



**Master of Arts in Teaching**  
**Secondary Education**  
**Content Competencies**  
**Spanish Language Endorsement (PreK-12)**

*This form is to notify MAT candidates of the content competency areas that are required for the Virginia Teaching Licensure and assist you in completing these requirements.*

Student Information		
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(Student ID)
Bachelor's Degree:		

Guidelines	Helpful Contact Info
1. Candidates should have completed a <b>bachelor's degree</b> with a major in a foreign language or a degree in a related field. If undergraduate major is not relevant to endorsement, gaps will be filled through completion of missing competencies.	<a href="mailto:contentcompevals@liberty.edu">contentcompevals@liberty.edu</a>
2. Candidates must document a <b>minimum of 30 semester hours of foreign language</b> content courses spread throughout the four areas below.	<a href="mailto:gradtransfer@liberty.edu">gradtransfer@liberty.edu</a>
3. Courses from a Bachelor's and/or Post-baccalaureate degree, including CLEP/DANTES, can satisfy the competencies.	<a href="mailto:gate2@liberty.edu">gate2@liberty.edu</a>
4. Every subject in <b>each area requires at least one course</b> in order to be considered complete. <b>One course may be used for more than one competency</b> ; however the <b>credit hours may only be counted once</b> towards the overall total. <b>*Duplicate content may not be used to fulfill Content Competencies.</b>	<a href="mailto:gate3@liberty.edu">gate3@liberty.edu</a>
5. Any Incomplete Competencies displayed in this must be completed <b>prior</b> to student teaching.	<a href="mailto:educ@liberty.edu">educ@liberty.edu</a>
6. <b>Passing Praxis II scores</b> must be submitted with the Gate 3 packet <b>prior to student teaching.</b>	PH: 1-800-424-9595
Bachelor's Degree in Spanish: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	

Competency	Course # and Title	Institution	Credit Hours	Met
Courses in Advanced Spanish Grammar & Composition				
Spanish Conversation				
Spanish Culture & Civilization				
Spanish Literature				
A minimum of three (3) semester hours of "Methods of Teaching Foreign Languages" at the elementary and secondary levels.				
Total Hours:			0	
Required Hours:			30	

**\*NOTE: Students who have learned a Foreign Language without formal academic credit in a college or university must complete the following requirements:**

- Achieved a **qualifying score ("advanced low") on the ACTFL OPI (Oral Proficiency Interview) and WPT (Writing Proficiency Test)**  
**\*\* ACTFL Testing Information - Language Testing International (LTI) website: <https://www.languagetesting.com/>**  
*(The Board of Education has approved the use of ACTFL Oral Proficiency Interview, and the Writing Proficiency Test to allow native speakers or candidates who have learned a foreign language without formal academic credit in a college or university to meet the foreign language endorsement requirements by demonstrating proficiency on both the oral and written assessments and by taking 3 semester hours of methods of teaching foreign languages at the elementary and secondary levels.)*
- Earned a **minimum of 3 semester hours of "methods of teaching foreign languages"** at the elementary and secondary levels from an accredited college or university in the United States.

Note: All courses must have a prefix that matches the discipline of the competency.  
**\*Please see incompletes listed above.**  
**\*\*\*Grade Requirements:** All content competencies must receive a final grade of C or higher.

Status	<b>INCOMPLETE</b>
Evaluator	
Date	
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