Students interested in a minor in Italian are asked to contact Jodi Obert in the Department of French and Italian (obert.1@osu.edu) who will assign them a minor advisor. Students should also file the Minor form with their college office.

The minor in Italian consists of 20 credit hours of prerequisite course work: Italian 202 and an additional 15 hours chosen from the courses listed below. With the exception of 101-102-103-104, courses used on the minor may not be used for the GEC.

Once students have moved beyond the 200-level, they are not permitted to move backwards in the sequence, i.e. once a student has taken a 400-level class, they may not take another 200-level class.

Up to 15 credits of Italian 697 (Study at a foreign institution) may be counted toward the major or minor. However, all minors must take at least one 400- or 600-level course on campus.

If you complete the minor following these guidelines, you need only file your Minor Program Form with your college office. Any variation from the program described here needs the approval of the appropriate advisor in the Department of French and Italian.

**Prerequisite courses (20 credit hours)**
Italian 101-102-103-104

**Required course (5 hours):**
Italian 202

**Course options (15 hours):**
Italian 206, 401, 402, 420, 421, 423, 425, 450, 613, 614, 615

**Arts and Sciences minor program guidelines**

The following guidelines govern minors.

**Required for graduation** No

**Credit hours required** A minimum of 20 (some minors require more)

**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, or
- A college/school counselor.

**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, or
- A college/school counselor (depending on the minor).