The minor in African American and African studies consists of 25 credit hours which must include 2 core courses (AAAS 201 and 310) and a minimum of 10 credit hours at the upper divisional, 400- to 500-level. No area of concentration is required to fulfill the minor program.

In order to declare the minor, you must file with AAAS. Any variation from the program described on this sheet needs the approval of the director of undergraduate studies in the Department of African American and African Studies. For further information about the minor program, contact the department.

Core Courses (10 Credit Hours)
- AAAS 201 Introduction to African American and African Studies
- AAAS 310 Perspectives on the African Diaspora

Additional Courses (15 Credit Hours)
a minimum of 10 credit hours at the upper divisional, 400- to 500-level.

- AAAS 400/500
- AAAS 400/500
- AAAS 200/500

**AAAS minor program guidelines:**

The following guidelines govern this minor.

**Required for graduation**  No

**Credit hours required**  A minimum of 25

**Transfer credit hours allowed**  A maximum of 10

**Overlap with the GEC**  Permitted, unless specifically disallowed by an individual minor program.

**Overlap with the major**  Not allowed and
- The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
- The same courses cannot count on the minor and on the major.

**Overlap between minors**  Each minor completed must contain 20 unique hours.

**100-level course:**  For every five credit hours of 100-level course work on the minor, the minimum total required for the minor is increased by five.

**Grades required**
- Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the minor.
- Minimum 2.00 cumulative point-hour ratio required for the minor.
- Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count on the minor.

**Approval required**  The minor program description sheet indicates if the minor course work must be approved by:
- The academic unit offering the minor

**Filing the minor program form**  The minor program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school counselor.

**Changing the minor**  Once the minor program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by:
- The academic unit offering the minor