

Bachelor of Arts with a major in Chinese Studies

MAJOR REQUIREMENT

Oakland University Course	Macomb Community College Option
IS 2200 (additional course options available at OU)	INTL 2300

MAJOR PREREQUISITE

Below are the first two courses in the sequence of prerequisites for the 8 credits in Chinese language at the 3000-4000 level required at OU - exact prerequisite course(s) required dependent on placement.

Any credits earned for these courses do not count toward total number of credits for the major.

CHE 1140	CHIN 1460
CHE 1150	CHIN 1470

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. To best complete OU's transferable General Education requirements, please reference the [MCC General Education Transfer Guide](#) and take the following:

- One course from OU's **Writing Foundations** category
(*this serves as an **MTA English Composition** course and is a prerequisite for coursework at OU*)
- One course from OU's **Knowledge Applications** category (*Met when required to take **2nd year Chinese Language** course as a pre-requisite at OU*)

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
- Formal Reasoning
- Arts
- Literature
- Natural Science and Technology
- Social Science
- Western Civilization
- U.S. Diversity
- Knowledge Applications (*Met when required to take **2nd year Chinese Language** course as a pre-requisite at OU*)

EXPLORATORY REQUIREMENT:

Students with majors in the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) must satisfy an exploratory requirement. This can be done by completing a double major or a CAS minor or concentration; or by completing a minimum of 12 credits in a single CAS rubric, outside of their major rubric. For additional options visit oakland.edu/exploratory . Please confirm transfer course choices with an OU CAS adviser. ***Students using MTA or MACRAO must complete the exploratory requirement at Oakland University or another four-year institution.***

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 degree requirements.

For more information about the major, including its hands-on courses, available scholarships, and study abroad opportunities, we encourage you to explore OU's [International Studies Program website](#).