



2022 - 2023 Bachelor of Arts in Asian American Studies

36 Units

Use this checklist in combination with your official Academic Requirements Report (ARR). This checklist is not intended to replace advising. Consult the advisor for appropriate course sequencing. *Curriculum changes in progress. Requirements subject to change.*

To be considered for admission to the major, complete the following Major Specific Requirements (MSR) by 60 units:

- Minimum 2.0 overall GPA
- Grades of "C" or better in GE Foundations, Arts and Humanities (Category C), and Social Science and Citizenship (Category D)
- Freshmen who began in Fall 2021 or later: Grade of "C" or better in Ethnic Studies (Category F-ES)

Courses

Prerequisites

Complete **ALL** of the following courses with grades of "C" or better (6 units total):

AAAS 100: Asian Eats (3)	
ASAM 120: Asian American History (3)	Corequisite: One GE Foundation
Complete ONE of the following courses with a grade of "C" or better (3 units total):	
ASAM 121: Contemporary Issues in Asian America (3)	Corequisite: One GE Foundation
ASAM 200: Asian American Interethnic Relations (3)	

Complete **ALL** of the following courses with grades of "C" or better (12 units total):

A/ST 307: Modern Asia (3)	GE Foundations
A/ST 309: Asia and Globalization (3)	GE Foundations
ASAM/CHLS 335: Asian and Latino Immigration Since World War II (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing
AAAS 492: Senior Research Seminar (3)	Upper Division Standing in Asian American Studies, Asian Studies, Chinese Studies, Japanese; or Consent

ASAM Upper Division Electives - Complete **15 UNITS** from **at least TWO** of the following groups with grades of "C" or better. A maximum of 6 units may come from Group 4:

Group 1: Specific Ethnic Group Focus

ASAM 330: Japanese American Experience (3)	
ASAM 331: Chinese American Experience (3)	
ASAM 332: Korean American Experience (3)	
ASAM 333: Vietnamese American Experience (3)	
ASAM 334: Cambodian American Experience (3)	
ASAM 352: Filipino/a American Experiences (3)	
ASAM 353: Filipino-American Contemporary Issues (3)	Upper Division Standing

Group 2: Gender Studies

ASAM 340: Asian American Family (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing
ASAM 370: Gender and Sexuality in Asian America (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing

Group 3: Asian Americans in Comparative Perspectives

ASAM/AFRS/AIS/CHLS 319: Racial and Ethnic Experience in the United States (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing
ASAM/CHLS 341: Asian American/Chicano and Latino Cinema (3)	GE Foundations
ASAM 350: Environmental Justice (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing
ASAM 490: Selected Topics in Asian American Studies (3)	Consent of Instructor
ASAM 499: Directed Studies (1 - 3)	Consent of Instructor

Group 4: Asia and Globalization		
	A/ST 306: Traditional Asia (3)	GE Foundations
	A/ST 320: Asian Films: Culture and Identity (3)	Upper Division Standing; Passing Score on GPE (or Necessary Portfolio)
	A/ST 336: Politics and Literature in Southeast Asia (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing; Passing Score on GPE (or Necessary Portfolio)
	A/ST 393: Japan: Continuities and Transformations (3)	GE Foundations
	CHIN 390: Topics in Chinese Cultural Studies (3)	Upper Division Standing
	CHIN 421: Current Affairs in China (3)	
	JAPN 350: Japanese Language, Culture, and Communication (3)	

In order to graduate from CSULB, students must complete General Education/GWAR/Major requirements and have a minimum of 120 units (40 must be upper division) with at least a 2.0 in all GPAs (Overall, CSULB, Major).

Additional Information

- **See online Catalog for additional course information, limitations, and requirements.**
- Some courses may also fulfill GE requirements. Visit the GE website for course selection: csulb.edu/general-education.
- A course can only be used to satisfy one major requirement. Double counting is not allowed within the major.

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Checklists are available on the [ATLAS website](#)