

Asian and Asian-American Studies

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The program offers a major and minor in Asian Studies consisting of courses that are selected from throughout the University curriculum and that deal entirely or in more than half of their content with Asian and/or the Asian-American Diaspora. Experience abroad through participation in study abroad, a University travel course, or other credit-bearing experiences is not required but is strongly recommended.

Requirements for the Asian Studies Major

Degree of Bachelor of Arts

Six of the required credits for the major count towards the Core Curriculum Requirements.

AN-100	Introduction to Asian Studies	3
Take the following four course sequences: ^{1, 2}		12
Chinese		
AN-113	Elementary Mandarin Chinese I	
AN-114	Elementary Mandarin Chinese II	
Japanese		
AN-130	Elementary Japanese I	
AN-131	Elementary Japanese II	
AN-134	Intermediate Japanese I	
Select six Asian Studies Courses		18
Total Credits		33

¹ Students who initially place above the introductory level should choose consult the Program Director to choose four suitable language courses.

² The first two courses in the sequence fulfill the Core Language Requirement.

Requirements for the Asian Studies Minor

AN-100	Introduction to Asian Studies	3
Select one of the following two course sequences: ¹		6
Chinese		
AN-113	Elementary Mandarin Chinese I	
AN-114	Elementary Mandarin Chinese II	
Japanese		
AN-130	Elementary Japanese I	
AN-131	Elementary Japanese II	
Select three Asian Studies Courses		9
Total Credits		18

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