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## Asian Studies Program Requirements Checklist

 B.A. in Asian Studies/Chinese Area Studies Major $\sim$To enter the Asian Studies Program, fill out the appropriate paperwork with the university to state your major plan of study. Completion of the Asian Studies Program takes only 36 credits; however, all students must earn 120 credits in their undergraduate career in order to be eligible for graduation.

There are a few requirements that students must meet to complete the Asian Studies Bachelor's Degree with the Chinese Area Studies Major. Students are required to complete Introduction to East Asia (ASN 3410), China Then and Now (ASN 3016) and one capstone/seminar course: either Dynamics of Asia (ASN 4510) or Modern Asia (ASN 4390) (or equivalent). Chinese Area Studies Majors must also complete 12 credits of China-specific courses and 9 credits of Asian area studies electives.

Because understanding language is paramount to understanding culture, students must achieve an intermediate level ( 9 credits) of the Chinese language (first year of language, CHI 1130 and CHI 1131, are considered prerequisites). If a student tests out of language courses, $\mathrm{s} / \mathrm{he}$ must fulfill the requirements with additional course work. Contact asian@fiu.edu for more information.

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

| Core Requirements | (6 credits) |
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| China-Specific Courses <br> (9 credits required) | Completed |
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| Asian Area Studies Electives <br> (9 credits required) | Completed |
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|  Language Courses <br> (9 credits of level 3 or higher)  | Completed |
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