The minor in East Asian Languages and Literatures consists of 15 credit hours of prerequisites and 15 hours of course work beyond the prerequisites. The purpose of the prerequisites is to give students a fundamental language and cultural basis upon which to build an understanding of East Asia. The courses beyond the prerequisites are intended to provide substantial training in an East Asian language and further cultural understanding.

Selection of courses should be made with the advice of the undergraduate advisor of the Department of East Asian Languages and Literatures, Tommy Beyl. Note that not all of the courses that are available for the minor are offered every year so that early and careful planning is advised.

For further information about the minor program or to declare the minor, contact the undergraduate academic advisor Tommy Beyl, beyl.1@osu.edu.

Prerequisite courses (15 credit hours)
- C/J/K 1101, or equivalent (4)
- C/J/K 1102, or equivalent (4)
- C/J/K 1103, or equivalent (4)
- E1231

Required courses (15 credit hours)
- Culture requirement (9 credit hours)
  - C2231 or C2232; J2231; and K2231
- Elective courses (6 credit hours)
  - 6 credits of other culture, literature, and linguistics courses in EALL, Chinese, Japanese, and Korean at 3000 level and above.

East Asian Minor Program Guidelines

The following guidelines govern the minor.

Required for graduation: No

Credit hours required: A minimum of 15, plus 15 credit hours of prerequisites. 1000 level courses shall not be counted in the minor. At least 6 credit hours must be upper-level courses as defined by the College of Arts and Sciences.

Transfer and EM credit hours allowed: A student is permitted to count up to 6 total hours of transfer credit and/or credit by examination.

Overlap with the GE: A student is permitted to overlap up to 6 credit hours between the GE and the minor.

Overlap with the major and additional minor(s):
- The minor must be in a different subject than the major.
- The minor must contain a minimum of 12 hours distinct from the major and/or additional minor(s).

Grades required:
- Minimum C- for a course to be listed on the minor.
- Minimum 2.00 cumulative point-hour ratio required for the minor.
- Course work graded Pass/Non-Pass cannot count on the minor.
- No more than 3 credit hours of course graded Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory may count toward the minor.

X193 credits: No more than 3 credit hours.

Filing the minor program form: The minor program form must be filed at least by the time the graduation application is submitted to a college/school counselor.

Changing the minor: Once the minor program is filed in the college office, any changes must be approved by Tommy Beyl, beyl.1@osu.edu