# University Core and Graduation Requirements

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## Graduation Requirements:

| Minimum residence hours required | 30.0 |
| Minimum hours needed to graduate | 120.0 |

## Suggested Sequence of Courses

### FRESHMAN YEAR

#### 1st Semester
- 1st Year Writing or A HTG 100: 3.0
- Language 101 course (FWSpSu): 4.5
- Quantitative Reasoning (if needed): 0-3.0
- Religion Cornerstone course: 2.0
- General electives: 2-5.0
- **Total Hours**: 15-16.0

#### 2nd Semester
- A HTG 100 or 1st Year Writing: 3.0
- Language 102 course (FWSpSu): 3.0
- ASIAN 200: 3.0
- Biological or Physical Science elective: 3.0
- Religion Cornerstone course: 2.0
- **Total Hours**: 14.0

### SOPHOMORE YEAR

#### 3rd Semester
- Biological Science or Physical Science elective: 3.0
- Civilization 1: 3.0
- Language 203 course (FWSpSu): 4-5.0
- History Core 1: 3.0
- Religion Cornerstone course: 2.0
- **Total Hours**: 15-16.0

### JUNIOR YEAR

#### 5th Semester
- History Core 2: 3.0
- Civilization 2: 3.0
- Language 202 course (FWSpSu): 4-5.0
- Religion Cornerstone course: 2.0
- **Total Hours**: 15-16.0

#### 6th Semester
- ASIAN 495: 1.0
- General Electives: 4.0
- **Total Hours**: 15.0

### SENIOR YEAR

#### 7th Semester
- History Core 2: 3.0
- Civilization 2: 3.0
- Language track elective: 3.0
- ASIAN Studies elective: 3.0
- **Total Hours**: 15.0

#### 8th Semester
- ASIAN 495: 1.0
- Language track elective: 3.0
- ASIAN Studies elective: 3.0
- **Total Hours**: 16.0

Note: Contact the advisement center for help in outlining an efficient schedule.

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.
### BA in Asian Studies: Japan Studies (570146)
#### 2019-2020 Program Requirements (55 - 58 Credit Hours)

Courses cannot be double counted between the different requirement sections in the major.

#### REQUIREMENT 1 Complete 3 courses
- ASIAN 200 - Introduction to Asian Studies: Methods and Materials 3.0
- ASIAN 342 - Asian Literary Traditions 3.0
- HIST 231 - Introduction to East Asian History 3.0

#### REQUIREMENT 2 Complete 1 course
- IHUM 241 - Humanities of East Asia 3.0
- IHUM 243 - Introduction to the Humanities of South Asia 3.0

#### REQUIREMENT 3 Complete 1 course
- COMPLETE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING POLITICAL SCIENCE CORE COURSES (CANNOT BE DOUBLE COUNTED AS AN ELECTIVE):
  - ASIAN 495
  - HIST 344
  - POLI 385
  - POLI 348
- IHUM 243 - Modern Chinese Literature 3.0
- CHIN 444 - Contemporary Chinese Literature 3.0
- CHIN 445R - Chinese Poetry 3.0
- GEGG 272 - East Asia 3.0
- GEGG 273 - Southeast Asia 3.0
- HIST 337 - Pre-modern Korea 3.0
- HIST 338 - Modern Korea 3.0
- HIST 340 - Traditional China 3.0
- HIST 341 - China Since 1200 3.0
- HIST 347 - Chinese Cultural History 3.0
- HIST 348 - Modern South East Asia 3.0
- HIST 349 - History of Asian Religions and Thought 3.0
- JAPAN 321 - Advanced Japanese 1: Current Events 3.0
- JAPAN 322 - Advanced Japanese 2: Modern Literature 3.0
- JAPAN 350 - Japanese Literature in Translation—Eighteenth Through Sixth 3.0
- JAPAN 351 - Japanese Literature in Translation—Seventeenth Through Six 3.0
- JAPAN 352 - Japanese Literature in Translation: The Modern Era 3.0
- JAPAN 441 - Introduction to Classical Japanese 3.0
- JAPAN 444 - Toward Superior Japanese 2: Modern Literature 3.0
- JAPAN 445 - Christianity in Japanese Literature 3.0
- KOREA 321 - Selected Readings of Modern Korean 3.0
- KOREA 340 - Korean Literature to 1900 3.0
- KOREA 345 - Korean Culture 3.0
- KOREA 441 - Classical Korean (Hanmun) 3.0
- KOREA 443 - Korean Literature after 1900 3.0
- MUSIC 203 - World Music Cultures 3.0
- MUSIC 336R - Balinese Gamelan 1.0
- POLI 346 - Southeast Asian Politics 3.0
- POLI 348 - Government and Politics of Asia 3.0
- POLI 353 - China: Government and Politics 3.0
- POLI 354 - Japan: Government and Politics 3.0
- POLI 385 - International Relations of Asia 3.0
- POLI 386 - Japanese Foreign Policy 3.0
- POLI 388 - Chinese Foreign Policy 3.0
- *REL C 358 - Survey of Eastern Religions 2.0
- SOC 345 - World Populations 3.0

#### REQUIREMENT 4 Complete 2 courses
- HISTORY CORE COURSES:
  - HIST 343 - Early Japan: Shinto and Samurai, Courtiers and Courtesans 3.0
  - HIST 344 - Modern Japan 3.0

#### REQUIREMENT 5 Complete 1 course
- *ASIAN 495 - Senior Seminar 1.0

#### REQUIREMENT 6 Complete 2 options
- COMPLETE THE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE LANGUAGE CERTIFICATE IN JAPANESE AND TAKE THE OPI AND WPT ASSESSMENTS. THESE ASSESSMENTS MUST BE DONE ON THE BYU CAMPUS, AND MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE GRADUATION. SEE HTTP://LANGUAGECERTIFICATE.BYU.EDU/PROGRAM-REQUIREMENTS FOR COMPLETE DETAILS.

#### OPTION 6.1 Complete 2 courses
- JAPAN 321 - Advanced Japanese 1: Current Events 3.0
- JAPAN 345 - Japanese Culture 3.0

#### OPTION 6.2 Complete 1 course
- JAPAN 322 - Advanced Japanese 2: Modern Literature 3.0
- JAPAN 351 - Japanese Literature in Translation—Seventeenth Through 3.0
- JAPAN 352 - Japanese Literature in Translation: The Modern Era 3.0

**Note:** Only Japan 321 can be double counted as an elective.

#### REQUIREMENT 7 Complete 1 option

#### OPTION 7.1 Complete 6 courses
- ANTHR 335 - Peoples of India 3.0
- ANTHR 336 - Cinema and Culture in India 3.0
- ANTHR 341 - Ethnonationalism and Southeast Asia 3.0
- ANTHR 343 - Chinese Culture and Society 3.0
- ANTHR 348 - Contemporary Japan 3.0
- ARTHC 203 - Survey of Asian Art and Architecture 3.0
- ARTHC 375 - Japanese Art and Architecture 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 345R - Chinese Culture 3.0
- CHIN 346 - Introduction to Chinese Philosophy 3.0
- CHIN 441 - Classical and Literary Chinese 3.0
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- CHIN 443 - Modern Chinese Literature 3.0
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**Note:** If approved beforehand, up to 9 hours of 330R or 399R credit may be counted for overseas work done under one of the following: Study Abroad, internships, mentored research, or independent field studies.

#### THE DISCIPLINE:
The Asian Studies major is an interdisciplinary program designed to prepare students for careers and advanced study in the specialized field of Asia not provided by a major in one department. In the program, students acquire working competence in Chinese, Japanese, Korean, or another approved Asian language; a broad knowledge of Asian civilization; and a more specialized knowledge in an academic discipline.

#### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:
The Asian Studies major is useful to those contemplating careers in academic areas, private industry, or government service. The import-export field and international services are particularly interested in persons who have a strong background in Asian Studies.

#### 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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