the world languages, literatures & cultures department

UW-Superior’s Department of World Languages, Literatures, and Cultures focuses on the study of languages, literatures and cultures from an international perspective. The department offers majors and minors in English and English Education, as well as a language program in Spanish. The department also offers a variety of correlated language Study Away programs.

the language arts program

The Language Arts minor is approved by the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction for students seeking Elementary Education teaching licensure with additional certification to teach Language Arts at the middle school level. Elementary Education majors choose the Language Arts minor for a variety of reasons, including teaching students to read and write for learning and to live as broadly literate members of society.

Language Arts instructors have a wealth of classroom experience in teaching language arts and have doctorates or advanced degrees in the field. Additionally, practicing classroom teachers are involved in the minor coursework as course instructors and mentors; they provide you with direct experience working with students in the Language Arts.

Graduates use their Language Arts minor to strengthen their resumes as they apply for jobs. As a highly qualified teacher of Language Arts, they have knowledge and experience to work effectively with the literacy development of students. Beginning teachers with a specific, deep knowledge of Language Arts and literacy are sought out by school districts.

Find out more about UW-Superior’s Language Arts program online at uwsuper.edu/acaddept/wllc.

alumni accounts

“I love to read! Reading has been a powerful and positive experience in my life. I want to encourage all children to read so they can experience the endless possibilities.”

“I have always loved to read, and want to help my students find that same love. Reading is communication, and communication permeates our lives every day. Reading is crucial in all aspects of life. Without communication and the printed word, we are alone.”

“Literacy is the fundamental need of our students. In order to ensure that every student has the chance to succeed in school and in life, he/she needs a rich and meaningful education in reading/language arts.”

“I want to pass my understanding and passion for reading and language arts on to the students I teach. Reading is all around us, and an important part of our lives. I am excited to help my future students acquire and enjoy this lifelong skill!”

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graduate programs

The Language Arts Program at UW-Superior offers graduate programs that focus on the analysis and teaching of literature, language, and literacy. These programs provide students with the opportunity to deepen their understanding of the language arts and to develop the skills necessary to become effective educators in the field.

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campus tours

A visit to UW-Superior offers an opportunity to tour our campus and meet with an Admissions counselor. We can arrange for you to meet a professor and sit in on a class of your choice. To arrange a tour, contact Admissions at admissions@uwsuper.edu or 715-394-8230.