

Student Learning Outcomes for the Anthropology Minor:

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<u>Learning Outcomes</u>	<u>Courses:</u>	<u>KSU SLO's</u>
Anthropological Content: Basic knowledge of the holistic four-field nature of anthropology and the concept of culture as used by contemporary anthropologists	ANTH 200, 204, 210, 220, 260, 280, 602	Knowledge
Cultural Diversity: Awareness and appreciation of cultural diversity	ANTH 200, 204, 210, 505, 508, 510, 515, 220, 517, 524, 526, 536, 618, 630, 634	Diversity Knowledge
Cultural Relativity: Understanding of cultural relativity and how it differs from moral relativity	ANTH 200, 204, 210, 220, 602	Diversity Knowledge
<i>At least two of the following will apply to the minor:</i>		
Linguistic Knowledge: Understand the role of culture and language in shaping world view (linguistics)	ANTH 220, 514, 792	Knowledge Diversity
Intercultural Communication: Understand the skills required for effective cross-cultural communication (linguistics)	ANTH 220, 514	Communication Diversity
Dynamic Nature of Culture: Understand culture as a dynamic system of adaptation through knowledge of major cultural developments through time and across the globe (archaeology)	ANTH 260, 533, 570, 676	Knowledge
Humans as Biocultural Beings: Understanding of the integration of human biology and culture (physical anthropology)	ANTH 200, 204, 210, 220, 280, 680, 688, 694, 695	Knowledge Diversity

Student Learning Outcomes for the Anthropology Major and Minor

Anthropology is comprised of four primary subdisciplines: cultural anthropology, archaeology, linguistic anthropology, and physical anthropology. Requirements for the Anthropology Major direct students towards a broad understanding of anthropology through introductory exploration of each of the four subdisciplines and high-level training in at least three of these subdisciplines. Anthropology Majors are also required to take a capstone course of Anthropological Theory. The latter course is not required for the Anthropology Minor (as it is generally geared for preparation for graduate or further professional training). The requirements for a Minor in Anthropology are three of the four subdisciplinary introductory courses and three upper-level anthropology courses in at least two of the subdisciplines. The more limited breadth of the Anthropology Minor results in fewer student learning outcomes, including omission of the 'Anthropological Theory' and 'Research Methods' SLOs and fewer of the more specific subdisciplinary SLOs. Depending on the student's choice of introductory and higher-level anthropology courses, the student learning outcomes pertaining to 'Linguistic Knowledge,' 'Intercultural Communication,' the 'Dynamic Nature of Culture,' and 'Humans as Biocultural Beings' may not be applicable.