Textbooks are required for most language classes. Prices vary from $20-$65 and are not included in the tuition price.

**CHINESE I**

With the world shrinking and with China growing every day as an economic and political power, learning Chinese has become increasingly important. In this introduction to the study of modern Mandarin Chinese, students will develop basic competence in speaking, listening, reading and writing. Emphasis will be on daily conversation. Chinese culture also will be explored. Textbook fee of $27 is payable to the instructor at the first class session.

- **LCH B01-01, GLBRK S**, 8 Thu., 1/22, 7-9:30 pm, $154 CRN 40245
- **LCH B01-02, ETHS**, 8 Tue., 1/27, 8-9:30 pm, $99 CRN 40059

**CHINESE II**

Grow in your speaking, listening, reading and writing ability. Emphasis will be on daily conversation. Chinese culture will also be explored. Continuation of Chinese I.

- **LCH B02-01, GLBRK S**, 8 Thu., 4/9, 7-9:30 pm CRN 40246

**FRENCH II**

This intermediate-level course is designed for those who have completed French I or its equivalent. Using a strong audio-lingual approach and techniques, classes will provide students with continuing skill development for communicating in French.

- **LFR B02-01, ETHS**, 12 Wed., 1/28, 6-8 pm CRN 40247

**GERMAN I**

Learn to converse in German. Basic vocabulary and pronunciation are emphasized. No class 2/16, 3/2, 3/23.

- **LGE B01-01, NILES N**, 8 Mon., 1/26, 7-9:30 pm CRN 40743

**GERMAN II**

Learn to converse in German. Basic vocabulary and pronunciation are emphasized.

- **LGE B02-01, NILES N**, 6 Mon., 4/13, 7-9:30 pm CRN 40744

**ITALIAN I**

This course is a great opportunity for those wanting to learn a new language and culture or for potential travelers. Students will learn basic Italian vocabulary and grammar.

- **ITL B01-01, ETHS**, 8 Mon., 1/26, 6-8:30 pm CRN 40765

**ITALIAN II**

Students will expand upon their vocabulary and grammar while exploring contemporary Italian culture.

- **ITL C02-01, MAINE E**, 8 Tue., 3/31, 7-9:30 pm CRN 40242

**CONTINUATION OF ITALIAN II**

Students will expand upon their vocabulary and grammar while exploring contemporary Italian culture. No textbook is required. Handouts will be provided.

- **ITL E03-01, MAINE E**, 8 Thu., 1/29, 7-9:30 pm CRN 40243

**CONTINUATION OF ITALIAN III**

Students will expand upon their vocabulary and grammar while exploring contemporary Italian culture. No textbook is required. Handouts will be provided.

- **ITL E09-01, MAINE E**, 8 Thu., 4/2, 7-9:30 pm CRN 40244

**SPANISH I**

Learn the basics of the second most widely spoken language in the U.S. Provides an introduction to basic Spanish grammar, vocabulary and pronunciation.

- **LSP B01-01, MAINE W**, 8 Wed., 1/28, 7-9:30 pm CRN 40248
- **LSP B01-02, ETHS**, 8 Mon., 2/22, 7-9:30 pm CRN 40249
- **LSP B01-03, ETHS**, 8 Thu., 2/25, 7-9:30 pm CRN 40250
- **LSP B01-04, NILES N**, 8 Wed., 4/8, 7-9:30 pm CRN 40251
SPANISH II  FEE: $154
Improve your vocabulary and conversational skills.
LSP B02-01, NILES N, 8 Wed., 1/28, 7-9:30 pm  CRN 40252
LSPB02-02, ETHS, 8 Tue., 2/3, 7-9:30 pm  CRN 40253
LSPB02-03, MAINE W, 8 Wed., 4/1, 7-9:30 pm  CRN 40254

SPANISH III  FEE: $154
Continue to improve your Spanish vocabulary and conversational skills.
LSP E13-01, ETHS, 8 Mon., 3/23, 7-9:30 pm  CRN 40258

CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH I  FEE: $154
This conversation course is for students who have a good knowledge of the Spanish language. The goal is to help students express themselves. Very little English will be spoken in this class.
LSP B08-01, ETHS, 8 Thu., 3/26, 7-9:30 pm  CRN 40255

CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH II  FEE: $154
This advanced course is for students who have a good command of the Spanish language. Conversation is greatly emphasized. Little to no English will be spoken in this class.
LSP E09-01, ETHS, 8 Wed., 3/25, 7-9:30 pm  CRN 40257

HIGH ADVANCED SPANISH - PRONUNCIATION  FEE: $184
The objective of this class is to improve the fluency and conversational skills in the Spanish language. The class will focus on speaking skills for academic and business professionals. Students will also learn about Latin culture, workplace etiquette, slang and idiomatic expressions. Focus is on individual sounds, stress patterns and intonation, everyday language and common core academic terms.
LSP C05-01, ETHS, 10 Tue., 3/24, 7-9:30 pm  CRN 40256

SIGN LANGUAGE I  FEE: $154
In this introductory class, learn to communicate on a basic level with those who sign. Finger spelling and the common nouns for a variety of situations will be covered. Deaf culture and attitudes also will be discussed.
COM B08-01, Niles N, 9 Wed., 2/4, 7-9:15 pm  CRN 40152

World Cultures

New!
UNDERSTANDING ISLAM SERIES  FEE: $50 for series
Through a variety of formats, this series of three classes will address topics related to Islam. Instead of confining itself strictly to a discussion of religion, the series will address a wide range of topics concerning Muslims and their place in the modern world. Students may register for the series at a discount or for individual classes (listed below).
HIS E56-01, OC/DP, 3 Wed., 4/15, 7-9 pm  CRN 40208

MUSLIMS 101  FEE: $19
Explore the ethnic, cultural, and social heritage of Muslims throughout the world. Gain insight into the unexpected diversity of Muslims as a people.
HIS E87-01, OC/DP, 1 Wed., 4/15, 7-9 pm  CRN 40209

UNDERSTANDING RAMADAN  FEE: $19
Ramadan is the ninth month of the Islamic calendar. During this month, Muslims throughout the world fulfill one of the fundamental practices of Islam: fasting. Along with the fast, we will discuss additional aspects associated with the month, such as spirituality and prayer, almsgiving, and religious observance.
HIS E97-01, OC/DP, 1 Wed., 4/22, 7-9 pm  CRN 40210

THE HAJJ: A PILGRIMAGE TO MECCA  FEE: $19
The Arabic word for pilgrimage is hajj. The hajj takes place in Mecca, Saudi Arabia, where millions of Muslims gather annually to follow in the footsteps of religious figures. The course will include a short lecture, and then segue into the National Geographic film, Inside Mecca. The film offers an intimate view of the struggles and successes of three pilgrims – a South African, a Malaysian, and an American – as they journey to Mecca to perform their religious rites.
HIS E52-01, OC/DP, 1 Wed., 4/29, 7-9 pm  CRN 40211
THE HEART OF ISLAM FEE: $110
The text for this class is The Heart of Islam, by Seyyed Hossein Nasr, who offers understanding of Islam by comparing and contrasting it with Judaism, Christianity, Hinduism, Buddhism, Zoroastrianism, and Taoism. The eight-week course will focus on one chapter each week. The instructor is Rabhi Salhi, Oakton Community College faculty.
PSE C02-73, ETHS, 8 Thu., 2/5, 6-7:30 pm CRN 40816