## FIU ASIAN STUDIES PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST

## **B.A.** IN ASIAN STUDIES (ONLINE)

The online Asian Studies B.A. requires 36 credits. It is designed to allow students to focus on Asian political economy and culture in the context of global studies, as well as East Asian languages. This online degree requires 6 credits of Core & Capstone Courses: Introduction to East Asia (ASN 3410); and a supervised research course (ASH 4300 East Asian Civilization and Culture, or equivalent 4000-level course (see below). Next, 9 credits in Asian Studies Courses (with ASN-prefix) and 9 credits of other Asia-Related Courses available online from the Asian Studies course list. In addition, each student must choose 6 credits of the Main Concentration/Track: Asian Studies B.A. Online. Because understanding language is paramount to understanding culture, students must achieve 6 credits of an Asian language (e.g., Japanese and Chinese are offered online at FIU, but Korean or another Asian language could apply). Two Introductory-Level language courses (Levels one and two) are required for the major, but a third semester (Intermediate-level) is strongly recommended for motivated students. Contact asian@fiu.edu for more information.

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

Core & Capstone Courses (6 credits)	Term/Grade
3 credits   ASN 3410 Introduction to East Asia	
3 credits   ASH 4300 East Asian Civilization and Culture OR equivalent 4000-level supervised research course including but not limited to ASN 4111, ASH 4300, ASH 4404, INR 4232, or SYD 4451, based on available online modality and approval of Program Director.	

Asian Studies Courses* (9 credits; must be ASN-prefix)	Term/Grade
3 credits   ASN	
3 credits   ASN	
3 credits   ASN	

\* See the complete list of ASN-prefix courses on the catalog or our website FIU Asian Studies Program.

Asia-Related Courses* (9 credits)	Term/Grade
3 credits	
3 credits	
3 credits	

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## Students choose available courses for the Asian Studies B.A. Online Track:

Asian Studies Online   Main Concentration/Track* (6 credits)	Term/Grade
3 credits	
3 credits	

\* See the complete list of interdisciplinary courses on the catalog or our website FIU Asian Studies Program.

Language Requirements* (6 credits)	Term/Grade
3 credits   JPN 1130 <u>or</u> CHI 1130 <u>OR</u> other Asian language	
3 credits   JPN 1131 <u>or</u> CHI 1131 <u>OR</u> other Asian language	

\*Note the following language requirements based on the selection of Asian Studies B.A. Online track:

Asian Studies B.A. Online Track: Two semesters (6 credits) of Introductory-level (1000) or higher in Chinese, Japanese, Korean or other Asian Language. (First year language courses are 5-credits each, for a total of 10, but 6 credits will be applied to the track total). Other Asian languages may apply. Students are encouraged to take Intermediate-level courses such as JPN 2200 online.

Advising Questions? | Contact <u>asian@fiu.edu</u> to schedule an appointment with an advisor.

Visit our website <u>asian.fiu.edu</u> for more information. Students with outstanding academic records should contact us about pursuing the B.A. in Asian Studies with Honors. Please note: No more than two courses (6 credits) from the Asian Studies B.A. degree can be counted towards one of the program's undergraduate certificates. A grade of "C" or better is required for all courses (C- is not acceptable).

Review catalog regarding the **Combined B.A./M.A. in Asian Studies Degree Pathway**: To be considered for admission to the combined bachelor's/master's degree pathway, students must have completed at least 75 credits in the B.A. degree program at FIU and meet the admissions criteria for the M.A. degree program to which they are applying. Contact an advisor for details.