



**Associate in Arts at Harper College to Bachelor's Degree in Hispanic Studies at Illinois Wesleyan University**

*This is a suggested course pattern. Students must work with their advisor and the Chair of the WLLC department to develop a curriculum plan that meets their scheduling needs. \*\* indicates course needed for the major. + indicates an IWU graduation requirement.*

*Study abroad is highly recommended. Consult with your advisor as soon as possible and look at the opportunities listed in the IWU [Study Abroad](#) page.*

<b>HARPER COLLEGE</b>			
<b>FIRST YEAR</b>	<b>COURSE NAME</b>	<b>CREDIT HOURS</b>	
		<b>FALL</b>	<b>SPRING</b>
ENG 101	Composition	3	
SPA 101	Elementary Spanish I	4	
Elective	Elective	3	
IAI Life Science	IAI Life or Physical Sci	3	
IAI Math	Any IAI Math	3	
ENG 102	Composition		3
SPA 102	Elementary Spanish II		4
Elective	Elective		3
IAI Social Behavioral Sci	Any IAI Social Behavioral Science		3
IAI Physical Science	IAI Life or Physical Sci (one science must include lab)		4
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>SECOND YEAR</b>	<b>COURSE NAME</b>	<b>CREDIT HOURS</b>	
		<b>FALL</b>	<b>SPRING</b>
SPE 101	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3	
SPA 201+	Intermediate Spanish I	4	
Elective	Elective	3	
IAI Humanities/Fine Arts	Any IAI Humanities/Fine Arts	3	
Elective	Elective	3	
Spanish 202**	Intermediate Spanish II (Humanities) (IWU SPAN 203)		4
Elective	Elective		3
IAI Fine Arts	Any IAI Fine Arts		3
IAI Social Behavioral Sci	Any IAI Social Behavioral Science		3
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<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>

- See [Diversity Requirement](https://www.harpercollege.edu/catalog/handbook/requirements/diversity.php) for Harper College  
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- At Harper College, choose a (U) US Diversity course from recommended list to meet IWU graduation requirements. **US Diversity options:** HST 111, HST 112, MUS 104, MUS 106, PSC 101, SOC 230, SOC 235, THE 121. The Global Diversity requirement is met with courses in the major.

ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY			
THIRD YEAR	COURSE NAME	UNIT HOURS	
		FALL	SPRING
<b>Spanish 320-339</b> SPAN 2xx-4xx 1xx - 4xx 1xx - 4xx	Course 1 of 2 in the Cultures and Identities area	1	
	Elective in the major 1 of 4	1	
	Elective	1	
	Elective	1	
			1
<b>Spanish 307</b> SPAN 2xx-4xx Elective 1xx - 4xx Elective 1xx - 4xx	Reading and Writing Culture (W, G)		1
	Elective in the major 2 of 4 (upper level if needed)		1
	Elective		1
	Elective		1
<b>Total Units</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>
FOURTH YEAR	COURSE NAME	UNIT HOURS	
		FALL	SPRING
<b>Spanish 320-339</b> <b>Spanish 340-369</b> SPAN/LC 2xx-4xx Elective 1xx - 4xx	Course 2 of 2 in Cultures and Identities area	1	
	Course 1 of 2 in Texts and Con(texts) area	1	
	Elective in the major 3 of 4 (upper level if needed)	1	
	Elective	1	
			1
<b>Spanish 340-369</b> SPAN 2xx-4xx Elective 1xx - 4xx Elective 1xx - 4xx	Course 2 of 2 in Texts and Con(texts) area		1
	Elective in the major 4 of 4		1
	Elective (upper level if needed)		1
	Elective (upper level if needed)		1
<b>Total Units</b>		<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>

Students should follow the Associates in Arts degree at Harper as opposed to the Associates in Science degree. The AA degree includes the Gen Ed Certificate, which is a complete package of transferable General Education Core Courses (GECC).

- AP scores of 3, 4 and 5 and Standard level IB scores of 5 or higher will receive 1 unit of credit.
- Remedial math courses may be needed to prepare for the math requirement. However, remedial courses will not transfer to IWU. Adjust schedule and hour requirements accordingly to complete degree.
- The Spanish 201 course may also be met by earning a 4 or 5 on the Spanish AP exam.
- Students should complete a minimum of 64 semester hours, not including remedial or PE courses, at Harper to be on track to complete their bachelor's degree in a total of four years.
- Students are required, at minimum, to complete 16 units of coursework at IWU including half of all major requirements.
- IWU Graduation requirements: 32 total courses and 32 total units with 9 courses and 9 units of upper-level courses. (1 IWU unit = 4 semester hours)

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