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## FIU ASIAN STUDIES PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST

### GRADUATE PROGRAM CERTIFICATE

The Asian Studies Program offers a number of Certificate Programs, which are available to degree-seeking students at the graduate level. Each certificate requires **15 credits** of studies with a specific focus on an aspect of Asian culture, society, language, or business. Students may enroll in and take courses toward a certificate program prior to graduation; however, certificates cannot be awarded until the student has attained an M.A. or its equivalent graduate degree program from FIU. Contact [asian@fiu.edu](mailto:asian@fiu.edu) for more information.

**Below, you will find a worksheet that will help you evaluate your course progress:**

### JAPANESE STUDIES GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

**The Japanese Studies graduate certificate requires a total of fifteen (15) credits and includes the following:**

- a) Core Courses (6 credits):** Two courses on Japanese Studies, which can include but are not limited to courses listed on the catalog (*additional courses will be considered*).
- b) Electives (9 credits):** Three courses on Asian or comparative studies. See sample list in the catalog. Contact an advisor for details.

**Japanese Studies/Asian or comparative coursework** listed on the catalog: Other courses can **be approved** by permission of the Program Director and Coordinating Committee (with a "C" or better), including relevant special topics, independent study, study abroad credits, and area studies or comparative studies. Students should consult with an advisor at for the certificate program about current course offerings and a full list of courses accepted for the certificate.

**Language:** Language proficiency as appropriate for student's area of specialization.

*Students must apply early for the graduate certificate to not delay the graduation term and certificate processing. Payment is required and it must be paid promptly to the OneStop/FIU Graduate Admissions office. Students cannot pursue a graduate certificate as a stand-alone program; graduate certificates must be sought alongside a graduate degree program. Contact an advisor for details.*

Japanese Studies Certificate* (18 credits)	Term/Grade
<b>3 credits   Core Course:</b>	
<b>3 credits   Core Course:</b>	
<b>3 credits   Elective:</b>	
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<b>3 credits   Elective:</b>	

\* See complete list of graduate-level interdisciplinary courses on the catalog or our website [FIU Asian Studies Program](http://asian.fiu.edu).

Visit our website [asian.fiu.edu](http://asian.fiu.edu) for more information. Note: As per the FIU University Graduate School (UGS), no credits can be shared for graduate certificate programs. A grade of "C" or better is required for all courses (C- is not acceptable). A limit of 6 graduate credits of relevant courses may be transferred but with prior approval from the Program Director and Green School Graduate Office.