

# WILP WILXO'OSKWHL NISGA'A INSTITUTE



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## CERTIFICATE IN NISGA'A STUDIES

### Certificate Requirements:

\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 200-3 Methods and Perspectives in First Nations Studies  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 217-3 Contemporary Challenges Facing Aboriginal Communities

### Six of the following:

\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 139-3 Nisga'a Language, Level 1  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 140-3 Nisga'a Language, Level 2  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 169-3 Nisga'a Culture, Level 1  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 170-3 Nisga'a Culture, Level 2  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 239-3 Nisga'a Language, Level 3  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 240-3 Nisga'a Language, Level 4  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 269-3 Nisga'a Culture, Level 3  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 270-3 Nisga'a Culture, Level 4

**Two courses (6 credit hours) of First Nations courses dealing with Nisga'a culture, language, or issues.**

### Selection can include FNST ancillary courses:

\_\_\_\_\_ ANTH 206-3 Ethnography in Northern British Columbia  
\_\_\_\_\_ BIOL 350-3 Ethnobiology  
\_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 320-3 First Nations Literature  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 220-3 Introduction to Linguistics  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 223-3 First Nations Language Immersion  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 303-3 First Nations Religion and Philosophy  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 304-3 First Nations Environmental Philosophy and Knowledge  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 310-3 Lisims Anadromous Summer and Fall Fisheries in Nisga'a Culture and History  
\_\_\_\_\_ FNST 311-3 The Spring Anadromous Fisheries in Nisga'a Culture and History  
\_\_\_\_\_ HIST 215-3 Global History of Indigenous Peoples  
\_\_\_\_\_ HIST 303-3 British Columbia  
\_\_\_\_\_ HIST 390-3 Aboriginal Peoples in Canada

1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_

The Certificate in Nisga'a ladders into a BACHELOR OF ARTS IN FIRST NATIONS STUDIES DEGREE.

For more information, contact Lori Nyce, Student Support and Registration Administrator at [lnyce@wwni.bc.ca](mailto:lnyce@wwni.bc.ca) or at the Wilp Wilxo'oskwhl Nisga'a Institute at (250) 633-2292.

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## CERTIFICATE IN GENERAL FIRST NATIONS STUDIES

### Certificate Requirements:

- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 100-3 The Aboriginal Peoples of Canada
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 200-3 Methods and Perspectives in First Nations Studies
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 217-3 Contemporary Challenges Facing Aboriginal Communities
- \_\_\_\_\_ ANTH 206-3 Ethnography in Northern British Columbia
- Or \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 304-3 First Nations Environmental Philosophy and Knowledge
- \_\_\_\_\_ HIST 215-3 Global History of Indigenous Peoples

### One course (three credits) of the following:

- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 139-3 Nisga'a Language, Level 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 169-3 Nisga'a Culture, Level 1

### One course (three credits) ancillary course of the following (others listed in UNBC Calendar)

- \_\_\_\_\_ ANTH 206-3 Ethnography in Northern British Columbia
- \_\_\_\_\_ BIOL 350-3 Ethnobiology
- \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 320-3 First Nations Literature
- \_\_\_\_\_ HIST 303-3 British Columbia
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### Three courses (nine credits) from the First Nations Studies program

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## CERTIFICATE IN FIRST NATIONS LANGUAGE-NISGA'A

### Certificate Requirements:

**Five courses (15 credit hours) of Nisga'a Language, MUST include one immersion course**

- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 139-3 Nisga'a Language, Level 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 140-3 Nisga'a Language, Level 2
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 239-3 Nisga'a Language, Level 3
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 240-3 Nisga'a Language, Level 4
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 321-3 First Nations Advanced Composition and Conversation, Level 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 322-3 First Nations Advanced Composition and Conversation, Level 2

**Must include:** \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 223-3 First Nations Language Immersion

**Two courses (six credits) of introductory First Nations, including courses on culture and issues:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 169-3 Nisga'a Culture, Level 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 170-3 Nisga'a Culture, Level 2
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 217-3 Contemporary Challenges Facing Aboriginal Communities
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 269-3 Nisga'a Culture, Level 3
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 270-3 Nisga'a Culture, Level 4
- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 217-3 Contemporary Challenges Facing Aboriginal Communities
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- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 311-3 The Spring Anadromous Fisheries in Nisga'a Culture and History

**Two courses (six credit hours) of English (any level)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 100-3 Introduction to Literary Structures \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 205-3 Fiction
- \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 102-3 Introduction to Poetry \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 300-3 Theory
- \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 120-3 Introduction to Canadian Native Literature
- \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 170-3 Writing and Communication Skills
- \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 200-3 Gender and Literary Theory \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 320-3 First Nations Literature
- \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 260-3 A Survey of Children's Literature

**One course (three credit hours) of Linguistics of First Nations Language**

- \_\_\_\_\_ FNST 220-3 Introduction to Linguistics

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