

# MILLERSVILLE UNIVERSITY

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student I.D.# \_\_\_\_\_

DEGREE: BA  
MAJOR: ANTH  
OPTION:

## MAJOR REQUIREMENTS FOR A BA DEGREE IN ANTHROPOLOGY

Total credit hours required: 120.0 minimum

### REQUIREMENTS AND POLICIES FOR THE BA ANTHROPOLOGY MAJOR

#### A. Policies for Admission to the Major

1. New students (freshmen and transfers) must be admitted to the Anthropology major by the Office of Admissions upon admission to the University.
2. Admission into the Anthropology major from other departments is upon approval of the chairperson of the Sociology / Anthropology Department.
3. Non-degree and continuing education students must be admitted to the Anthropology major by the Office of Admissions.

#### B. Policies for Retention in the Major

1. University requirements for retention.
2. The Departmental Sophomore Review is a mandatory, non-graded activity designed primarily to enhance our departmental advising. Students cannot "fail " the review, and no student will be dismissed from the department based on a poor performance. The review will take place after the completion of 45 semester hours but no later than the semester following the completion of 60 semester hours. For students transferring into the major with more than 45 semester hours, the review will normally take place during the semester following their admission into the department. The review consists of a half-hour interview with the student, the student's adviser, and the department chairperson. The student is required to submit an essay and resume to the interview committee one week prior to the scheduled conference. If the student fails to participate in the review, she/he will be placed on probation-in-the-major for one semester, during which time she/he will be given a final opportunity to complete the review process. Failure to complete the review during the probationary period may result in the student being removed from the major. Students may appeal their dismissals to the department through either their adviser or the department chairperson.

#### C. Policies for Completion of the Major

1. Completion of all University curricular requirements.

**Note to the student:** *This form is provided as a guide. It is your responsibility to consult regularly with your adviser to be aware of changes and curriculum details which are not incorporated on this form.*