Enrolling in one of these courses will equip you with academic literacy within the U.S. system of higher education and PSU specifically, as well as support your academic goals development and success.

Credits earned in these courses can be applied towards Arts & Letters elective credits toward a undergraduate degree for most majors. The cost of each course is $482, which is more affordable than the 1 credit non-resident undergraduate tuition ($608). Students who wish to access IELP Learning Center resources will be able to opt-in with $140 fee. The resources include but not limited to weekly individual tutoring and conversation partner sessions.

Hybrid Course Offerings for Undergraduate Students

LING 171: Pathways Introduction Seminar, CRN:14624, 2 credits
This course aims to equip advanced multilingual learners with the academic literacy to set their short-term and long-term educational goals. Students are introduced to university resources, policies, and engagement opportunities, and are preparing to begin undergraduate academic coursework in their current or next term of study. (Tuesdays, 12:00PM-1:50PM and Online)

LING 173: Pathways Final Seminar, CRN: 15581, 2 credits
This course concludes students' preparation for full-time academic study. The focus of this course is goal development, linking academic coursework, co-curricular and extra-curricular opportunities, and career development as part of independently directing their academic planning. (Thursdays, 12:00PM-1:50PM and Online)

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