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Playing a vital role in the liberal arts curriculum, the Department of Modern Languages at The University of Mississippi offers superior instruction to undergraduates in nine foreign languages (Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, Russian, and Spanish) as well as linguistics. Students with 30 hours of language study who wish to deepen their knowledge and perfect their language skills may pursue a Master of Arts degree in Modern Languages with an emphasis in French, German, Spanish or the Teaching of English as a Second Language (TESL).

Through scholarship, industry, and perseverance students attain the high level of professional and academic competence that the faculty in Modern Languages demonstrates. Students with the M.A. in Modern Languages will be ready for a variety of challenging and rewarding careers.

With long-standing programs in French, German and Spanish, the Department of Modern Languages has recently added TESL to its graduate offerings. The Department has a young and dynamic faculty and is a state leader in promoting foreign language teaching, providing many course offerings in culture studies, film, linguistics, and literature. The Department of Modern Languages

looks favorably on students who study more than one foreign language in the Department and undergraduates who reach graduate (500) level study may count those courses toward a Master of Arts degree in Modern Languages with prior permission.

The Department of Modern Languages is located in Bondurant Hall, adjacent to the J.D. Williams Library, in the heart of campus. The Department sponsors the annual Christopher C. Longest Lecture as well as many talks and workshops throughout the year. Small classes and frequent professorial contact within its programs make for a close-knit community of students and faculty. The advantages of small academic seminars are complemented by the social, sport, and cultural opportunities of a great American university in a vibrant campus town, not far from the larger cities of Memphis and Tupelo. The Department of Modern Languages offers the following kinds of financial assistance: the Price Scholarship, graduate research assistantships, and teaching assistantships, all of which include medical insurance.

## Admission Requirements

Students applying to the M.A. program should consult the Modern Languages webpage for admission requirements:  
[modernlanguages.olemiss.edu/ma/](http://modernlanguages.olemiss.edu/ma/)

## Deadlines

Completed applications for admission and for departmental financial aid are due by October 1 and March 1. Applications will be considered after the deadline on a space-available basis. See the Financial Aid Office for additional deadlines that may exist.

## Financial Assistance from Modern Languages

For information on financial assistance provided by the Department of Modern Languages, please contact the Chair of the Department. For information on other kinds of financial assistance available, please see: [finaid.olemiss.edu](http://finaid.olemiss.edu)

