

Department of East Asian Languages, Literatures & Cultures  
**Requirements for a Minor in East Asian Studies**

**Prerequisites**

*Language:* At least one DEAL-LC language course taken at the 1020/1060 with a letter grade of C or higher for each semester the language was taken. Language courses which fill this prerequisite include Chinese, Japanese, Korean and Tibetan.

**Requirements**

18 credit hours with the following distribution:

*EAST 1010:* It is recommended that this course be taken no later than the third year. [3 credits]

*East Asian History:* Any HIEA course [3 credits]

*East Asian Humanities:* Any East Asian course offered in one of the following departments: Art History, Architectural History, Literature, or Religious Studies. [3 credits]

*East Asian Social Sciences:* Any East Asian course offered in one of the following departments: Anthropology, Economics, History, Politics, or Studies in Women and Gender. [3 credits]

*East Asia Electives:* East Asia related electives as decided by the student and his or her advisor. [6 credits]

**Note:**

A maximum of 6 transfer credits can be used to satisfy the 18 credit requirement. 9 credits from a separate major can be applied to the East Asian Studies minor.

**Declaring a Minor**

- Select a region of concentration (China, Japan, Korea, or Tibet)
- Review course listings and fill out the top portion of the East Asian Studies Minor Worksheet. This form will be used to declare your minor in East Asian Studies. This form may be found on the DEAL-LC website or in the DEAL-LC administrative office.
- Contact the East Asian Studies Advisor. Up-to-date contact information for the advisor may be found on the DEAL-LC website or the DEAL-LC information board.
- Please bring your East Asian Studies Minor Worksheet with you to your advising appointment.

For current advisors and for a list of courses, please visit [www.virginia.edu/ealc](http://www.virginia.edu/ealc)