Students are admitted to UCSC with a "proposed major" in most cases, and later petition to officially declare the major. Admission to UCSC does not guarantee acceptance into a particular major. Junior transfer students must be officially declared in a major by the deadline in their second quarter of enrollment.

**Major:** SPANISH STUDIES

**Qualification requirements and/or prerequisites for the major:**

Students must successfully complete Spanish 4 or SpHS 4 or have demonstrated equivalent proficiency, prior to declaring the major.

**Transfer students who intend to pursue this major should do the following prior to the beginning of their first term...**

Students should take the UCSC language placement exam as soon as possible.

...and should take these courses their first term:

- Linguistics 50: *Introduction to Linguistics*
- Spanish 4: *Second Year Spanish* or SpHS 4: *Spanish for Heritage Speakers*

If unable to enroll in courses listed above:

Enroll in an alternate class of your choosing, and sign up for the wait list when available.

**Skills important for success in this major:**

Critical reading skills and analytical writing abilities in Spanish and English.

**Links to More Information:**

- [http://admissions.ucsc.edu/academics/majors/](http://admissions.ucsc.edu/academics/majors/) (general info)
- [http://registrar.ucsc.edu/catalog/programs-courses/](http://registrar.ucsc.edu/catalog/programs-courses/) (major requirements, course descriptions, etc.)
- [http://language.ucsc.edu/undergraduate/spanish-studies-major/](http://language.ucsc.edu/undergraduate/spanish-studies-major/) (program website)
- [http://www.assist.org/web-assist/welcome.html](http://www.assist.org/web-assist/welcome.html) (transfer credit info)

**Questions? Contact an Adviser!**

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