

**REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MASTER OF ARTS**  
**DODGE FAMILY COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES**  
**THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA**

Academic Year
For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education Summer 2024 through Spring 2025

General Requirements	
Minimum Total Hours (Thesis) .....	30
Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis) .....	32

Program
German
M490
Master of Arts

**Minimum Total Hours (Thesis):** 30  
**Minimum Total Hours (Non-Thesis):** 32

**Program Code:** M490

## Required Courses

### Thesis Option

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
MLLL 5073	Contemporary Literary Criticism	3
GERM 5980	Research for Master's Thesis	6
<b>Electives</b>		
Choose 21 additional hours, selected in consultation with the student's advisor and committee		21
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>30</b>

### Non-Thesis Option

Code	Title	Credit Hours
<b>Required Courses</b>		
MLLL 5073	Contemporary Literary Criticism	3
<b>Electives</b>		
Choose 29 additional hours, selected in consultation with the student's advisor and committee		29
<b>Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>32</b>

## Notes

- No more than one-half of the credits for the degree (OU, or OU and transfer combined), excluding research for the thesis (GERM 5980), may be S/U graded coursework.

## General Requirements for all Master's Degrees

The master's degree requires the equivalent of *at least* two semesters of satisfactory graduate work and additional work as may be prescribed for the degree.

All coursework applied to the master's degree must carry graduate credit.

Master's degree programs which require a thesis consist of *at least* 30 credit hours. All non-thesis master's degree programs require *at least* 30 credit hours.

Credit transferred from other institutions must meet specific criteria and is subject to certain limitations.

Courses completed through correspondence study may *not* be applied to the master's degree.

To qualify for a graduate degree, students must achieve an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher in the degree program coursework and in all resident

graduate coursework attempted. A student must also have at least a 3.0 in all coursework (including undergraduate coursework if any).

Additional information for master's degree students may be found in the Graduate College Bulletin.

More information in the catalog: (<http://ou-public.courseleaf.com/dodge-arts-sciences/modern-languages-literatures-linguistics/german-master-arts/>).