Arabic, Minor

The Arabic minor focuses on two specific outcomes: developing students' linguistic proficiency and broadening their insights into Arab cultures so that students may engage in meaningful interactions with Arabic speakers throughout the world. The communication skills and transcultural awareness that students develop throughout the course of the minor prepare them for a wide range of opportunities and experiences, both in and beyond the classroom.

Minor Requirements

Complete all courses listed below unless otherwise indicated. Also complete any corequisite labs, recitations, clinicals, or tools courses where specified.

Students will be required to take a total of five classes. These classes may include courses and language classes at or above the intermediate level in Dialogues of Civilization at Northeastern University. A maximum of two courses of transfer credits, including transferable courses taken abroad, may count toward the five classes in the minor.

Required Culture Course

Code	Title	Hours
CLTR 1120	Introduction to Languages, Literature, and Culture	
or ARAB 3101	Advanced Arabic 1	

Required Language Courses

Students may replace one or both of the following courses with electives if they successfully complete the language exam in the World Languages Center. See the electives list for options.

Code	Title	Hours
ARAB 2101	Intermediate Arabic 1	4
ARAB 2102	Intermediate Arabic 2	4

Electives

Please consult with the coordinator of the Arabic minor for specific course availability.

Title	Hours
Advanced Arabic 1 (If not used for other requirements)	
Directed Study	
Introduction to Arabic Culture	
Cultural Engagement Abroad	
Introduction to Middle Eastern History	
Modern Middle East	
Middle East Studies	
America and the Middle East	
Islam: Rituals, Traditions, and Debates	
Government and Politics in the Middle East	
	Advanced Arabic 1 (If not used for other requirements) Directed Study Introduction to Arabic Culture Cultural Engagement Abroad Introduction to Middle Eastern History Modern Middle East Middle East Studies America and the Middle East Islam: Rituals, Traditions, and Debates

GPA Requirement

2.000 GPA required in the minor