

# BA in Anthropology with concentration in Biological Anthropology

Below is a sample 4-year plan for students pursuing the BA in Anthropology with a concentration in Biological Anthropology. To view the list of courses approved to fulfill KU Core 34 Goals, please visit the KU Core 34 page (<https://catalog.ku.edu/core34/>).

## Freshman

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
Core 34: English (SGE) <sup>010</sup>	3	BA Quantitative Reasoning (BAQR) <sup>2</sup>	3
Core 34: Math and Statistics (SGE) <sup>030</sup>	3	2nd Semester Language (BA Second Language)	5
1st Semester Language (BA Second Language)	5	Core 34: English (SGE) <sup>010</sup>	3
Core 34: Social and Behavior Science (SGE)	3	Core 34: Natural and Physical Sciences (SGE) <sup>040</sup>	4-5
ANTH 150 or 151 (Core 34: Social and Behavior Science (SGE), Major Requirement) <sup>050*</sup>	3	ANTH 160 or 162 (Core 34: Global Culture, Major Requirement) <sup>070*</sup>	3
	<b>17</b>		<b>18-19</b>

## Sophomore

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
ANTH 304 (Major Requirement - ANTH Fundamentals)	3	4th Semester Language, or 1st semester of another Language, unless req for mjr (BA Second Language) <sup>1</sup>	3
3rd Semester Language (BA Second Language)	3	Core 34: Communications (SGE) <sup>020</sup>	3
ANTH 100+ level Elective (Major Requirement)	3	ANTH 100+ level Elective (Major Requirement)	3
Core 34: Social and Behavioral Science (SGE) <sup>050</sup>	3	ANTH 300+ level Elective (Major Requirement) <sup>3</sup>	3
Core 34: US Culture (SGE) <sup>070</sup>	3	Core 34: Arts and Humanities (SGE) <sup>060</sup>	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>

## Junior

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
ANTH 300+ level Elective (Major Requirement) <sup>3</sup>	3	Core 34: Arts and Humanities (SGE) <sup>060</sup>	3
Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours <sup>5</sup>	3	ANTH 300+ level Elective (Major Requirement) <sup>3</sup>	3
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Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours <sup>5</sup>	3	Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours <sup>5</sup>	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>15</b>

## Senior

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
ANTH 449 (Major Requirement - Research Methods; BA Laboratory/Field Experience - LFE)	3	ANTH 401 (Capstone Course, Major Requirement - typically SPRING ONLY)	3
Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours <sup>5</sup>	3	Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours <sup>5</sup>	3
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Second Area of Study/ Elective/Degree/Junior-Senior Hours <sup>5</sup>	1		
	<b>13</b>		<b>12</b>

## Total Hours 120-121

- <sup>1</sup> For students completing the language requirement via the 3+1 language option, note that many first semester languages are 5 credit hours.
- <sup>2</sup> Visit this page (<https://catalog.ku.edu/liberal-arts-sciences/#ba-quantitative-reasoning>) for a list of courses that fulfill the BA Quantitative Reasoning requirement.
- <sup>3</sup> Refer to the Anthropology degree requirements page of the catalog for a list of courses to fulfill this requirement.
- <sup>4</sup> Students considering graduate school should take at least 2 courses beyond major requirements. These courses should be chosen in consultation with a faculty advisor.
- <sup>5</sup> Hour requirements (incl. 45 jr/sr hrs) are typically met through Core 34, degree, major, second area of study and/or elective hours. Students completing the BGS with a major must choose a secondary area of study. Individual degree mapping is done in partnership with your advisor.

## Please note:

All students in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences are required to complete 120 total hours of which 45 hours must be at the Jr/Sr (300+) level.

Students considering graduate school should take at least 2 courses beyond major requirements. These courses should be chosen in consultation with a faculty advisor.

## Notes:

\* - This course is a Required major course and is also part of Core 34: Systemwide General Education. If this course is not taken to fulfill the Core 34:SGE requirement, it must be taken in place of elective hours.

\*\* - This course is a Recommended Core 34: Systemwide General Education course. This specific course is not required but is recommended by the program's faculty.

\*\*\* - This course is a Required Core 34: Systemwide General Education course. This program is approved by the Kansas Board of Regents to require this specific Core 34: Systemwide General Education course. If a student did not take this course it must be taken in addition to other degree requirements.