Steps to declaring a Major:
1. Complete a minimum of 12 units (8 courses).
2. Fill out an RDP (that's Record of Degree Program) form - find it at (web.uvic.ca/advising under Forms) and take it to Advising.
3. Presto! You’re declared. Now, what to take... (see over.)

Note: while you still need (a) 6.0 units (4 courses) of lower-level history and (b) the Academic Writing Requirement to graduate, you no longer need to complete these before declaring.

First history myth to debunk:
Many students think that they’ve already declared their history major just by indicating an interest on their intake form.

Benefits to declaring early:
✓ eligibility for departmental scholarships
✓ save time by knowing and fulfilling your requirements
✓ declared majors have an advantage during course registration

The History Major in a nutshell:
- 6 units of 100 and 200 level courses
- 15 units of 300 and 400 level courses
- 21 units in total... about 1/3 of your degree, leaving room for languages... double majors... electives... secret interests in organic chemistry...

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What's behind the slogan?
► Check out our video on youtube.
As of May 2014, we changed our prefix from HIST to HSTR, and most courses were **renumbered** at the same time. The course listings in the current calendar use the new numbers. You can double-check new numbers for courses already taken on the History department website.

### 100s or 200s:
Minimum 4 courses (6 units)

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### 300s or 400s:
Min. 10 courses (15 units).
**Shading:** min. 4 courses (6 units) and max. 8 (12 units) must be in a single area of interest*

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*Areas of interest = American, British, Canadian, European, Asian, World/Comparative

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