Recommended First Quarter Schedule

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<th>Course</th>
<th>Units</th>
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<td>ANT 1^ or 3*</td>
<td>4</td>
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<td>ANT 15, 20 or 32**</td>
<td>4-5</td>
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<tr>
<td>Foreign Language, Entry Level Writing Course (ELWR)^,</td>
<td>4-5</td>
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<td>Lower Division Composition Course, or GE Course</td>
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<tr>
<td>First Year Seminar</td>
<td>1-3</td>
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<td>Total Units:</td>
<td>13 - 16</td>
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Alternative Courses

*Substitute with a GE Course if full 3-4

**See next page for recommended courses based on the major emphases.

^ Students should not take GE or major courses with Writing Experience (WE) until ELWR is satisfied.

Explore First Year Seminars: [https://fys.ucdavis.edu/](https://fys.ucdavis.edu/)

First Quarter Schedule Notes:

- We do not recommend taking ANT 2 your first quarter. Courses above are better suited for students their first quarter.
- Because of the heavy reading and writing required, we do not recommend that you take ANT 2 until you have passed ELWR.
- You do not need to take an ANT course your first quarter to be successful in the major. Sometimes students find that all the ANT courses are full during their registration times. You can focus on taking GE's your fall quarter and take an ANT course in winter and spring quarter and still graduate on time.

Placement Exams

Recommended

**Foreign Language:** All students pursuing an A.B. degree in the College of Letters and Science complete a Foreign Language through the 15-unit level (for example: through SPA 003 or above.) Please see the UC Davis Language Center website for details on course placement or proficiency exams if you have familiarity with a language other than English.

**Not Required**

**Math:** The Anthropology major does not require Math courses. If you plan to take Math courses, be sure to review placement requirements prior to enrollment.

**Chemistry:** The Anthropology major does not require the Chemistry Placement Exam. If you plan to take Chemistry courses, be sure to review placement requirements prior to enrollment.

**Computer Science:** The Anthropology major does not require Computer Science courses. If you plan to take Computer Science courses, be sure to review placement requirements prior to enrollment.

Recommended First Year Goals

- Explore your interests by taking a variety of GE classes! Double majoring or minoring with the ANT major is highly encouraged!
- Stop in for major advising at some point during your first year to go over your academic plan. We are here to empower you in your academic and career exploration!
- Read over our “Friday Flash” email each week which compiles opportunities in the department relating to new classes, field schools, internships, etc.
**Anthropology (AB) Emphases**

**General Emphasis**
- Students may take ANT 15, 20, or 32 their first quarter.

**Evolutionary Emphasis**
- It is recommended that students take ANT 15 their first quarter.

**Sociocultural Emphasis**
- It is recommended that students take ANT 20 or 32 their first quarter.
- If you want to pursue the Sociocultural Emphasis, there’s an option to use additional language classes (beyond what is required for College of L&S) to complete lower division requirements. Please see a major advisor, as there are a number of different languages to decide from; for first quarter use AP/IB score or take placement test for placement, register for course, and then meet with major advisor.

**Additional information**

Students are encouraged to participate in the ANT Fall Welcome, which will likely be happening in early October. You will be emailed about the details on the student list-serve.

The ANT department faculty are very approachable in seeking out research opportunities (typically this is done starting towards the end of a student’s 2nd year in the major). The B.A. degree allows students to study a variety of subfields of anthropology including biological and cultural anthropology, archaeology, and primatology so we encourage being open-minded and taking a variety of classes. It is also very manageable to incorporate studying abroad into your Anthropology degree, so please see a major advisor to learn more about this!

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**AP/IB Exams and Major Requirements**

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<th>Score</th>
<th>UCD Course</th>
<th>Can repeat for credit at UCD?</th>
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<tr>
<td>AP Statistics</td>
<td>4, 5</td>
<td>STA 13</td>
<td>Yes, although most students do not tend to take STA 13 if they’ve gotten this score.</td>
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<td>IB Social and Cultural Anthropology</td>
<td>5, 6, 7</td>
<td>ANT 2</td>
<td>Yes, although it is not necessary.</td>
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Please note: This chart only covers scores that yield major credit for Anthropology (AB). For the most up-to-date list of all AP and IB scores and their credit at UC Davis, please refer to the charts available on the UC Davis Admissions website. [https://www.ucdavis.edu/admissions/undergraduate/freshman/exam-requirements](https://www.ucdavis.edu/admissions/undergraduate/freshman/exam-requirements)

# Email: Students can reach Kelli or Caroline for summer questions at socantadvisor@ucdavis.edu. During the academic year, it’s best to email us at our personal emails, listed on the advising page of our website.