

DEPARTMENT OF WORLD LANGUAGES AND CULTURES

2025-26 catalog 4-year degree pathway

College of Arts and Humanities

Bachelor of Arts, Japanese (Large Plan)

One-semester study abroad *recommended* for students under 2025-26 catalog and prior;
required for students under the 2026-27 catalog and later.

Sample only—your academic advisor will help you create an individualized plan. Students with more than one major should communicate with their advisor prior to enrollment. Upper-division (UD) electives should be selected in consultation with advisor and department faculty members.

Actual courses offered may be in different terms than the quarter listed in this sample plan.

YEAR 1	Fall Quarter		Winter Quarter		Spring Quarter	
	JAPN 151	First-year Japanese I (5)	JAPN 152	First-year Japanese II (5)	JAPN 153	First-year Japanese III (5)
	UNIV 101	Transition to CWU (1)	*AWI	Academic Writing I (5)	*QR	Quantitative Reasoning (5)
	Elective	Explore/minor (5)	Option		Option	
	K3 Option		K3 Option	Creative Expression (5)	K1 Option	Academic Writing II (5)
Elective	Explore/minor (5)					
Total Quarter Credits	16	Total Quarter Credits	15	Total Quarter Credits	15	

YEAR 2	Fall Quarter		Winter Quarter		Spring Quarter	
	JAPN 251	Second-year Japanese I (5)	JAPN 252	Second-year Japanese II (5)	JAPN 253	Second-year Japanese III (5)
	K5 Option	Humanities (5)	K2 Option	Community, Culture, & Citizenship (5)	K4 Option	Global Dynamics (5)
	K7 Option	Physical & Natural World (5)	K8 Option	Science & Technology (5)	K6 Option	Individual & Society (5)
Total Quarter Credits	15	Total Quarter Credits	15	Total Quarter Credits	15	

YEAR 3	Fall Quarter		Winter Quarter		Spring Quarter	
	JAPN 361	Comp, Grammar, Conv I (5)	JAPN 362	Comp, Grammar, Conv II (5)	HIST 383	East Asian Civilization (5)
	KRN 311	Korean Cinema & Vis Cult (5)	RELS 351	Religions of China & Japan (5)	Elective	Explore/minor (4)
	Elective	Explore/minor (5)	Elective	Explore/minor (4)	UD	Explore/minor (5)
					Elective	
Total Quarter Credits	15	Total Quarter Credits	14	Total Quarter Credits	14	

YEAR 4	Fall Quarter		Winter Quarter		Spring Quarter	
	HIST 380	Modern East Asia (5)	HIST 468	Mod Japanese Hist: Trad and Change (5)	WLC 311	Popular Cultures of the World (5)
	Elective	Explore/minor (5)	Elective	Explore/minor (4)	WLC 427	Cross-Cult Comp in Global World (5)
	UD	Explore/minor (5)	UD	Explore/minor (5)	WLC 487	Culminating Experience (2)
	Elective		Elective		Elective	Explore/minor (4)
Total Quarter Credits	15	Total Quarter Credits	14	Total Quarter Credits	16	

Total Credits **180**

***Assumes appropriate placement. If placement needs are different, your advisor will help you create a suitable first-year Math/Academic Writing sequence to set you up for success.**

K1, K2, etc = Knowledge Area (Gen Ed) LD = Lower Division (100-200 level) UD = Upper Division (300-400 level)