

ASIAN STUDIES

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Asian Studies is an interdisciplinary program designed to provide undergraduate students with a broad understanding of Asian cultures and an awareness of the important historical and international events happening in the Asian world. This program is designed to build a solid foundation of philosophy, religion, history and political science for further study in this field.

Asian Studies Minor Requirements: 18 credits *

Code	Title	Credits
ASN 300	Introduction to Asian Studies	3
Select one of the following:		3
PHL 351	Introduction To Chinese Philosophy	
PHL 353	Introduction to Buddhism	
Select one of the following:		3
HIS 467	Modern China	
HIS 468	Modern Japan	
Select one of the following:		3
PLS 315	Politics of Asia	
PLS 316	Government and Politics of People's Republic of China	
Electives		
Select two of the following:		6
CHN 111	Beginning Chinese for Daily Life I	
CHN 112	Beginning Chinese for Daily Life II	
HIS 464	Gender and Sexuality in Asia	
HIS 465	Japanese Popular Culture	
HIS 467	Modern China	
HIS 468	Modern Japan	
JPN 111	Beginning Japanese for Daily Life I	
JPN 112	Beginning Japanese for Daily Life II	
JPN 225	Intermediate Japanese	
PHL 351	Introduction To Chinese Philosophy	
PHL 353	Introduction to Buddhism	
PLS 315	Politics of Asia	
PLS 316	Government and Politics of People's Republic of China	
Total Credits		18

* Kingfisher concentration requirements are 9 credits total, chosen from the list of courses in the associated minor. Unless otherwise specified.

Courses

ASN 300. Introduction to Asian Studies. 3 credits.

Asian Studies is an interdisciplinary program designed to introduce students to the traditions, cultures and politics of Asia by examining the area stretching from Korea in the east to Pakistan in the west, and from the steppes north of China's Great Wall to the southern tip of the Indian subcontinent.

ASN 412. Studies in Major Authors. 3 credits.

Cross-listed with ENG 412 when study appropriately relates to Asian Studies. P. ENG 120, ENG 121, ENG 150 or equivalent; Jr. standing, or IC.