UNIV | COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

Wilson Advising Center

2023-2024 Requirements for Bachelor of Arts in Asian and Asian American Studies

General Education Core Requirements, 56-58 Credits

First Year Seminar (3 Credits)				
Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
COLA 100LA				

English Composition (6 Credits)

Course Cr Gr Trans Sem	<u> </u>				
ENG 101	Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
2.10 101	ENG 101				
ENG 102	ENG 102				

Second Year Seminar (3 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
ENG 231 or 232				
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Mathematics (3 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
MATH 120 or higher				

Constitution (US and NV, 4-6 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
HIST 100 or PSC 101				

Sciences (7 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
4cr Science with lab				
3cr Science				

Analytical Thinking (3 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem

Fine Arts (6 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
From Gen Ed list				

Humanities (6 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
From 2 different areas				

Social Sciences (9 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
From 3 different areas				

2 World Languages or 2 World Cultures (6 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem

Department Requirements

Asian and Asian American Studies Core (12 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem
AIS 101 (International)				
AIS 102 (Multicultural)				
IDS 494				
IDS 495A				

33 Credits

Asian and Asian American Studies Electives

- 18 credits must be 300-400 level
- Maximum of 10 credits for any one Asian language may be applied with a grade of C or higher

Primary Concentration (Group A or B, 15 credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem

Secondary Concentration (Group A or B, 6 credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem

Electives (29-31 Credits)

Course	Cr	Gr	Trans	Sem

Other General Degree Requirements

- Minimum 120 credits required to graduate
- 42 credits must be Upper Division (courses numbered 300 or higher)
- Minimum 30 Upper Division credits must be completed at UNLV
- 50% of Department requirements must be completed at UNLV
- Last 30 credits must be earned as a declared major in the College of Liberal Arts
- 2.0 Cumulative UNLV GPA required to graduate
- Maximum 4 credits of PEX can be used towards graduate requirements
- At least one Multicultural and one International course must be completed. Students can combine these courses with
 others in their major or the General Education.

Asian and Asian American Studies Electives Options

Group A (Asian)

AIS 124 - Philosophical Traditions of Asia AIS 151 – Introduction to Japanese Civilization AIS 201 - The History and Cultures of India AIS 212 – History of East Asia II AIS 225 – Introduction to Indian Philosophy AIS 301 – Selected Topics in Asian Studies AIS 306 – Contemporary Chinese Society AIS 323 - Chinese Popular Culture AIS 331 – Chinese Literature in Translation AIS 407B – Political Systems of East Asia AIS 425 - Topics in Japanese Culture AIS 443 – Modern Chinese Culture through Film AIS 451 – Explorations in South Asian Religions AIS 449A - History of Japan to 1800 AIS 449B – History of Japan since 1800 AIS 449C – Topics in Japanese History AIS 455A - History of China to 1800 AIS 455B – History of China since 1800 AIS 455C - Topics in Modern China AIS 485A - Asian Literature AIS 499 - Independent Study ANTH 411 – Buddhism and Culture ART 480 – Art of China ART 481 – Art of Japan ART 495 – Special Topics in Art History (only when topic is Asian art) CHI 105 – Chinese Business Culture CHI 113 – Elementary Chinese I CHI 114 - Elementary Chinese II CHI 213 - Intermediate Chinese I CHI 214 – Intermediate Chinese II CHI 301 – 3rd Year Chinese: Conversation and Composition CHI 302 – 3rd Year Chinese: Grammar and Composition CHI 322 – Modern Chinese Literature in Translation CHI 350 – Topics in Chinese Literature

ENG 477A – Film and Literature HIST 150 – Introduction to Chinese Civilization JPN 113 - Elementary Japanese I JPN 114 – Elementary Japanese II JPN 213 – Intermediate Japanese I JPN 214 – Intermediate Japanese II JPN 301 – 3rd Year Japanese I JPN 302 - 3rd Year Japanese II JPN 401 – Advanced Japanese Composition I JPN 416 – Japanese for Business I JPN 417 – Japanese for Business II PHIL 117 – Indian Philosophy of Mind and Mental Health PHIL 352 – Special Topics PHIL 452 - Aesthetics PHIL 467 – Indian Philosophy PHIL 468 – Chinese and Japanese Philosophy PHIL 469 – Gandhian Welfare Philosophy and Culture PHIL 472 - Selected Topics in Religion PSC 405L – East Asia in World Politics PSC 405M – The Pacific Rim and World Politics PSC 4070 – Islamic Politics SOC 410 – Sociology of Aging SOC 466 – Sociology of Medicine Group B (Asian American) AIS 301 – Selected Topics in Asian Studies AIS 400 – Filipina/o/x American Experiences AIS 402 – Asian American Sporting Cultures AIS 485A – Asian Literature AIS 499 – Independent Study ANTH 411 – Buddhism and Culture HIST 349 - From Asia to America HIST 448 – Asian American History WMST 426 – Contemporary Asian American Families