



WINTHROP  
UNIVERSITY

# Welcome!

Dual Credit Language Pioneers



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# Welcome DLI Pioneers!



- Get to know Winthrop University
- Dual Credit Language Program Overview
- What Courses Can I Take?
- Next steps & Questions

**An unparalleled, engaging experience plus a jump start on your college degree leads to countless opportunities**





# Eagles Rising



# Winthrop by the Numbers



5,865 Winthrop Eagles



4,764

Undergraduates



Countries  
Represented



States  
Represented



1,073

First-Year Students



20+ Years

U.S. News Top Regional Colleges





# Academics by the Numbers



288

Full-time Faculty  
Members



85%

With a Terminal  
Degree



43

Undergraduate  
Majors



13:1

Student-Professor  
Ratio



21

Average Class  
Size

Build  
relationships  
with professors



# Benefits of Dual Credit



➤ **What is Dual Credit?**  
University-level courses that can be taken by current high school students for college and high school credit.



Earn college credit



Develop college readiness



Save money



Be competitive



Access Winthrop Resources







# Department of World Languages and Cultures



“My minor in the Department of World Languages and Cultures set me on a path that included studying at the University of **Vienna**, working for the U.S. Department of State in **Austria**, and now, working for a **German** medical device manufacturer in Charlotte. I would recommend that every Winthrop student take advantage of the excellent faculty and **incredible opportunities** this department offers.”  
- Dr. Mark Evans '06



**Offers students like you the opportunity to develop the linguistic skills and cultural competencies that are increasingly necessary in a interconnected and rapidly changing world.**

## Potential Careers in World Languages

Business, Industry &  
Commerce  
Government  
International Intelligence  
Law Enforcement  
Teaching & Research  
Interpreting & Translation  
Media  
Travel & Tourism

# What classes can I take?



## Spanish Dual Credit Courses



18

College  
Credit-Hours

Minor in Spanish  
at  
Winthrop University

Semester	WU Course Name	Location
Fall 2023	<b>Sophomores:</b> SPAN 250: Intermediate Conversation and Composition <b>Juniors:</b> SPAN 313: Advanced Conversation	Winthrop University
Spring 2024	<b>Sophomores:</b> SPAN 310: Advanced Grammar and Composition <b>Juniors:</b> SPAN 385: Topics in Spanish/Hispanic Civilization and Culture	Winthrop University
Fall 2024	<b>Juniors:</b> SPAN 313: Advanced Conversation <b>Seniors:</b> SPAN 395: Topics in Spanish/Hispanic Literature	Winthrop University
Spring 2025	<b>Juniors:</b> SPAN 385: Topics in Spanish/Hispanic Civilization and Culture <b>Seniors:</b> SPAN 405: Topics in Advanced Spanish Language/ Advanced Spanish Film	Winthrop University



# What classes can I take?



## French Dual Credit Courses

Semester	WU Course Name	Location
Fall 2023	<b>Sophomores:</b> FREN 250: Intermediate Conversation and Composition <b>Juniors:</b> FREN 313: Advanced Conversation	Winthrop University
Spring 2024	<b>Sophomores:</b> FREN 310: Advanced Grammar and Composition <b>Juniors:</b> FREN 385: Topics in French/French Civilization and Culture	Winthrop University
Fall 2024	<b>Juniors:</b> FREN 313: Advanced Conversation <b>Seniors:</b> FREN 395: Topics in French/Francophone Literature	Winthrop University
Spring 2025	<b>Juniors:</b> FREN 385: Topics in French/French Civilization and Culture <b>Seniors:</b> SPAN 405: Topics in Advanced French Language/ Advanced French Film	Winthrop University



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College  
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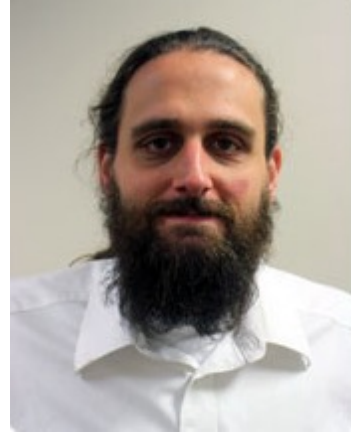
**Minor in French**

at Winthrop  
University

# Meet your Professors!



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Associate Professor of  
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**Dr. Anna Igou**  
Assistant Professor of  
French



**Dr. Valerie Jepson**  
Assistant Professor of  
Spanish



**Dr. Victoria Urioechea**  
Instructor of Spanish

Dual Credit courses for 2023-24 will be taught by a Winthrop University faculty member on Winthrop University's campus.



# Course Schedule



## 2023-24 Course Schedule:

- Classes will take place on Monday-Thursday during 3<sup>rd</sup> block, 12:30-1:45pm
- On Friday students will be at RHHS in study lab.
- Classes will follow Winthrop University calendar.
  - Students will attend 3<sup>rd</sup> block RHHS study lab on days when calendar doesn't align

### Sophomores

**Fall 2023: 3<sup>rd</sup> Block, 12:30-1:45pm**

**SPANISH/FRENCH 250-600:**

- Monday/ Wednesday: Class
- Tuesday/Thursday: LLC
- Friday: Study Lab

**SPANISH/FRENCH 250-601:**

- Monday/Wednesday: LLC
- Tuesday/Thursday: Class
- Friday: Study Lab

**Spring 2024: 3<sup>rd</sup> Block, 12:30-1:45pm**

**SPANISH/ FRENCH 310:** Same schedule as above

### Juniors

**Fall 2023: 3<sup>rd</sup> Block, 12:30-1:45pm**

**SPANISH/FRENCH 313-600:**

- Monday/ Wednesday: Class
- Tuesday/Thursday: LLC
- Friday: Study Lab

**SPANISH/FRENCH 313-601:**

- Monday/Wednesday: LLC
- Tuesday/Thursday: Class
- Friday: Study Lab

**Spring 2024: 3<sup>rd</sup> Block, 12:30-1:45pm**

**SPANISH/FRENCH 385:** Same schedule as above



# Bell Schedule and Transportation



## RHHS Bell Schedule

**8:45-10:10am:** 1<sup>st</sup> Block

**10:16-11:41am:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Block

**11:41-12:00pm:** 1<sup>st</sup> Lunch

**12:05:** Load bus to WU

**12:05-12:15:** Bus ride to Winthrop

**12:30-1:45pm:** **WU class or LLC**

**1:55pm:** Load bus to RHHS

**2:00-2:10pm:** Bus ride to RHHS

**2:20-3:45pm:** 4<sup>th</sup> Block

**Transportation:** Buses will depart RHHS at 12:05pm and depart WU at 2:00pm

- Students are required to take the bus

**Friday:** 12:12-12:43pm: RTI , 12:49-2:15pm: Study Lab





# Academic Success

## Academic Support

- Professor Office Hours
- Language Learning Center (Kinard 307)
  - Conversation hours, complete HW, receive expert help, record your voice/create videos in the computer lab
  - Will **attend twice a week** and will count toward course attendance



## Course Credit

Winthrop Language Courses are AP-weighted, dual credit accrual courses.

Upon successful completion student earn:

- One Carnegie unit of high school credit
- Three hours of Winthrop University college credit

## Life Scholarship Eligibility

Must meet 2 of the 3 criteria while in high school:

- 3.0+ final high school GPA
- Minimum SAT score of 1100 on reading & math section OR ACT score of 22+
- Graduated in the top 30% of your high school class
  
- Life Scholarship is \$5,000 per year

To keep your life scholarship while at a SC college/university:

- 3.0 + GPA and must take 30 credit-hours per year



# Premier Partnership



## Textbooks & Cost of Course

- Rock Hill Schools will provide all required textbooks and is paying for the cost of the course!
- Savings of \$6,288

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## Accessibility

- WU is committed to providing accessible learning experiences and equal access to education for all students. Students with a disability who anticipate or experience academic barriers due to the condition, will work with Winthrop University's Office of Accessibility (OA) for accommodations and procedures.





# 10<sup>th</sup> Graders: Dual Credit Eligibility



## GPA

**3.0 High School GPA**  
(SC Uniform Grading Scale)

## SCORES

STAMP composite score of a **5 or higher** with no one area below a 4.

**or**

AP score of a **4 or higher**

## STAMP Assessment

**March 28<sup>th</sup>- 30<sup>th</sup>:**

Current 9<sup>th</sup> grade students will take the STAMP assessment in class.

**May 10<sup>th</sup>:** AP Spanish Test

**May 11<sup>th</sup>:** AP French Text

**May 15<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>:** STAMP retest

# 10<sup>th</sup> Graders: Dual Credit Eligibility



## What if I don't meet eligibility requirements?

Students should take the prerequisite course, Spanish/French 202: Intermediate French or Spanish at an accredited institution of higher education in the Summer of 2023

- The cost of this course, plus necessary textbooks and materials, will need to be paid by the family of the student. Upon successful completion of French/Spanish 202, the student will then be able to apply to enroll in the French or Spanish 250 dual credit course with Winthrop University during the Fall 2023 semester and continue on track with his or her original cohort in the dual credit language courses offered at Rock Hill High School.
- If the French/Spanish 202 course is not offered during the summer at any of the acceptable institutions, the next viable option will be for the student to take the prerequisite course in Fall 2023 and enroll in the French or Spanish 250 course in Spring 2024.. This means the student will not be enrolled with his or her original cohort. This also means the student would potentially earn a maximum of 12 credit hours instead of the originally planned 18 hours.

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# 11<sup>th</sup> Graders: Dual Credit Eligibility

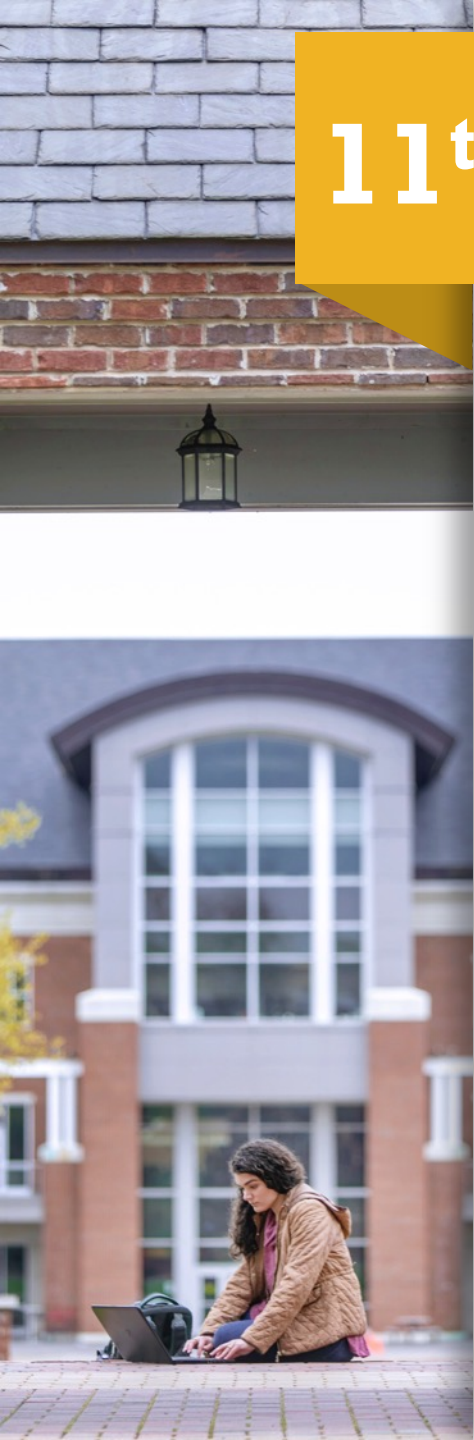


## How can I re-enroll?

- During IGP's inform your school counselor of your intent to continue for the **2023-24 academic year.**
- Must pass SPAN/FREN 310 with a C or higher
- Must maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA at the high school level

## 2023-24 courses

**Fall:** Spanish/French 313  
**Spring:** Spanish/French 385



# 10th graders: Applying for Dual Credit Program



1

## Meet Eligibility Requirements

- If you scored a **5 on STAMP**, apply and will be registered for course.
- If you scored less than a **5 on STAMP**, apply and if you do not earn a **4 or 5 on AP test**, you will be dropped from the course.

2

## Complete the Application

- **May 15<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>, 2023**: Students will complete online Dual Credit application in class.

<https://apply.winthrop.edu/apply/?sr=a6b8feff-99c1-4813-a8c4-2626b84b736e>

3

## Attend Eagle Prep Orientation

August 9th, 6pm at Winthrop University



# FAQs about Application



- 1) Full legal name
- 2) Permanent Home Address
- 3) Contact Information
- 4) Birthdate
- 5) Social Security Number\*

- SSN are registered with National Student Clearinghouse, the nation's trusted source for degree verification and enrollment

## 6) Proof of Citizenship/Legal Presence\*

- This policy has been adopted by the University to comply with section 59-101-403 of the South Carolina Code of Laws, which requires that lawful presence in United States is verified before enrollment at any public institution of higher education.



### Verification of Citizenship

- Copy of South Carolina Driver's License
- Copy of Certified Birth Certificate
- Copy of current US Passport
- Copy of Certificate of Naturalization (USCIS Form N-550)
- Copy of US gov issued Consular Report of Birth Abroad
- Copy of Certificate of Citizenship (N-560 or N-561)

### Verification of immigration status of non-citizens and permanent residents

- Copy of I-551 (Permanent Resident Card)
- Copy of I-766 (Employment Authorization Document)
- Copy of I-94 (Arrival Departure Record in Foreign Passport)
- Copy of I-94: Unexpired Foreign Passport
- Copy of Visa

11th graders: Join us again for classes!



**1**

**Inform School Counselor**

**2**

**Meet Eligibility Requirements**

**3**

**Attend Eagle Prep Orientation**

↪ August 8th, 6pm at Winthrop University



# SPAN/FREN 310 Updates



## Grading Scale:

- 90-100: A
- 85-89: B+
- 80-84: B
- 75-79: C+
- 70-74: C
- 65-69: D+
- 60-64: D
- 0-59: F

## Attendance:

Cannot miss more than **6 unexcused days** to earn high school and college credit.

- RHHS spring break: April 3-9<sup>th</sup>
- WU spring break: March 13-17<sup>th</sup>

## Spanish Supplies:

- 2 notebooks
- Multi-colored pens

## Withdrawing from Course:

- **Drop deadline:** January 20<sup>th</sup> by 3pm
- **Withdraw deadline:** February 21<sup>st</sup> by 3pm
  - Withdraw means you will no longer be taking the class and a W will appear on your college transcript. It will not impact your college/high school GPA.
  - Must meet with RHHS school counselor if you want to withdraw from the course & complete the online form.





# Winthrop Dual Credit Perks



**Winthrop  
Student**



**Cheer on the Eagles**



**Free Tutor  
Centers**



**Winthrop  
Facilities**



**Cultural  
Events**



# Become an Eagle in 3 easy steps:



1

## Become Eligible



**March 28th-30th:** STAMP Assessment (5 or higher)

**May 10th/11<sup>th</sup>:** AP Test

**May 15<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>:** STAMP retest

2

## Apply for Dual Credit Program



- **May 15<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>, 2023:** complete online application
- And RSVP for Eagle Prep Orientation in August

3

## Attend Eagle Prep Orientation



**Aug 8<sup>th</sup>:** Juniors

**Aug 9<sup>th</sup>:** Sophomores







# Questions?

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For all Winthrop Dual Credit Questions.