

CHINESE LANGUAGE & CULTURES MAJOR

Major Requirements

The requirements for a **major in Chinese** are 32 credits:

Code	Title	Hours
Chinese Courses		
CHIN 211	Intermediate Chinese I ¹	4
CHIN 212	Intermediate Chinese II	4
24 additional credits		24
Up to 16 credits of elective courses taught in English with a major emphasis on Chinese-speaking regions may be applied to the Chinese major		
CMUS 303	Global and Contemporary Music for Worship ²	
FREN 310	Understanding Health, History, and Culture in Southeast Asia ²	
HART 377	Arts of Asia	
HIST 341	Foundations of East Asian Civilization	
HIST 342	Modern East Asian History	
PHIL 314	Asian Philosophy	
PSC 332	U.S.-China Relations	
PSC 338	Chinese Politics	
REL 338	Religions of East Asia	
Total Hours		32

¹ Up to 8 credits of prerequisite courses are required for CHIN 211.

² Departments will give prerequisite overrides to those students pursuing a major in Chinese for these courses.

Concordia currently offers a limited number of upper-division courses, so study off campus is necessary to complete the Chinese Language and Cultures major. Students have a number of opportunities to earn the required credits. Most students will study abroad, some will choose to take advantage of the cooperative education opportunities at Concordia Language Villages, and others may transfer in approved courses from other colleges. Please consult with the Chinese program director or the chair of the world languages and cultures department chair to evaluate your options and determine the best course of study for you.

Students seeking licensure to teach Chinese must also fulfill the requirements for a major in education (<https://catalog.concordiacollege.edu/arts-sciences/education/education-major/>). For additional information about teaching Chinese, see the chair of world languages and cultures or the chair of education.

Degree and Graduation Requirements

In addition to the program-specific requirements listed above, all students must complete the graduation requirements specified for their degree. See the Degree and Graduation Requirements (<https://catalog.concordiacollege.edu/undergraduate-academic-community/degree-graduation-requirements/>) section for more information.