

# LINGUISTICS, M.A.

## Degree Requirements

The Master of Arts program in Linguistics requires 18 credit hours of coursework at the graduate level, including Field Methods (LING 7650), Phonology (LING 7550), and Syntax (LING 7630). The remaining courses (9 credit hours) may be taken in either linguistics or related disciplines, subject to approval by the department's graduate committee. In certain cases the graduate committee may require the student to take additional courses. Students are encouraged to complete their coursework by the end of the first year of the program. M.A. candidates must demonstrate proficiency in a second language. In addition to coursework and the language reading requirement, students must complete and successfully defend a thesis.

**Second Language Reading Requirement:** Yes

**Expected Time to Graduate:** 2 years

## Progression Chart

Course	Title	Hours
<b>Year 1</b>		
GRAD 7300	Research Integrity Tutorial	0
GRAD 7500	Academic Integrity Tutorial	0
LING 7550	Phonology	3
LING 7650	Field Methods	3
LING 7630	Syntax	3
LING 7XXX	Courses in LING 7000	9
<b>Hours</b>		<b>18</b>
<b>Year 2</b>		
GRAD 7000	Master's Thesis	0
<b>Hours</b>		<b>0</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>18</b>

### Notes:

- Students must demonstrate proficiency in a second language.
- Students must propose, write, and defend an original thesis.