Chinese Language and Culture Major

Major Academic Plan (MAP) for Catalog Year 2023-2024

Total Major hours: 40
Suggested hours per semester: 16

The catalog is the final authority on CATC and major requirements; this is intended as a tool for planning purposes. Student course sequencing may vary depending on course offerings and other variables.

Fall Semester 1	Spring Semester 1	Summer 1

CHIN 101 Elementary[F]* OR CHIN 201 Intermediate[F]* OR Major elective course
 	
CORE 101: First Year Seminar
First Year CATC options—
  ▪ *AHS 101: Wellness (2)*
  ▪ *COMM 101: Oral Comm (2)*
  ▪ *ENGW 103: First-Year Writing*
  ▪ *Thematic Core Course*
	CHIN 102 Elementary[S]* OR CHIN 332 Chinese Grammar and Composition[S]* OR Major Elective Course*
	HIST 291/293
	
	First Year CATC Options
	BITH 211/ARCH 211: Old Testament
		Consider study, internship or research options –Wheaton In summer program, WIN (HoneyRock), Wheaton in the Black Hills, non-major internship, summer research

Fall Semester 2	**Spring Semester 2**	**Summer 2**
CHIN 201 Intermediate[F]* OR CHIN 331 Chinese Conversation[F]* OR Major elective course *Thematic Core Course* *Core Competency Course* *BITH 213/ARCH 213: New Testament*	CHIN 332 Chinese Grammar and Composition[S]*, if not complete HIST 291/293, if not complete, OR CHIN 334 Chinese Culture and Traditions[1,S] Major elective course *Thematic Core Course* *BITH 315: Christian Thought** *Advanced Integrative Seminar?**	*Consider Study Abroad[2]* *Consider study, internship or research options.*
Fall Semester 3	**Spring Semester 3**	**Summer 3**
CHIN 331 Chinese Conversation[F]* if not complete Major elective course *Advanced Integrative Seminar?**	CHIN 332 Chinese Grammar and Composition[S]*, if not complete CHIN 334 Chinese Culture and Traditions[1,S], if not complete Major elective course *Thematic Core Course* *Advanced Integrative Seminar?**	*Consider Study Abroad[2]* *Consider study, internship or research options.*
Fall Semester 4	**Spring Semester 4**	**Summer 4**
CHIN 331 Chinese Conversation[F]* if not complete Major elective course *Complete CATC Coursework*	CHIN 494 Senior Seminar[S]* Complete Major coursework *Complete CATC Coursework*	

Notes or Special Guidance for Majors:

*Course has prerequisite
F Fall only course
S Spring only course
Offered every other year

[1] Courses that meet CATC Thematic Core tags (with a max of 3 counting toward gradation) include the following: CHIN 334 Chinese Culture and Traditions (GP)

[2] Chinese Language and Culture majors are strongly recommended to participate in Wheaton-in-China or an alternative approved study abroad program. Credits earned from Wheaton-in-China or another program with an accredited academic institution in China may be applied either to a second major (with approval of that major department), to the Chinese Language and Culture major, or (upon approval) to both.