

# School of Education

## Undergraduate Programs

### Secondary Education

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#### Foreign Language: Italian

In addition to the General Secondary Requirements, students interested in Italian as their concentration must complete the following:

- Students selecting this field are required to complete at least 30 credits in Italian, not including:

ITL 101, 102, 111

- At least 6 credits must be taken at the 400 level
- No more than 3 credits from ITL 391, 392, or 395
- At least 15 credits in Italian must be taken at URI

Please note the following:

- Prior to enrollment in EDC 430 (Methods and Materials of Secondary Teaching), students must take an oral proficiency and writing proficiency exam in their target language. If a student does not pass the proficiency assessments, additional course work may be required. Therefore, it is suggested that students see their advisor early in their fifth semester to sign up for the assessments. In the oral proficiency exam, students must demonstrate the ability to fully participate in casual conversations, express facts, give instructions, describe, report, and provide narration about current, past and future activities in a manner understandable to native speakers not used to dealing with foreigners.
- Students may complete 24 credits in a second foreign language for an additional certification. The same course restrictions above apply.
- Students are urged to spend at least one semester in a country in which the target language is spoken.