
Archaeology Minor

18-21 credit hours required.

The Department of Anthropology requires that students earn a minimum grade of 2.0/S* in all courses counted toward the minor. No more than two courses may count toward both the Archaeology minor and the major. At least three courses must be taken at the upper division level.

Many anthropology students become majors because of an interest in archaeology. The Archaeology minor offers students an opportunity to achieve formal recognition of this interest.

The required core of courses gives students a basic grounding in archaeological theory and methods as well as a survey of world archaeological developments and a knowledge of those disciplines critical to modern archaeology.

Required Courses: Credits

ANTH 204	Archaeology	3
ARTH 101	Survey of Art: Ancient to Early Renaissance	3

one of the following

GEOL 103	Physical Geology	3
GEOL 104	Historical Geology	3

Elective Courses:

9-12 credit hours; one from each group. Additional courses, as available, may be used with approval from the Archaeological Studies Coordinator.

Group A: Old World

ARTH 310	Greek Art and Archaeology	3
ARTH 311	Roman Art and Archaeology	3
ARTH 351	Late Antique Art	3
ARTH 385	Art and Archaeology of the Classical World (same as ANTH 352)	3
HIST 301	Ancient and Medieval Europe	3
HIST 395	Ancient Greece and Rome	3
HIST 395	Ancient Middle East	3
HIST 395	Egypt in Late Antiquity	3

Group B: New World

ANTH 315	Field Archaeology	6
ANTH 350	Archaeology of Ancient Mexico and Central America	3
ANTH 359	African American Archaeology	3
ANTH 362	Historical Archaeology	3
ANTH 395	Archaeology of Eastern USA	3

Group C: Applied Sciences

GEOL 301	Sedimentology-Paleontology 1	4
GEOL 405	Structural Geology	4
GEOL 406	Geomorphology	4
GEOL 407	Geophysics	4
ANTH 316	Archaeological Lab Techniques	3
ANTH 347	Humans, Disease & Death	3
ANTH 354	Environmental Archaeology	3
ANTH 365	Archaeology of Death	3
ANTH 380	Human Osteology	3

ANTH 402	Forensic Anthropology	3
ANTH 410	Advanced Archaeological Research	3
ANTH 450	Zooarchaeology	3
ANTH 455	Cannibalism	4
ANTH 495	Dental Anthropology	3