

Philosophy (BA) Learning Objectives

1. Majors and minors will be able to explain a section from a philosophical text, a philosophical theory, a philosophical issue, or a philosophical argument.
2. Majors and minors will be able to identify arguments and distinguish premises and conclusions.
3. Majors and minors will be able to formulate an argument in support of or in opposition to a claim.
4. Majors will be able to demonstrate familiarity with a basic problem or a major theory in a main area of philosophical inquiry.
5. Majors will be able to demonstrate familiarity with a primary claim or critical response to a primary claim in the history of western philosophy.