

**Meredith College General Education Program**  
**Foreign Language (FL) Graduation Requirement: Process of Accommodation for Students with Documented Disabilities**

*A Meredith College student seeking a modification of her general education FL requirement will follow the process outlined below.*

- Schedule and complete a disability intake appointment with a Disability Counselor in the office of Disability Services in the Meredith College Counseling Center.
- If appropriate, the student will present professional clinical documentation of a disability that specifically impacts her ability to learn a foreign language to the office of Disability Services.
- The student will have this documentation and the need for accommodation verified by Disability Services.
- If the student receives verification in writing from Disability Services, she will submit her accommodation plan to the Office of General Education for approval. If the plan is approved, this will be communicated in writing to the Office of the Registrar and to Disability Services in the Meredith College Counseling Center.
- The student's plan must include nine (9) credit hours from a list of approved courses\*

*Three Recommended Options*

- 1) The student may take part or all of her nine required credits during Meredith study abroad or another approved study abroad program. The study abroad experience must be in a non-English speaking country. The study abroad experience must include 9 credit hours of course work to complete the requirement.
- 2) The student may take 9 credit hours of electives coming from an approved list\* of courses focusing on in-depth knowledge about a specific foreign culture or cultures, or focusing on linguistics and the nature and structure of language. Transfer equivalents of courses in this list may be acceptable as well. Students may enroll in elementary language courses (101s) as one of their required options if their previous educational backgrounds warrant this. Coursework in American Sign Language (ASL) from a regionally accredited institution will be accepted as part or all of the 9 credit hours.
- 3) Demonstration by examination of Intermediate-Mid level competence in ASL will fulfill the accommodation requirement. Completion by this means must include documentation from a college-level instructor in ASL. This documentation will be submitted to the Office of General Education.

*The accommodation plan must result in intermediate-mid level competency in a second language being met by examination, or in the completion of 9 hours of approved course credit.*

**Courses used to fulfill this plan can fulfill major or minor requirements and General Education Skills (WI, OC, IL) and Perspectives requirements (USP, GP, USP). They may NOT fulfill Gen Ed Distribution requirements.**

\* See p. 2 of this document.

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### “OTHER CULTURE” COURSES ELIGIBLE FOR FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT ACCOMODATION PLANS

*Only for Students with need for accommodation as documented in writing by the Office of Disability Services.*

*Other courses may be eligible subject to approval by the Director of General Education—including transfer courses.*

Courses used to fulfill a plan may also fulfill major or minor requirements and General Education Skills & Perspectives requirements. They may NOT fulfill Gen Ed Distribution requirements.

ART 222	Survey Western Art: High Renaissance-Modern
ART 324	Topics in Modern Art History
BIO 215	Tropical Ecosystems
BUS 310	International Business
CD 404	Families in Global Context
COM 390	Intercultural Communication
DAN 200	Dance in Society
ECO 334	International Economics
ENG 204	Colonial / Post-Colonial Literature
ENG 335	Contemporary Literature in Translation
FL 121	Awareness of Language
GEO 205	World Regional Geography
HED 400	Influences and Evolution of Global Health
HIS 200	Introduction to Latin American History
HIS 224	Introduction to Asian History
HIS 281	Introduction to African History
HIS/POL 282	The Modern Middle East
HIS 306	Russia in the 20 <sup>th</sup> Century
HIS 308	20 <sup>th</sup> Century Europe
HIS 310	Modern China
HIS 312	India Past and Present
HIS 409	Global Slavery in Historical Context
IDS 280	China Today
POL 204	Comparative Politics
POL 210	International Politics
POL 309	Politics of the Vietnam War
POL 370	Topics in Model United Nations
RES 200	Introductory Topics in Religious and Ethical Studies (approved selections)
RES 253	Judaism, Christianity, and Islam: A Conversation
RES 254	Introduction to Asian Religions
SOC 260	Cultural Anthropology
THE 317	History of Theatre: Modern-Contemporary