University Core and Graduation Requirements

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**Note:** These classes fill both university core and program requirements (4–19 hours overlap).

### Graduation Requirements:

- Minimum residence hours required: 30.0
- Minimum hours needed to graduate: 120.0

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### Suggested Sequence of Courses

#### FRESHMAN YEAR

**1st Semester**
- First-year Writing or American Heritage: 3.0
- CHIN 101 (FWSp): 4.0
- Precalculus MATH (if needed): 0-3.0
- Religion Cornerstone course: 2.0
- General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives: 3-6.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

**2nd Semester**
- First-year Writing or American Heritage: 3.0
- CHIN 102 (FWSu): 4.0
- Religion Cornerstone course: 2.0
- General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives: 6.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

#### SOPHOMORE YEAR

**3rd Semester**
- CHIN 201 (FWSp): 4.0
- Religion Cornerstone course: 2.0
- General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives: 9.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

**4th Semester**
- CHIN 202 (FWSu): 4.0
- Religion elective: 2.0
- General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives: 9.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

**Spring/Summer**
- CHIN 321 or 322: 3.0
- Total Hours: 3.0

#### JUNIOR YEAR

**5th Semester**
- CHIN 301 (FWSp): 4.0
- CHIN 342 or 343 (F) or 344 (W): 3.0
- CHIN 345R: 3.0
- Chinese upper-division elective: 3.0
- Religion Cornerstone course: 2.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

**6th Semester**
- CHIN 302 (FW): 4.0
- CHIN 325 (F) or 326 (W): 3.0
- Chinese upper-division elective (WSp): 3.0
- Religion elective: 2.0
- General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives: 3.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

**SENIOR YEAR**

**7th Semester**
- CHIN 441 (F): 3.0
- CHIN 443 (F) or 444 (W): 3.0
- Chinese upper-division elective: 3.0
- Religion elective: 2.0
- General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives: 4.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

**8th Semester**
- CHIN 442 (W) or 443 (F): 3.0
- CHIN 495 (FW): 2.0
- Chinese upper-division elective: 3.0
- General Education courses, university requirements, and/or general electives: 7.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

**Note:** It is recommended that majors complete a language residency program including, but not limited to, Chinese Study Abroad, Chinese internship, study at a Chinese university, one semester in the Foreign Language Student Residence, or participation in a Marriott School Learning on-campus internship as a Chinese language specialist. Other residency programs must be approved by the Chinese section head.

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**Note:** Check with department for current availability of all courses.

**Note:** Students are encouraged to complete an average of 15 credit hours each semester or 30 credit hours each year, which could include spring and/or summer terms. Taking fewer credits substantially increases the cost and the number of semesters to graduate.
It is strongly recommended that StDev 317, a 1-credit-hour course, be taken at the end of the sophomore year or the beginning of the junior year. Because liberal arts degrees provide preparation in a variety of useful fields rather than a single career track, this course is recommended to help liberal arts students focus on specific educational and occupational goals and to identify the career options or educational opportunities available to them. The course will introduce them to the resources needed for accessing information about graduate schools, internships, careers, and career development. Students will learn basic employment strategies, including the steps necessary for obtaining employment related to their own specialty.

**REQUIREMENT 1**
Complete 1 course
HCOLL 110 - Introduction to the College of Humanities 1.0

**REQUIREMENT 2**
Complete 7 courses
CHIN 202 - Intermediate Mandarin 4.0
CHIN 301 - Third-Year Mandarin 4.0
CHIN 302 - Third-Year Mandarin 4.0
CHIN 321 - Selected Readings of Modern Chinese 3.0
CHIN 322 - Selected Readings of Modern Chinese 3.0
CHIN 345R - Chinese Culture 3.0

You may take this course up to 1 time.
CHIN 495 - Senior Seminar for Majors 2.0

**REQUIREMENT 3**
Complete 1 course
CHIN 342 - Chinese Film in Translation 3.0
CHIN 343 - Chinese Literature in Translation—Poetry 3.0
CHIN 344 - Chinese Literature in Translation—Prose 3.0

**REQUIREMENT 4**
Complete 1 course
CHIN 325 - Structure of Chinese 3.0
CHIN 326 - Introduction to Chinese Linguistics 3.0

**REQUIREMENT 5**
Complete 3 courses
CHIN 411- Speaking and Listening Mastery 2.0
CHIN 441 - Classical and Literary Chinese 3.0
CHIN 442 - Classical and Literary Chinese 3.0
CHIN 443 - Modern Chinese Literature 3.0
CHIN 444 - Contemporary Chinese Literature 3.0

**REQUIREMENT 6**
Complete 1 option
Complete 9.0 hours from the following course(s)

- CHIN 311R - Advanced Conversation 2.0
- CHIN 325 - Structure of Chinese 3.0
- CHIN 326 - Introduction to Chinese Linguistics 3.0
- CHIN 327 - Chinese Translation and Interpretation 3.0
- CHIN 342 - Chinese Film in Translation 3.0
- CHIN 343 - Chinese Literature in Translation—Poetry 3.0
- CHIN 344 - Chinese Literature in Translation—Prose 3.0
- CHIN 346 - Introduction to Chinese Philosophy 3.0
- CHIN 347 - Business Chinese 3.0
- CHIN 377 - Chinese Language Teaching Procedures 3.0
- CHIN 399R - Academic Internship 9.0v
- CHIN 411 - Speaking and Listening Mastery 2.0
- CHIN 441 - Classical and Literary Chinese 3.0
- CHIN 442 - Classical and Literary Chinese 3.0
- CHIN 443 - Modern Chinese Literature 3.0
- CHIN 444 - Contemporary Chinese Literature 3.0
- CHIN 445R - Chinese Poetry 3.0
- CHIN 477R - Secondary Minor Student Teaching 4.0
- CHIN 490R - Individual Study in Chinese 3.0v
- CHIN 599R - Academic Internship 9.0v

Complete 9.0 hours from the following course(s)

**OPTION 6.1**

Complete 1 course

- CHIN 311R - Advanced Conversation 2.0
- CHIN 325 - Structure of Chinese 3.0
- CHIN 326 - Introduction to Chinese Linguistics 3.0
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- CHIN 477R - Secondary Minor Student Teaching 4.0
- CHIN 490R - Individual Study in Chinese 3.0v
- CHIN 599R - Academic Internship 9.0v

Chinese majors have all of the advantages of the liberal arts graduate (who claims effective communication and interpersonal skills) with the added edge of knowing the language and culture behind a leading world economy. Therefore, graduates enter the work force in a wide variety of occupations, such as journalism, insurance, business, travel, investment, and government service. They not only are marketable as trained linguists, translators, and cultural advisors, but are vigorously recruited as personnel managers and business representatives by companies with overseas interests. Graduates are also highly competitive in applying to professional schools such as medical, dentistry, law, and business schools.

**MAP DISCLAIMER**

While every reasonable effort is made to ensure accuracy, there are some student populations that could have exceptions to listed requirements. Please refer to the university catalog and your college advisement center/department for complete guidelines.

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- Faculty advisement
- Career counseling
- Adding major classes
- Class offering changes
- Specific course information
- Grade changes
- Letters of recommendation
- Graduate school advisement

**THE DISCIPLINE:**

The study of Chinese accesses the literature, thought, culture, and society of the world’s largest population with the longest cultural continuum; moreover, since the civilizations of Japan, Korea, and Vietnam are founded on traditional Chinese Confucianism, a major in Chinese opens up much of the wider world of modern Asia. You will communicate in spoken and written Mandarin, gain skills in analyzing and appreciating both traditional and modern literature, acquire effective research strategies, and learn to write clearly and persuasively. All the personal enrichment and interpersonal understanding that results from a liberal arts education in the humanities is offered through the study of Chinese.

Studying linguistics brings essential understanding of the language itself, and learning its literature reveals old and sophisticated traditions no less important than that of English or any other major language.

**CAREERS:**
BA in Chinese (552020)
2018-2019

- Orientation to major

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- Declare or change major or minor
- Clear for graduation (recommended application is 2 semesters before graduation)
- GE, major, and transfer advisement
- Questions about university policies
- Clearance of CAC holds and adding over hours
- Graduation records
- Requirement sheets, correct progress report errors
- Evaluate students holds at 96 hours and 150+ hours