

# Associate of Arts – Asian Studies Option

## CURRICULUM

(All 5 credit courses unless otherwise listed)

### BASIC REQUIREMENTS (15 credits):

- ENG 101 – Composition (5)
- ENG 102 – Composition (5)
- Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning (5)

### DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS (50 credits):

#### **Visual, Literary and Performing Arts (15 credits from at least 3 areas)**

- Language and Speech (5)
  - CHI 101, or JPN 101, KOR 101, or VTN 101
- Literature/History of Ideas (5)
- Music, Art and Drama (5)

#### **Individuals, Cultures and Societies (20 credits from at least 3 areas)**

- Individuals and Societies (10)
- United States Culture (5)
- Global Studies (5)

#### **The Natural World (15 credits from at least 3 areas)**

- The Physical Universe (5)
- The Living World (5)
- Science, Technology & the Environment/  
The Language of Science (5)

### AREA ELECTIVES (10 credits):

- CHI 102 & 103, JPN 102 & 103, KOR 102 & 103 or VTN 102 & 103 (10)

### SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (15 credits):

- Integrated Studies (10 credits); individual, linked, or coordinated studies involving courses from the Distribution Requirements (Required courses denoted by a Z after the number)
- Communications 105, 135, 165, 175 or 205 (5 credits)

### SPECIFIC AREA STUDIES (15 credits)

Choose courses from: ANT 210Z, ART 255Z, 257Z, CHI 201, 202, 203, ENG 225, HIS 136, 210, 211, 241, 251, HUM 115Z (3 cr.) 160, IBN 210, ISP 160, 170, 255, 293, JPN 201, 202, 203, POL 230Z, REL 151Z, SOC 106, 170, 293

## SAMPLE COURSE PLAN

Students may start their program any of the following quarters: Fall, Winter, or Spring. By taking at least a full-time load (15 credits) quarterly for six consecutive quarters (not including Summer), a schedule may be planned allowing completion of required curriculum.

A sample course outline for a full-time student is as follows:

### FRESHMAN YEAR:

#### **First quarter**

- MAT 102, or Quantitative requirement
- ENG 101 Composition
- CHI 101, JPN 101, KOR 101, or VTN 101 Beginning Chinese, Japanese, Korean or Vietnamese

#### **Second quarter**

- REL 151Z Eastern Religions
- ENG 102 Composition II
- CHI 102, JPN 102, KOR 102 or VTN 102 Beginning Chinese, Japanese, Korean or Vietnamese 2<sup>nd</sup> QTR

#### **Third quarter**

- Student selected distribution requirement
- CMN 135 Introduction to Public Speaking
- CHI 103, JPN 103, KOR 103 or VTN 103 Beginning Chinese, Japanese, Korean or Vietnamese 3<sup>rd</sup> QTR

### SOPHOMORE YEAR:

#### **First quarter**

- Student selected distribution requirement
- ENG 120Z Comparative World Literature
- HIS 251 History of China

#### **Second quarter**

- ANT 210Z Peoples of Mainland SE Asia
- ART 255Z Asian Art
- Student selected distribution requirement

#### **Third quarter**

- ART 257Z Art of Japan
- HIS 241 History of SE Asia
- Student selected distribution requirement

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**BASIC REQUIREMENTS – 15 CREDITS**

<b>English 101</b> (5 credits)	
<b>English 102</b> (5 credits)	
Mathematics/ Quantitative Reasoning (5 credits). Take one of the following courses: <b>MAT 102, 107, 116, 117, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126</b>	

**DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS – 50 CREDITS**

(Refer to *AREAS OF KNOWLEDGE* for courses and requirements in each section)

**VISUAL, LITERARY AND PERFORMING ARTS – 15 CREDITS**

15 credits in 2 of 3 columns. 2 different prefixes must be included; only 5 credits may be used in each of the following: foreign languages, studio and performance classes, or History of Ideas.

<b>Language and Speech (10 credits)</b>	<b>Literature/ History of Ideas (0 or 5 credits)</b>	<b>Music, Art and Drama (0 or 5 credits)</b>
CHI 101, 102, or JPN 101, 102 or VTN 102		

**INDIVIDUALS, CULTURES AND SOCIETIES – 20 CREDITS**

10 credits in Individuals & Societies; 5 credits in United States Cultures AND 5 credits in Global Studies.

<b>Individuals and Societies 10 credits</b>	<b>United States Cultures 5 credits</b>	<b>Global Studies 5 credits</b>

<b>THE NATURAL WORLD – 15 CREDITS</b>		
15 credits in 2 at least 3 areas		
<b>The Physical Universe</b>	<b>The Living World</b>	<b>Science, Technology &amp; the Environment/ The Language of Science</b>

<b>ELECTIVES AND SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS – 20 CREDITS</b>		
<b>AREA ELECTIVES (5 CREDITS)</b>	<b>SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (15 CREDITS)</b>	<b>SPECIFIC AREA STUDIES</b>
CHI 103, JPN 103 or VTN 103	10 credits Integrated Studies: ENG 120 & REL 151	Choose other courses from:
	5 credits: ANT 200, SPE 100, 120, 140, or 150	ANT 202, ART 255, HIS 136 or HIS 210

<b>SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS</b>			
(Fulfilled by courses taken in Distribution Requirements or Electives -additional credits are not required to satisfy this requirement)			
<b>Integrated Studies</b> (10 credits).	<b>Speech/ "S" courses</b> (5 credits) Take 1 of the following courses as part of Distribution Requirements:		
Fulfilled by individual courses, linked courses, or coordinated studies programs that a) integrate subject matter from at least two of the three areas of knowledge in Distribution Requirements, above, and b) emphasize active learning through seminars, study groups, and frequent writing. "IS" courses are usually denoted with a Z; for example, ENG 223Z.	ANT 200	HUM 105	ISP 105
	PHI 240	PSY 120	SPE 100
	SPE 120	SPE 140	SPE 150
	SPE 210	SPE 220	SPA 236 or 238

<b>ELECTIVES – 25 CREDITS</b>
<p>Any course listed on the <i>AREAS OF KNOWLEDGE</i> may be used as an "elective". Courses titled <i>Independent Study</i>, <i>Seminar</i>, <i>Special Problems</i>, and <i>Special Topics</i> may be used as electives only. Please note: A total of 15 credits from any combination of the following may be used as electives (category credit limits are in brackets):  Vocational classes [15], Human Development Courses [3], Physical Education [3], Library courses [3]. Please consult your counselor or advisor for further information on electives.</p>