Faculty of Humanities, which is among the first faculties of Semnan University, started enrolling students in theology and business administration in 1994 and continued its development by establishing more departments in 1997. Currently, it has about 60 faculty members teaching in several departments offering 8 BA, 8 MA, and 4 PhD programs.

BA programs	
Departments	Majors
Theology	Religions and mysticism
Jurisprudence and fundamentals of Islamic law	Jurisprudence and fundamentals of Islamic law
Physical education and sports sciences	Physical education and sports sciences
Law	Law
Persian language and literature	Persian language and literature
Arabic language and literature	Arabic literature
English language and literature	English language and literature
Islamic sciences	Offering courses to all majors of the university

PhD programs	
Departments	Majors
Theology	Sufism and Islamic mysticism
Jurisprudence and fundamentals of Islamic law	Jurisprudence and fundamentals of Islamic law
Persian language and literature	Persian language and literature
Arabic language and literature	Arabic language and literature

MA programs		
Department	Major	
Theology	Religions and mysticism	
	Islamic mysticism	
Jurisprudence and fundamentals of Islamic law	Jurisprudence and fundamentals of Islamic law	
Physical education and sports sciences	Applied exercise physiology	
(exercise physiology, motor behavior, sport	Exercise physiology and health	
psychology)	Motor control and learning	
	Motor development	
	Sport psychology	
Law	Private law	
	Public law	
Persian language and literature	Persian language and literature	
	Resistance literature	
Arabic language and literature	Arabic language and literature	
	Arabic translation	
English language and literature	English literature	
	Teaching English as a foreign language	
General linguistics	Teaching Persian to non-Persian speakers	
	General linguistics	

Faculty of Humanities has the following equipment and facilities:

- 1. Computer center: This center is available to BA, MA, and PhD students and could be used for graduate courses as well.
- 2. Language laboratory: It has 48 single cabins equipped with audio and video systems and is currently used for audio-visual courses of the English and Arabic departments.

- 3. Physical education laboratory: This highly equipped laboratory is used in the fields of exercise physiology and motor behavior sciences.
- 4. Danesh Hall: This two-story hall equipped with highly advanced audio, visual, and lighting systems is used for various purposes including conferences and student events.
- 5. Study hall: This hall provides students with a comfortable atmosphere for reading and research purposes.
- 6. Study hall for professors and PhD students: This hall has sufficient space and includes various reference materials and academic journals.
- 7. Meeting hall: This hall is used for various purposes including meetings of the educational council of the faculty as well as professor recruitment and viva sessions.
- 8. Audio-visual room: This room which is equipped with a video projector is used for viva as well as PhD interview sessions. In addition, 14 out of 10 classes on the ground floor and all 10 classes on the first floor are equipped with video projector.