

ANTHROPOLOGY, MINOR

Program Overview

As a student in the anthropology program at Case Western Reserve University, you will be challenged to form a unique perspective on human behavior, institutions, and biology. Skills of investigation, discovery, and critical thinking will prepare you for a wide range of careers, including health, international affairs, public service, education, law, management, and industry. An undergraduate degree in anthropology can lead to further study in medicine and law, or to advanced study in various academic programs. Just a few examples of the exciting opportunities open to anthropologists include working with local police forensic departments, studying health issues for hospitals or medical centers, and consulting for companies that develop software and electronics.

Students pursuing a minor in anthropology may choose one of three areas of concentration: general anthropology, archaeology, and medical anthropology. Each of these emphases enables you to develop the qualitative and quantitative analytic skills necessary for both a career and further academic study.

Undergraduate Policies

For undergraduate policies and procedures, please review the Undergraduate Academics section of the General Bulletin.

Program Requirements

The department offers three emphases for the minor in anthropology: general anthropology, medical anthropology, and archaeology. All require a minimum of 15 credit hours in anthropology.

General Anthropology Emphasis

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Required Courses:		9
ANTH 102	Being Human: An Introduction to Social and Cultural Anthropology	
ANTH 103	Introduction to Human Evolution	
ANTH 339	Ethnographic and Qualitative Research Methods	
<i>100-, 200-, 300-level ANTH courses</i>		6
Total Credit Hours		15

Medical Anthropology Emphasis

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Required Courses:		9
ANTH 102	Being Human: An Introduction to Social and Cultural Anthropology	
ANTH 103	Introduction to Human Evolution	
ANTH 215	Health, Culture, and Disease: An Introduction to Medical Anthropology	
<i>Health and Illness related courses:</i>		6
ANTH 300	Global Health Design in Uganda	
ANTH 302	Darwinian Medicine	
ANTH 303	Interdisciplinary Solutions to Global Health Issues	
ANTH 316	Current Global Health Events	
ANTH 328	Medical Anthropology and Public Health	

ANTH 329	Anthropological Perspectives of Migration and Health
ANTH 335	Illegal Drugs and Society
ANTH 345	Ethnicity, Gender, and Mental Health
ANTH 354	Health and Healing in East Asia
ANTH 359	Introduction to Global Health
ANTH 360	Global Politics of Reproduction
ANTH 369D	The Anthropology of Nutrition
ANTH 371	Culture, Behavior, and Person: Psychological Anthropology
ANTH 376	Topics in the Anthropology of Health and Medicine

Total Credit Hours **15**

Archaeology Emphasis

Code	Title	Credit Hours
Required Courses:		9
ANTH 102	Being Human: An Introduction to Social and Cultural Anthropology	
ANTH 103	Introduction to Human Evolution	
ANTH 107	Archaeology: An Introduction	
<i>Archaeology Courses:</i>		6
ANTH 331	The Most Ancient Near East	
ANTH 333	Roots of Ancient India: Archaeology of South Asia	
ANTH 344	Archaeology of the Ancient World	
ANTH 399	Independent Study	