

**Bachelor of Arts with a major in Japanese Language & Literature
and Secondary Teacher Education Program (STEP)**

MAJOR PREREQUISITE

| Oakland University Course | Macomb Community College Option |
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| IS 2200 | INTL 2300 |

Students may transfer an unlimited amount of credit from Macomb, and must complete a minimum of 45 credit hours from OU to meet degree requirements. As programs may limit the transfer credits that can be used toward requirements, **it is highly recommended that students work with both an OU (school/college) academic adviser and their Macomb counselor to maximize the applicability of coursework to specific requirements.**

TRANSFERRING WITH THE MICHIGAN TRANSFER AGREEMENT (MTA):

When choosing to complete MTA to satisfy General Education, please confirm the best courses to take to fulfill the agreement with your academic adviser at MCC or at the [MCC MTA Approved Courses](#) website. In order to completely satisfy OU's transferable General Education requirements when following this major guide, please reference the [MCC General Education Transfer Guide](#) and select one course from OU's **Knowledge Applications** category.

**Additional course requirements for MTA when following this major guide
(minimum 30 credit hours required for MTA):**

- MTA Approved English Composition Course – ENG 1180 or 1210
- MTA Approved English Composition Course – ENG 1190 or 1220 (this is a prerequisite for coursework at OU)
- Two MTA Approved Social Science Courses
- One MTA Approved Humanities and Fine Arts Course
- Two MTA Approved Science Courses
- One MTA Approved Mathematics Course

TRANSFERRING WITHOUT MTA:

If you intend to transfer without MTA, you can choose to complete additional coursework to fulfill OU's individual General Education categories instead. When following this major guide, please reference the [MCC General Education Transfer Guide](#) for the MCC courses that satisfy these specific OU General Education categories:

- Writing Foundations (**for this category, a minimum grade of B or 3.0 is required for STEP majors**)
- Formal Reasoning
- Arts
- Literature (**Met if LIT 1000 is chosen for 2nd major corequisite at OU**)
- Natural Science and Technology
- Social Science
- Western Civilization
- Knowledge Applications
- U.S. Diversity

EXPLORATORY REQUIREMENT:

The College of Arts and Sciences Exploratory Requirement is met with required STEP minor/endorsement (choose minor courses with OU adviser approval).

NOTES:

Oakland University will always honor the **MACRAO transfer agreement** and apply it to the General Education requirement the same as MTA.

The College of Arts and Sciences requires that a minimum of 16 credits in the major be completed at Oakland University.

Please contact [College of Arts and Sciences Advising](#) at (248) 370-4567 for more information regarding your degree requirements.

Students pursuing Secondary Education must apply and be accepted into STEP at Oakland University (OU).