



**\*Suggested\* DEGREE WORKSHEET FOR:  
Asian Studies (Japanese Language focus)  
2015-2016 Catalog**

YEAR 1- FALL	YEAR 1- SPRING
*JAPN 101: Elementary Japanese I (5) (LAC 7) HIST 112 : Asian Civilizations I: From Pre-history to 1500 (3) (LAC 4) Asian Studies Elective 3 credits  <i>LAC course: ENG122 College Composition (LAC 1)</i>  14 credits	*JAPN 102 Elementary Japanese II (5) (LAC 7) HIST 113 Asian Civilization II: From 1500 to the Present (3) (LAC 4) Asian Studies Elective (3) *Suggest JAPN 116  <i>LAC Course:4-credit science with lab</i>  15 credits
YEAR 2- FALL	YEAR 2-SPRING
*JAPN 201 Intermediate Japanese I (3) (LAC 7, 3d) ENG 236 Asian American Literature (LAC 3b, 8) HIST 311 History of Japan (3)  <i>LAC: ENG 123 College Research Paper (LAC 1b)</i> <i>LAC: Math course (LAC2)</i>  15 total	*JAPN 202 Intermediate Japanese II (3) (LAC7, 3d) CHIN 216 Masterpieces of Chinese literature (3) (LAC 7, 3b) Asian Studies Elective 3 credits  <i>LAC 6 3- credit science course</i> <i>LAC 5 suggest GEOG 200, ANT 110, ECON 101</i>  15 total LAC complete
YEAR 3- FALL	YEAR 3- SPRING
HIST 307 History of China to 1500 (3) * JAPN 301 Japan and the Japanese I (3) Asian Studies Elective 3 credits  + 8 University Electives  17 total	<i>Suggest Study abroad summer and/or fall semester to Japan</i> <i>Transfer:</i> *JAPN 302 Japan and the Japanese II (3) *FL296 Study Abroad Experience (6) transfer +Elective credits (3) = total 12 <i>Suggest that student take the Writing and Oral proficiency tests immediately upon return from study abroad program</i>
YEAR 4- FALL	YEAR 4- SPRING
* JAPN 450 Modern Chinese Literature (3) CHIN 101 Elementary Chinese (5) (LAC 7) ASIA 499 Thesis (3)  +6 credits University Electives elective = 17 total	*JAPN 407 Japanese for Oral Proficiency (3) CHIN 102 Elementary Chinese II (5) (LAC7) + 7 credits elective  15 total

**Admission Requirement:** good academic standing; no separate admission requirement

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This worksheet is a recommended schedule to complete your bachelor's degree in 4 years. Every UNC student must meet the following requirements in order to graduate with a bachelor's degree: earn a minimum of 120 semester credit hours; possess a minimum of a 2.00 cumulative grade point average; have at least 40 credit hours in courses designated as Liberal Arts Core; meet all degree requirements in the student's major field of study. Each major and/or emphasis may have additional requirements

necessary for graduation. **Students must consult with their major advisor to receive information on any additional graduation requirements.**

**Notes:**

1. **About Electives:** Because of the interdisciplinary nature of the Asian Studies program and the infrequent offerings of some courses, it is difficult to predict when many of the electives will be offered, or how many electives will be offered in a given semester. Thus, it is imperative that students be aware of and attend the group advising meeting each semester.
2. **About Advising:** The Asian Studies program compiles a list of courses that count towards the Asian Studies degree each semester, and distributes the list in October (for spring courses) and April (for summer and fall courses) through the Asian Studies group advising meetings, and online through the Asian Studies webpage <http://www.unco.edu/asianstudies/>.
3. Students must maintain C or better in all courses for their major. C- is not acceptable.