| **LUC Foreign Language Exams**  
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| Placement Exam  
(Cannot fulfill requirements.) | Students who want to continue language studies in Spanish, French or German. | The exam can be taken online via the LLRC website www.luc.edu/llrc. (For questions, contact: Mr. David Pankratz, 773-508-2846, dpankrat@luc.edu) |
| Placement in other languages  
(Cannot fulfill requirements.) | Students who want to continue language studies in another language offered at LUC. | Contact the corresponding Foreign Language (FL) Placement Coordinator - http://www.luc.edu/modernlang/languageplacement/foreignlanguage/placementcoordinators/ |
| **CAS/IES/SOC Competency Exam**  
(formerly called Proficiency Exam)  
This exam tests for competency at the level typically attained by completing 102. | This is one option for students who need to fulfill the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS), Institute of Environmental Sustainability (IES), or School of Communication (SOC) foreign language graduation requirement. The competency exam is coordinated by CAS, IES, and SOC. Not all students must take this exam. To meet the foreign language requirement, one of the following is necessary:  
-Score a 3 or higher on a high school Advanced Placement foreign language test, or score a 4 or higher on a high school Advanced Placement foreign language literature test.  
-Take one foreign language course at the 102 level or higher and complete it with a C- or above.  
-Pass the CAS/IES/SOC competency exam. | CAS students (for Chinese (Mandarin), French, German, Italian, Japanese, Latin, or Spanish):  
College of Arts & Sciences, LSC: Sullivan Center 235, 773-508-3500;  
WTC: Lewis Towers 930, 312-915-6520.  
CAS students (for all other languages):  
Visit: www.luc.edu/cas/language.html for available languages. Contact CASLanguageTesting@luc.edu. LSC: Sullivan Center 235, 773-508-3500.  
IES students:  
Dr. Christopher Peterson, Professor and Academic Program Director, Institute of Environmental Sustainability, BVM Hall, 3rd floor, 773-508-2130, cpeters@luc.edu  
SOC students:  
Dr. Shawna Cooper-Gibson, Assistant Dean, School of Communication, 51 E. Pearson, 2nd floor, 312-915-6548, scoopergibson@luc.edu |
| Competency exam at a level higher than 102: Spanish, French, Italian, German, Chinese (Mandarin), or Japanese | CAS students who need to demonstrate competency in Spanish, French, Italian, German, Chinese (Mandarin), or Japanese at a level higher than 102. For example, International Studies majors. | College of Arts & Sciences, LSC: Sullivan Center 235, 773-508-3500; WTC: Lewis Towers 930, 312-915-6520. |
| Competency exam at a level higher than 102: other languages | CAS students who need to demonstrate competency at a level higher than 102 in a language not mentioned in the box above. | First, the program head or dean of the division requesting the assessment. That person should contact the corresponding Foreign Language (FL) Placement Coordinator - http://www.luc.edu/modernlang/languageplacement/foreignlanguage/placementcoordinators/ |
| School of Education oral proficiency exam | School of Education students seeking certification in teaching French, Italian or Spanish. | Please visit  
http://www.luc.edu/education/illinoiscertificationlinks/oralproficiencyinterview  
for instructions on how to register for this exam. |
| Research Tool Requirement | As per the Graduate School website, Academic Policies section: http://www.luc.edu/gradschool/academics_policies.shtml#mozToCId150217  
“Several [graduate] programs have established a ‘research tool’ requirement (e.g., knowledge of a foreign language, proficiency in statistics) to ensure that students are adequately prepared to conduct research in their field.” | Students in Graduate School programs should contact their Graduate Program Director. Students in the Spanish M.A. program should contact D. Scott Hendrickson, S.J. D.Phil, Graduate Program Director, 773-508-7364, dhendrickson@luc.edu |