B.A., ALASKA NATIVE STUDIES

Minimum Requirements for Degree: 120 credits

Students must earn a C- grade or better in each course.

General University Requirements
Complete the general university requirements. (http://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors)

General Education Requirements
Complete the general education requirements. (http://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/general-education-requirements)

B.A. Degree Requirements
Complete the B.A. degree requirements. (http://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/summary-of-bachelors-degrees-reqs/#bachelorofartsandbacheloroffineartstext)

Upper Division Credits 1

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Program Requirements
ANS F101 Introduction to Alaska Native Studies 3
ANS F242X Native Cultures of Alaska 2 3
ANS F300 Alaska Native Writers Workshop 3
ANS F310 Indigenous Land Settlements 3
ANS F350 Cross-Cultural Communication: Alaska Perspectives 3
ANS F401 Cultural Knowledge of Native Elders 3
RD F350 Community Research in Indigenous Contexts 3
ANS F478 Alaska Native Studies Senior Thesis 3 3

Select 9 ANS/RD/TM/ANL elective credits 9

Concentrations
Select 21 credits from one of the following concentrations 21

Indigenous Peoples in Law, Governance and Politics
Alaska Native Knowledge, Cultural Resources and Expression
Alaska Native People: Health, Wellness and Environment

Total Credits 93

1 Non-Fairbanks campus students choosing a minor other than rural development must verify that the required courses can be accessed via distance before declaring that minor. Courses used in the concentration area may be double-counted for the minor.

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3 Fulfills the baccalaureate capstone requirement. Students may substitute RD F475 with department chair approval.

Concentrations
These are recommended courses. Course substitutions up to nine credits may be made with approval of the faculty advisor.

INDIGENOUS PEOPLES IN LAW, GOVERNANCE AND POLITICS
Prepares students to participate and represent their communities in the tribal, local, state and national arenas. For students interested in public service and/or legal careers.

Program Requirements
ANS F112/RD F110 Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act: Land Claims in the 21st Century 1
ANS F111X History of Colonization in Alaska: The Indigenous Response 1 3
ANS/RD F315 Tribal People and Development 3
ANS/PS F325 Native Self-Government 3
ANS/PS F425 Federal Indian Law and Alaska Natives 3
ANS/PS F450 Comparative Indigenous Rights and Policies 3
ANS F458 The Politics of Indigenous Identity 3
ANS F467 Beyond Violence: Alaska Native Healing and Justice 3
ANS F475 Alaska Native Social Change 3
PLS F280 Legal Research and Writing for Paralegals 3
RD F265 Perspectives on Subsistence in Alaska 3
RD F470 The Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act: Pre-1971 to Present 3
RD F492 Rural Development Seminar 2 1-3
TM F201 Tribal Government in Alaska II 3

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2 Students need to take the Legislative Seminar offering of RD F492, not the Cultural Resources Seminar, to count toward this concentration.

ALASKA NATIVE KNOWLEDGE, CULTURAL RESOURCES AND EXPRESSION
Prepares students for careers involving literature, cultural preservation, cultural resource management and the performing arts.

Program Requirements
ANS F112/RD F110 Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act: Land Claims in the 21st Century 1
ANS F111X History of Colonization in Alaska: The Indigenous Response 1 3
ANS F160 Alaska Native Dance (Fairbanks only) 1
ANS F202X Aesthetic Appreciation of Alaska Native Performance 1 3
ANS F223X Alaska Native Music (Fairbanks only) 1 3
ANS F251 Practicum in Native Cultural Expression (Fairbanks only) 1-3
ANS F268 Beginning Native Art Studio (Fairbanks only) 3
ANS/RD F315 Tribal People and Development 3
ANS F348 Native North American Women 3
ANS F349 Narrative Art of Alaska Native Peoples (in English Translation) 3
### ALASKA NATIVE PEOPLES: HEALTH, WELLNESS AND ENVIRONMENT

Prepares students to utilize traditional knowledge to promote healthy environments and communities. Useful to students on career tracks in health, environmental stewardship and wellness programs.

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