

Minor in German Studies

2026-27 Course offerings



GERM 1F00— Introductory Language

Development of basic skills in grammatical structures, reading of simple texts, oral comprehension and conversational fluency. Integration of cultural and social aspects. Films, recordings and on-line resources are used.

Lectures, language/computer lab, 4 hours per week.

Note: open to students with no background in the language.



GERM 1F90— Intermediate Language

Introduction of more complex grammar concepts, as well as conversational and written skills using literary and media sources including films, recordings and on-line resources.

Lectures, language/computer lab, 4 hours per week.

Prerequisite(s): GERM 1F00, Ontario grade 12U German or permission of the instructor.



GERM 1P93— Culture and Civilization of Central Europe: From the Prehistoric to 350CE

Cultural development of Central Europe from the earliest stone and pottery cultures, through the Bronze, Iron and Celtic Ages, ending with the Gallo-Roman period. Beliefs and practices, material objects, artistic developments, and architecture. Digitized images are used to illustrate the cultural evidence.

Lectures, tutorial, 4 hours per week.



GERM 2P00— Language, Literature and Culture I

Intensive study of current German language usage, modern literature and contemporary culture. Designed to improve communication, comprehension and written skills.

Lectures, 3 hours per week.

Prerequisite(s): GERM 1F90 or permission of the instructor.



GERM 2P01— Language, Literature and Culture II

Intensive study of current German language usage, modern literature and contemporary culture. Designed to improve communication, comprehension and written skills.

Lectures, 3 hours per week.

Prerequisite(s): GERM 2P00 or permission of the instructor.