

PLACEMENT GUIDE FOR COURSES

III. For students who have an IB diploma and IB scores on record at Virginia Tech:

Read the following webpage for information on IB scores and credit at Virginia Tech <https://www.registrar.vt.edu/Advanced-Standing-Transferable-Credit.html> (click on "International Baccalaureate IB Credit").

Consult with a language advisor in order to determine initial course placement.

IV. For transfer students:

Enroll in the next sequential course after the one for which you have received transfer credit. If you feel that you are not prepared for the next sequential course, you may retake the class for which you have transfer credit, although doing so will result in loss of the transfer credit.

V. For native and heritage speakers:

Generally, native speakers should begin their course with 3304. Heritage speakers (people who use the language at home at least some of the time and who completed most of their education in English) tend to start with 3105, 3106, or a literature class, depending on their experience with the language.

VI. Advisors:

Students who do not already have an assigned advisor in their chosen language should contact the program director of that language:

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