- Summer Semesters** – As laid out above, this degree can be completed within 3 academic years without the need of previously earned college credit. Modifications to this include taking classes in the Summer Semester following Year 3 and/or taking 18 credits in those semesters that currently contain 15 or fewer credit hours. Students interested in these options should meet with their advisor about this in order to make an academic plan early.
- Advanced Standing Credit** – Many students earn college level credit while in high school and it is almost always applicable to a degree program, even if just as elective credit. Students with previously earned credit can find out more about this at the university's [Transfer Credit Information](#) page. Admitted students should be sure to send their scores and/or transcripts to the university (via the Office of Admissions) in order for their credit to be transferred. Once scores and/or transcripts are received, a Credit Evaluation Report (CER) will be created for the student. The CER will allow each student to see both the aggregate number of credit hours they will receive as well as the specific courses they will count as. This will allow each student to “cross-off” classes for which they are receiving credit from the above model. The more credit a student brings to UC, the more flexibility he/she is going to have completing his/her degree. The University of Cincinnati accepts credits from a variety of programs including: Advanced Placement (AP); Cambridge International A-Level; College Level Examination Program (CLEP); International Baccalaureate (IB); Post Secondary Enrollment (PSEOP); among others. Additionally, military credit, as reported on a military transcript, is accepted at UC.
- Proficiency Testing** – Students may have the opportunity to “test out” of certain courses by scoring high enough on university Proficiency tests. These students do not receive credit, but they may have specific courses “waived” thereby lower the total hours they need for their degree.