

JAPANESE MINOR

The Japanese minor offers courses in the language, literatures and cultures of Japan. Students in the minor acquire language skills and cultural knowledge of traditional and contemporary Japanese culture, including pop-culture and its influences. Students gain transferable skills such as global awareness, cross-cultural literacy and the ability to work with diverse groups, preparing them for careers in fields including cultural consulting, business, interpreting, journalism, public health, media sales and tourism. In addition, the minor prepares students to work in industries with Japanese clients, including video game companies, as well as for future graduate work in disciplines such as education, Japanese studies, political science, diplomacy and linguistics, among others.

Minor Requirements (18 Hours)

| Course | Title | Credits |
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| Select 18 hours of the following: | | 18 |
| JAPA 221 | Intermediate Japanese I | |
| JAPA 222 | Intermediate Japanese II | |
| JAPA 224 | Reading and Writing Japanese | |
| JAPA 240 | Introduction to Japanese Culture | |
| JAPA 321 | Advanced Japanese I | |
| JAPA 322 | Advanced Japanese II | |
| JAPA 331 | Japanese for Business I | |
| JAPA 332 | Japanese for Business II | |
| JAPA 340 | Introduction to Japanese Culture and Literature | |
| JAPA 341 | Modern Japanese Literature | |
| JAPA 350 | Japanese Culture and Society through Film | |
| JAPA 351 | Japanese Culture and Society through Theatre | |
| JAPA 353 | Japanese Culture and Society through Animation | |
| JAPA 398 | Selected Topics | |
| JAPA 399 | Independent Study | |
| JAPA 421 | Advanced Japanese III | |
| JAPA 422 | Advanced Japanese IV | |
| JAPA 500 | Japanese Language in Society | |
| Total Credit Hours | | 18 |