

ANTHROPOLOGY (B.A.)

The general anthropology major, for which a B.A. degree is awarded, prepares students for advanced work that can lead to college teaching, museum work, and/or research, as well as careers in non-academic settings. For students interested in a strong liberal arts background, the general major is an excellent program which can be adapted to varied professional and career goals. Internship opportunities provide students with hands-on work experience. Students can major in Anthropology with Elementary Education Certification and then be qualified to teach grades K-6 in New Jersey Public Schools.

120 credits of coursework is required for the baccalaureate degree with a minimum 2.0 overall GPA, and a minimum 2.0 major GPA.

Degree Requirements Overview

Code	Title	Credits
	New Student Seminar	1
	SEEDS General Education Requirements	31-33
	Major Requirements	40
	Free Electives	48-46
	Total Credits	120

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Required Courses		
ANTH 100	Cultural Anthropology	3
ANTH 101	Physical Anthropology	4
ANTH 102	Linguistic Anthropology	3
ANTH 103	Introduction to Archaeology	3
ANTH 200	Key Issues in Anthropology	3
ANTH 301	Methods in Anthropological Research and Practice	3
ANTH 401	Seminar in Anthropological Theory	3
Major Electives		
<i>200-Level Elective</i>		
	Select one of the following:	3
ANTH 201	Applied Anthropology	
ANTH 205	Disability in US Popular Culture	
ANTH 230	Indigenous Languages and Lifeways	
ANTH 255	Urban Anthropology	
ANTH 290	Historical Archaeology	
<i>Theory and Methods Electives</i>		
	Select 15 credits from the list below.	15
	Total Credits	40

Theory and Methods Electives

Code	Title	Credits
ANTH 310	Immigration: An Anthropological Perspective	3
ANTH 320	Caribbean Archaeology	3
ANTH 325	North American Archaeology	3
ANTH 330	The Anthropology of Food and Nutrition	3
ANTH 335	Bioarchaeology	3
ANTH 340	The Anthropology of Work	3
ANTH 350	Anthropology of Aging and the Aged	3

ANTH 360	Environmental Anthropology	3
ANTH 370	Experimental Archaeology	3
ANTH 380	Anthropology: Gender and Sexuality	3
ANTH 390	Anthropology of Childhood and Youth	3
ANTH 404	Planetary Health	3
ANTH 410	Public Archaeology	3
ANTH 414	Special Topics in Anthropology	3-6
ANTH 421	Communities in Transition	3-4
ANTH 422	Environment and Community	3-4
ANTH 423	Community and Health	3-4
ANTH 429	Building Sustainable Communities	3-4
ANTH 430	Analyzing Ethnographic Discourse and Interaction	3
ANTH 440	Medical Anthropology	3
ANTH 460	Field Methods: Visual Anthropology	3

Suggested Free Electives

Plus Optional Theory and Methods Electives Credits

Up to, but not more than 3 credits of the following courses may be applied to the Theory and Methods Electives requirements.

Code	Title	Credits
ANTH 470	Archaeological Field Methods	1-6
ANTH 480	Independent Research in Anthropology	3-6
ANTH 490	Internship in Anthropology	3-6

New Student Seminar

Code	Title	Credits
Students in the Adult Learner program must take GNED 100.		
Complete one course from the following. Some courses may be restricted by major. Consult with an academic advisor.		1
ADVS 198	Pathways to Success	
CHEM 190	Freshman Seminar in Chemistry	
FYS 100	First Year Seminar	
GNED 100	Adult Academic Success Seminar	
GNED 199	New Student Seminar	
HPEM 199	Freshman Seminar in Health and Physical Education	
IDS 155	Pathways to Adult Learning	
JUST 199	New Student Seminar	
MATH 102	New Student Experience for Mathematical Sciences	
MUGN 199	Freshman Seminar for Music Majors	
NURS 199	Introduction to Nursing	
POLS 199	Freshman Seminar in Political Science and Law	

SEEDS General Education Requirements

Click here for a listing of courses that fulfill the SEEDS requirements. (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/programs/seeds-general-education-requirements/>)

Code	Title	Credits
Foundations		
<i>Effective Writing I</i>		
	Complete one Effective Writing I course.	3

<i>Effective Writing II</i>	
Complete one Effective Writing II course.	3
<i>Interactive Communication</i>	
Complete one Interactive Communication course.	3
<i>Quantitative Reasoning</i>	
Complete one Quantitative Reasoning course.	3
<i>Political and Civic Life</i>	
Complete one Political and Civic Life course.	3
<i>World Languages</i>	
Complete two sequential classes in one World Language when starting at the Beginner I or Beginner II level. Complete one class when starting at the Intermediate/Advanced Level.	3-6
Exploration	
Complete one course from four different Exploration categories.	12
<i>Analyzing Cultures and Societies</i>	
<i>Creative Expression</i>	
<i>Ethical Inquiry</i>	
<i>Historical Thinking</i>	
<i>Literary and Artistic Analysis</i>	
<i>Scientific Reasoning</i>	
Total Credits	30-33

Recommended Roadmap to Degree Completion

This recommended degree plan is provided as an outline for students to follow in order to complete their degree requirements within four years and 120 credits. This plan is a recommendation and **MUST** be used in consultation with their academic advisor. Important note: Students should be aware this plan assumes no pre-requisite coursework is required. If pre-requisite coursework is needed, students may have additional requirements to fulfill which do not appear on the plan.

First Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
New Student Seminar		1 ANTH 101 (Fulfills SEEDS: Exploration 2 - Scientific Reasoning)	4
SEEDS: Effective Writing I	3	SEEDS: World Language 2 or Free Elective	3
SEEDS: Interactive Communication	3	ANTH 102	3
SEEDS: World Language 1	3	SEEDS: Effective Writing II	3
ANTH 100 (Fulfills SEEDS: Exploration 1 – Analyzing Cultures and Societies)	3	ANTH 103	3
SEEDS: Quantitative Reasoning	3		
	16		16

Second Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
SEEDS: Political and Civic Life	3	SEEDS: Exploration 4	3
ANTH 200	3	200-Level ANTH Elective	3

SEEDS: Exploration 3	3	Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3
	15		15

Third Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
ANTH 301		3 ANTH Methods/Theory Elective 2	3
ANTH Methods/Theory Elective 1	3	ANTH Methods/Theory Elective 3	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3
	15		15

Fourth Year

Fall	Credits	Spring	Credits
ANTH Methods/Theory Elective 4		3 ANTH 401	3
ANTH Methods/Theory Elective 5	3	ANTH 490 (or Free Elective)	3
Free Elective	3	ANTH 490 (or Free Elective)	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3	Free Elective	1
	15		13

Total Credits 120